

# The Premiere: Polled Impact Competition 2022!

It is the first time that HI is conducting a vote for the Polled Impact Cow, but that does not mean that we are too late or too early: Quite the opposite. The start of this competition, the vote for the most influential polled breeding cow in 2022, comes at a time when polled breeding is gaining more and more importance. Around the world, polled bulls are among the top sellers in their respective countries. There is a good reason that there were two cows at the top in the vote for the Global Cow 2021. Come along and participate in the first Polled Impact Competition ever!

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## HOW DO I VOTE?

As for all competitions organized by HI, in addition to the judgement of a two-person expert jury, the votes cast by our readers are a deciding factor in the final result. And, as always, the votes of our readers are weighted more heavily than the decision of the jury. First of all, you have the option of voting online. If we have your email address, you will receive an email in the coming days with simple selection functions for your vote. Secondly, you have the possibility to send us your ballot included in these pages via mail, fax or email (editors@holsteininternational.com). We would love to hear a comment about your vote. And remember: you can only vote for one cow. **Submission deadline is May 1st.**

It is an exciting field of candidates that has been gathered for the 1st Polled Impact Competition. It is a group of polled cows that represent not only some of the Holstein families that have been leading the breed for generations, but also brings families to the fore that have found the spotlight through successes specifically in the polled sector. As such, the variety you will come across here could hardly be larger. Aside from the Roxys, the Tiger-Lily Lulu family is the only other family that is represented by two candidates. The sire stacks also show variance. The 20 participants in the Polled Impact Competition come from 18 different sires. Only Kingboy and Splendid are represented by two candidates. For the sires of the dams, where Powerball is represented three times, there are also 18 different sires, while one generation further back a total of 16 different sires make an appearance.

### STRONG FIELD

Of course, there will be several potential candidates that you may have expected to see here that will be missing on the next pages.

Nonetheless, the list of cows included in the 1st Polled Impact Competition was not put together haphazardly. The team of HI editors made a great effort to select 20 Holsteins from an initial group that was substantially larger using strict objective criteria. A deciding factor for the qualification of a candidate for the final group was their influence on polled breeding. That is why it was not only the breeding level of the offspring that played a role, but also the intensity with which the sons and daughters were used as sires of sons, for conventional breedings or as donors for breeding programs. The influence in the year 2021 was decisive. And now we get to the stars of the show. In your view, which of the presented candidates have had the largest influence in the development of polled breeding in the past year? Have fun voting! ●



## My vote for the Polled Impact Competition 2022 is:

(Put a check mark beside one of the cows in the list below, which are presented in detail on the following pages)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Calbrett Kingboy Miranda-P-RC</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Eskdale Splendid Almah-P</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MHD Sina-P</b>              | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Weigeleine Frazzled 2994-P</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Caudumer Lol 371-P-RC</b>         | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>GDV Ladd Ipod-P</b>          | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Silverridge Duke Elsa-P</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Wilder Herz-P</b>              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Cherry-Lor Kboy Loma-P</b>        | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Groenibo 141 Jane-P</b>      | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>S-S-I Hodedoe 9502-P</b>    | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Winstar Medley 5490-P</b>      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Danhof HighFive-P</b>             | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>HFP Cara-PP</b>              | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Stantons Bighit Maker-P</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Winstar Windfall 4539-P</b>    |

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**BOMAZ DELTA 6790-P  
VG-87 (2015)**

**Bomaz Dairy, USA**

♀ **Bomaz Lawn Boy-P 4817-RC VG-85**  
(Aggravation Lawn Boy-P-Red)

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♀ **Bomaz Numero Uno 5904-P EX-90**  
(Amighetti Numero Uno)

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♀ **Bomaz Delta 6790-P VG-87**  
(Mr Mogul Delta)

It was sons like Hayes and Hologram that revealed Uno 5904 as one of the most popular polled sources when polled breeding really started gaining momentum. And her influence is still incalculable, which is primarily due to her Delta daughter Bomaz 6790. She is not only the dam of sires like Delson-P, Atomic-PP and Permit-P, but above all of Monument-P, the dominating sire of sons on TPI basis in the past year. The US top-list alone includes 4 of his sons.

**CALBRETT KINGBOX  
MIRANDA-P-RC EX-93 (2014)**

**Braemar/Silvercap, CA**

♀ **Venture Snow Muse-P VG-86**  
(Flevo Genetics Snowman)

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♀ **Snowbiz Ladd-P Marshmellow-P-Red VG-87**  
(Tiger-Lily Dtry Ladd-P-Red)

▼

♀ **Calbrett Kingboy Miranda-P-RC EX-93**  
(Morningview Mcc Kingboy)

A Polled Impact Competition without the candidature of the Global Cow Miranda is unimaginable. The potential 5-star cow is easily defined by her mega popular Zipit son Mirand-PP, but that would only describe part of her influence. Afterall, sons and grandsons like Redeye-P and Max-PP or Picasso-PP and Illustrator-P are also among the international elite in the polled segment. The interface of polled and conformation is embodied in Miranda.

**CAUDUMER LOL 371-P-RC  
VG-86 (2016)**

**Caudumer Holsteins, NL**

♀ **Caudumer Lol 292-Red-P VG-87**  
(Aggravation Lawn Boy-P-Red)

▼

♀ **Caudumer Lol 305-PP-Red VG-87**  
(Arron Doon West Port Magna-P)

▼

♀ **Caudumer Lol 371-P-RC VG-86**  
(De-Su 11236 Balisto)

With bulls like Fun-P, Smile-P, Batch-P and Powerplay-PP, the Lol family counts among the pacesetters in the polled field. However, there is no precedent for what Lol 371-P delivers with her son Solitair. He is behind the complete polled top-10 on the German top-list and also top bulls in Scandinavia (Sly-PP), Spain (Sol-P), and the Czech Republic (Bord-Red-P). If one were to add up the services to Solitair sons, Lol 371 could be one of the most influential breeding cows in Europe presently.

**CHERRY-LOR KBOY  
LOMA-P VG-85 (2015)**

**Hembury/Marshman, USA**

♀ **Tiger-Lily Lawnboy Lulu-Red VG-87**  
(Aggravation Lawn-Boy-P-Red)

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♀ **Tiger-Lily Ss Liquid-RC n.c.**  
(Seagull-Bay Supersire)

▼

♀ **Cherry-Lor Kboy Loma VG-85**  
(Morningview MCC Kingboy)

There are three things that make the Zipit son Luster-P distinctive. He is the highest daughter-proven polled sire in the USA, the Nr.1 for conformation among the top-25 and with sons like A2P2, Remove, Max and Lustrous, a very conspicuous sire of sons. Additionally, there is the fact that with almost 400,000 doses sold worldwide he is one of the most popular polled bulls. So, what is there to say that his dam Loma of the Lulu family is not one of the biggest polled figures at the present time?

**DANHOF HIGHFIVE-P N.C.  
(2016)**

**Nord-Ost-Genetic, DE**

♀ **Future-Jolane Uno Hay-P VG-87**  
(Amighetti Numero Uno)

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♀ **Future-Jolane Haylee-P VG-85**  
(Mr Moviestar Mardi Gras)

▼

♀ **Danhof HighFive-P n.c.**  
(Progenesis Lighter)

While she never became pregnant herself, HighFive-P from the Hay branch of the Henkeseen Hillary family left a deep impression on polled breeding. As a former Nr.1 in Spain, her Gywer son Gio-P-RC is one of the top-sellers in the country. His full-brother Game-P-RC is also a top-seller, although for RSH in Germany. Her Born son Bobest-PP was used even more intensively. In the past two years, he is the second most-used sire in Germany.



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**DE LA SOURCE NANA-P  
ETL VG-85 (2017)**

*Earl Riu, FR*

♀ **Hiademe EX-92**  
(De-Su 521 Bookem)

♀ **Liberty EX-90**  
(Rockymountain Lottomax)

♀ **De la Source Nana-P-ETL VG-85**  
(Stantons Archer-P)

With five sons in the gISU top-list, Nana-P is the most successful polled bull dam to currently be found in France. And it is quite a special quintet. The highest of them, Piwi, is the former genomic Nr.1 and a successful sire of sons. With Pop-PP and Sky-PP, two further sons occupy Nr.2 and Nr.3 on the PP list, while Pat is one of the highest RC sires and Rix-P is among the best polled bulls for conformation. In France, Nana is simply impossible to overlook.

**ESKDALE SPLENDID  
ALMAH-P VG-87 (2018)**

*Eskdale Dairy, USA*

♀ **Eskdale Destry Lady-EX-91**  
(Scientific Destry-RC)

♀ **Eskdale McCutch Fraulein-RC EX-93**  
(De-Su BKM McCutchen)

♀ **Eskdale Splendid Almah-P VG-87**  
(Pine-Tree Splendid-P)

The combination of a strong conformation family with a type sire of the highest class paved the way for the December debut of the Luster son Lustrous-PP. He is the Nr.9 on the PP list on gTPI basis and with +3.14 gPTAT is also the undisputed Nr.1 in the top-100 for conformation. His foundation is built upon the Splendid daughter Almah. Her pedigree follows three generations back to Dyks Advent-Lucy-Red EX-93 and with that contains five consecutive generations of EX cows. Almah's talents are carved in stone.

**GDV LADD IPOD-P  
VG-86 (2013)**

*Gaec de Vaux, FR*

♀ **Daxia Tuff GP-84**  
(Tuffiac)

♀ **GDV Gazoli GP-82**  
(End-Road Beacon)

♀ **GDV Ipod-P VG-86**  
(Tiger-Lily Dtry Ladd-P-Red)

With 75,000kg lifetime production currently, Ipod-P is the matriarch of a family that has shaped France's polled scene in recent years like few others. To her credit is not only the well-known top-seller Jeez-PP, but almost a dozen other sires like Mec-PP-RC, Lemond-P and the current start of the family, Revaux-PP. France's new Nr.1 on the polled list is the next sire who will ensure that Ipod's breeding strengths are intensively cemented in the polled sector.

**KNS MISSBOARD-P  
VG-85 (2016)**

*Friedrich Fösges, DE*

♀ **KNS Miss Epic-P-RC GP-82**  
(Generations Epic)

♀ **KNS Missbalisto-P-RC GP-84**  
(De-Su 11236 Balisto)

♀ **KNS Missboard-P VG-85**  
(Veneriete RUW Board)

She is one of the most successful breeding cows that was ever found in Germany: Missboard, dam of genomic top sires like Simon-P and Bachelor-P as well as the homozygous polled Hotspot sons Hesekei, Hogwart, Haggai and Spot-On. The influence that Missboard exerts over the German population can be seen in the past year. With Simon, Hogwart and Haggai, three of her sons were among the top-15 most sold bulls in the country: An absolute novelty.

**MHD SINA-P VG-88  
(2018)**

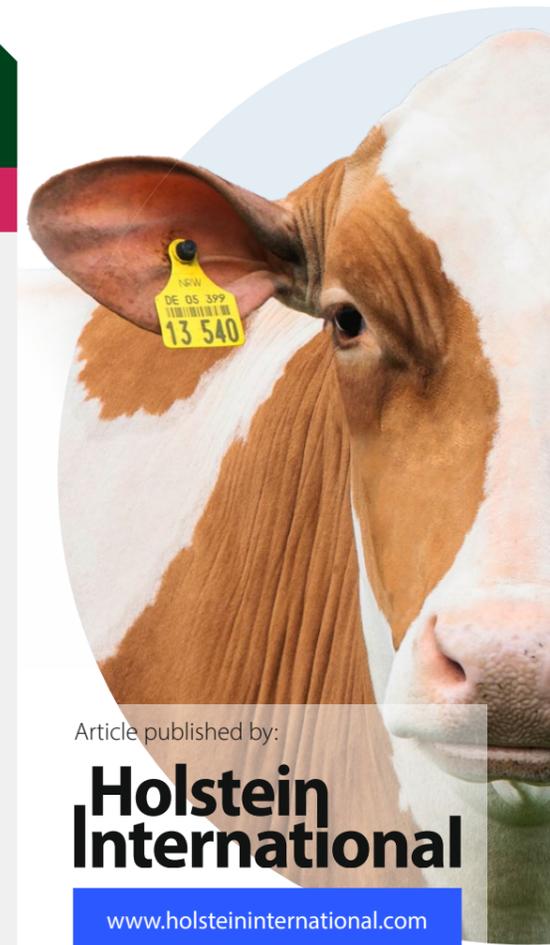
*Milchhof Diera, DE*

♀ **MHD Silvana-P GP-84**  
(Gen-I-Beq Aikman)

♀ **MHD Silvia-P GP-83**  
(Stantons Eloped-Red)

♀ **MHD Sina-P VG-88**  
(Wilder Born-P-RC)

When we mention the name Sina-P here, her son Six-Red-PP cannot be missed. The Solitary son is not only the Nr.3 of all PP sires, but also one of the best-selling bulls in Germany overall. But Sina, bred from the Perk Rae branch of the Roxys, has proven her potential with not only Six-Red. His full brother Sido-Red-P is placed even higher on the German polled list at Nr.7, while sisters of the duo are desired bull dams.



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**GROENIBO 141 JANE-P  
N.C. (2015)**

*Groenibo Holsteins, NL*

♀ **Groenibo 62 Brill Jane VG-85**  
(Delta Brilliant)

♀ **Groenibo 90 Stellando Jane VG-85**  
(Batenburg G. Stellando)

♀ **Groenibo 141 Jane-P n.c.**  
(Caudumer Powerplay-PP)

The Jaantje family has for generations been one of the most desired polled well-springs in the Netherlands, although so far there were few bulls from her that made it to AI studs. That the Jaantje's have continued to make a special contribution to the development of polled despite this is due to the red top-seller Rambo-PP. The Rumba son out of Jane-P, a sister to Bram-RC and aunt to Joskin-P, was the highest selling sire in Germany in 2020 and 2021.

**HFP CARA-PP EX-91  
(2015)**

*Heinz Meier, CH*

♀ **Ms Chassitys Caroline VG-86**  
(Roylane Socra Robust)

♀ **Cathleen 83-P GP-83**  
(Da-So-Burn MOM Earnhardt-P)

♀ **HFP Cara-PP EX-91**  
(PG Ocean-PP)

There is a great affinity for polled breeding in Switzerland, although polled sires only have a chance at widespread use if they come from a deep pedigree and perform at a top level for conformation. As such, it is no coincidence that Carlitos-PP made it to the top group of the most-sold bulls. Carlitos is the highest polled sire in Switzerland for conformation and has a gifted dam behind him in the EX-91 Cara, who goes back to Regancrest Chassity.

**SILVERRIDGE DUKE  
ELSA-P VG-87 (2016)**

*O'Connor Land & Cattle, CA*

♀ **Silverridge-V McCut Excited EX-91**  
(De-Su BKM McCutchen)

♀ **Silverridge-V Pball Erna-P VG-86**  
(View-Home Powerball-P)

♀ **Silverridge Duke Elsa-P VG-87**  
(S-S-I Montross Duke)

After Elsa, bred from the Lead Maes, showed her genetic potential with Eclipse-PP, the former Nr.1 of all PP sires on gTPI basis, A2P2 was a second offspring who generated headlines in the past year. The Luster son is not only the Nr.1 on the PP list in Canada, but also one of the most-used polled bulls in the world. With Ernie-PP (Limelight-Padawan), Elsa also has a grandson in Canada's top-15.

**S-S-I HODEDOE 7791 9502-P  
N.C. (2018)**

*Select Sires, USA*

♀ **S-S-I Powrbl 8426 9896-P G-76**  
(View-Home Powerball-P)

♀ **S-S-I Drpepr 9896 7791-P n.c.**  
(S-S-I Eraser Dr Pepper-P)

♀ **S-S-I Hodedoe 7791 9502-P n.c.**  
(Cookiecutter Jdi Hodedoe)

So far, the input from Roylane Socra Mira on polled breeding has been kept within boundaries. But that is changing in the form of Hodedoe 9502-P, who goes back to Mira via Pepper-Powerball-Uno-Snowman and is the dam of three interesting Limelight sons. The highest of them, Treasure-P, places himself in the top-20 on the US polled list, while his much desired full brothers Halo-PP and HatTrick-PP take places Nr.8 and Nr.11 on the PP list.

**STANTONS BIGHT MAKER-P  
GP-83 (2018)**

*Stanton Bros., CA*

♀ **Stantons Mardi Vivica VG-85**  
(Mr Moviestar Mardi Gras)

♀ **Stantons Valentine VG-87**  
(S-S-I Montross Jedi)

♀ **Stantons Bight Maker-P GP-83**  
(S-S-I Ferdinand Bight-P)

Maker-P, a Bight-Jedi-Mardi Gras out of Sonray Soc Observr EX-91, is the shooting star on the Canadian polled scene, which is primarily due to her popular Luster son Remover-PP. He is not only one of the strong production and conformation PP sires in Canada, but also the current Nr.3 on gLPI basis. His intensively used dam Maker is also convincing on the female side despite her youth of 4 years. Two full sisters to Remover and an Aristocrat daughter are already classified VG.



## VOGUE SPLENDID SAMARA-PP VG-88 (2017)

*Lucky Hill/Hamming/  
Chubanna, CA*

♀ **Josey-LLC Uno Sangaria VG-85**  
(Amighetti Numero Uno)



♀ **Parkhurst Powerball Salina-P EX-90**  
(View-Home Powerball-P)



♀ **Vogue Splendid Samara-PP VG-88**  
(Pine-Tree Splendid-P)

The VG-88 Samara-PP, a great-granddaughter to Planet Silk, is one of the best breeding cows that the breeding program at Vogue is working with. Above all, Samara's offspring are performing at the top level in various evaluation systems. Her Hotspot son 2020-P is the Nr.28 on the US list, while his very popular full brother Nipit-PP is the Nr.3 of all PP&RC sires. CFP-PP, a Drastic son out of Samara, is Nr.1 on the Australian PP list.



## WEIGELEINE FRAZZLED 2994-P GP-81 (2018)

*Select Sires, USA*

♀ **Weigeleine Earnhardt 2221-P VG-87**  
(Da-So-Burn MOM Earnhardt-P)



♀ **Weigeleine Montross 2543-P VG-85**  
(Bacon-Hill Montross)



♀ **Weigeleine Frazzled 2994-P GP-81**  
(Melarry Josuper Frazzled)

Weigeleine 2994-P, bred from the Converse Judys, is among the shining stars for polled breeding and is among the most important discoveries of the past year. The Frazzled daughter currently has four sons placed in the top-100 on the US polled list, including the Nr.4, Playoff-P, as well as the Nr.5 on the PP ranking, Bedrock-PP. His full brother Expert-PP also achieves a noteworthy 2569 gTPI while her Spartacus son Picasso-P places himself in the top-50 with 2708 gTPI.



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## WILDER HERZ-P VG-87 (2015)

*Wilder Holsteins, DE*

♀ **CCC Snowman Konny VG-85**  
(Flevo Genetics Snowman)



♀ **Wilder Hira VG-85**  
(Sandy-Valley Saloon)



♀ **Wilder Herz-P VG-87**  
(View-Home Powerball-P)

Since the success of her son Hotspot-P, Herz-P has been among the most important work horses for polled breeding. Second place in the vote for Global Cow 2021 is a testament to the respect that is due her. By now, Hotspot and his full brother Hansa have breeding values on a daughter-proven basis to show for themselves. With almost 600 milking daughters, Hotspot is among the top-40 while Hansa made an impressive debut in December at Nr.12. The qualifications of Herz-P have certainly been verified.



## WINSTAR MEDLEY 5490-P N.C. (2018)

*GenoSource, USA*

♀ **Cherry-Lor Outline Lime-PP EX-91**  
(Lirr Outline-P)



♀ **Triplecrown-JB BT 31197-P VG-85**  
(Syryczuk Silvr Blowtorch)



♀ **Winstar Medley 5490-P n.c.**  
(ABS Medley)

While Cherry-Lor Loma, who also qualified for this competition, provided highlights in the daughter-proven polled segment, her great niece Winstar 5490-P is the attraction on the genomic list. The Medley daughter, whose granddam is a half-sister to Loma, has two sons in the polled US top-15: Moorland, the Nr.2 for PP sires, and Timesquare, the Nr.12. Now her Captain son Lucious-P is also going into service. And he tests even higher.



## WINSTAR WINDFALL 4539-P EX-90 (2017)

*WinStar Genetics, USA*

♀ **MD-Valleyvue Nuno Kim-P-RC EX-90**  
(Amighetti Numero Uno)



♀ **Seagull-Bay Roxy-PP GP-83**  
(View-Home Powerball-P)



♀ **Winstar Windfall 4539 EX-90**  
(Butz-Hill Windfall 54771)

Nuno Kim, a 13th generation VG or EX from the Roxys, has shaped the polled scene for years. She herself was the female Nr.1, and with Avenger-P bred a male Nr.1 and with Roxy-PP bred a homozygous polled female Nr.1. She in turn is the dam of our candidate Winstar 4539, who has the current Nr.1, Mendel-P, and three other polled sons with over 2800 gTPI to her credit. Even so, Mendel-P alone is enough to collect points here. He is the superstar of the polled scene.