

Willem 508

Date of birth: 5 May 2015
Breeder: W. E. Lokhorst, Ederveen
Owner: Friones El Centenario SPR de RL de CV, Mexico
Lineage: Hette 481 x Star Pref*4 Folkert 353 x Star*2 Tsjomme 329 x Model*3 Oege 267
Pedigree: 61
Kinship: 18.5%
Observations: Positive carrier status dwarfism. Both sides osteochondrosis (OCD) in the fetlock joints, grade D

General

Willem 508 Stb Sport AAA was approved in 2018 at the age of three on the basis of his more than satisfactory lineage, good exterior, more than satisfactory aptitude for riding- and driving horse and satisfactory aptitude for showdriving. From his first stud season 30 foals were registered in 2021 with 88% born out of (at minimum) Star mares. Willem 508 completed the performance part of his Progeny Test in 2024 on the basis of two year collections of 3- and 4-year-old offspring. To date, Willem 508 has not yet met the requirement of forty inspected offspring.

Exterior

The Willem 508 offspring are a satisfactorily uniform batch of well-developed horses with correct builds and a good foundation. The offspring should have a stronger breed expression. The horses would especially benefit from more feathers and a deeper black coat colour. Body shape is satisfactorily horizontal with good length in the foreleg. The offspring have satisfactory strength in the back with a well-connected loin section and noticeably good croup conformation. Their croups are long. The horses have dry legwork. Seen from the side stance of the foreleg is remarkably straight. Stance of the foreleg is correct. Stance of the hind leg is correct. Shape of the feet and pastern length are average. For a more detailed description of the exterior please consult the breeding values for exterior.

Character/Training report

In the yard the Willem 508 offspring are inquisitive, slightly dominant and cheeky but also relaxed when handled. In the work they are a bit sensitive and easily tense up. They should volunteer more zest for work and be more responsive to the aids. They also score below-average on stamina and perseverance, the offspring are rather easily distracted and they could score better on learning capacity.

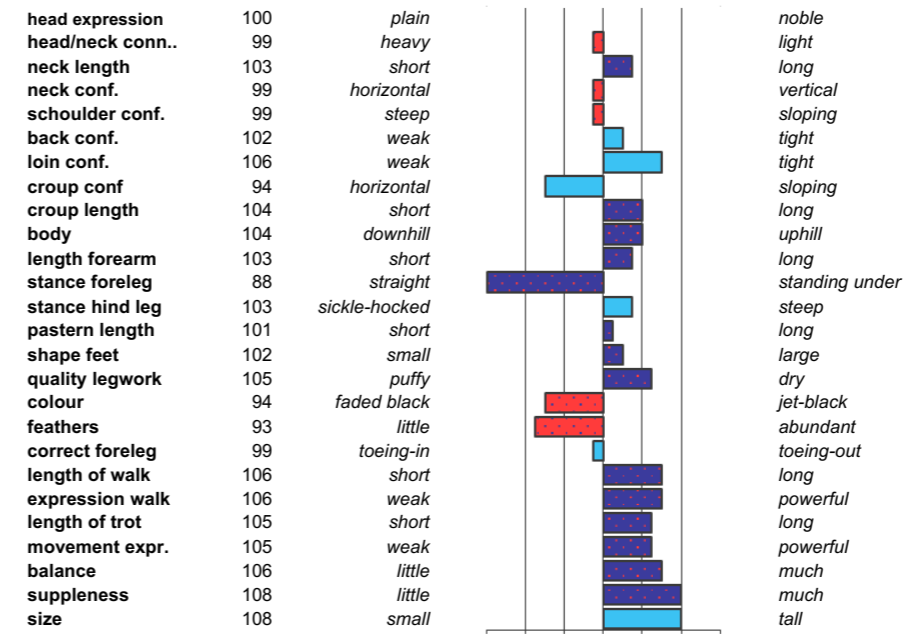
Movement/Performance

From the Willem 508 offspring 19 individuals have taken part in ABFP Tests. Both in the riding- and driving test the offspring present average performances, but they generally do better in the riding parts. Two offspring have achieved an AAA score. In the riding test a third of the offspring struggled with rhythm in the walk. In trot the hind leg should step further under the body. In the riding test the offspring need to develop more use of the body in both walk and trot as well as more capacity for transitions. The canter shows satisfactory scope, activity and quality of stride. When presented in-hand the Willem 508 offspring display a roomy and powerful walk. The trot is roomy and remarkably powerful with distinctly good balance and suppleness.

Conclusion

Willem 508 has a good hereditary profile (breeding value exterior total 104; Star% mares 60%; Star% stallions 42%), with their strong loin section and good croup conformation catching the eye. The offspring are somewhat dominant and cheeky when handled and in the work score a bit below-average in terms of character. With the in-hand presentation the offspring demonstrate a good walk and trot. The offspring present satisfactory scores in their performances (breeding value movement / sport aptitude total 108). Based on the satisfactory overall hereditary profile Willem 508 will be preliminary approved on offspring.

linear exterior/in-hand movement



Rating characteristics exterior		conformation		legwork		total	
btbh.%	breeding type	104		106		104	
70	100						
Movement/sport aptitude		trot		canter		total	
btbh.%	walk	108		104		108	
73	108					showdriving 100	
Kinship		trainability		Zest for work		stamina	
vw%	variation bloodlines	96		91		93	
18.5	96						
Breeding values character		reliability/predictability		Breeding values		Breeding values	
btbh.%	reliability/predictability	96		101		Breeding values	
59	96						
Breeding values sport		reliability/predictability		Breeding values		Breeding values	
btbh.%	reliability/predictability	96		101		Breeding values	
34	96						

Inspection results:

Stb no premium	Stb 3rd premium	Star 2nd premium	Star 1st premium	Crown	Star%	Not accepted	Gelding Book	Gb Star	Fb Star	Fb not Star	Studbook	Registered mares	Inspected mares	% inspected	Star% compared to registered	% dams minimum Star
Mares				Geldings				Stallions				Mares				
4	3	8	1	1	60%	1	0	0	5	7	0	52	18	35%	19%	56%

Offspring numbers in ABFP Test:

Age			Gender		Predicate			Total	Result		
3	4	5	stallion	mare	Crown	Star	not Star		A	AA	AAA
19	0	0	10	9	1	7	11	19	6	6	2

Results Performance Test:

Under saddle								
walk	trot	canter	posture&balance	suppleness	transitions	impulsion	total	
6.7	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	7.2	74.9	
In-harness								
walk	trot	posture&balance	suppleness	transitions	impulsion	total	Showdriving aptitude	
6.3	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.8	72.9	5.5	