

TAILORMADE PEDIGREE for AIM TO PLEASE (FR)

AIM TO PLEASE (FR) (Bay filly 2013)	Sire: EXCELLENT ART (GB) (Bay/Brown 2004)	Pivotal (GB) (Chesnut 1993)	Polar Falcon (USA)
		Obsessive (USA) (Bay/Brown 1993)	Fearless Revival
	Dam: MIDNIGHT FLASH (IRE) (Chesnut 2008)	Anabaa Blue (GB) (Bay 1998)	Seeking The Gold (USA)
		Midnight Queen (GER) (Chesnut 2001)	Secret Obsession (USA)
			Anabaa (USA)
			Allez Les Trois (USA)
		Platini (GER)	
		Midnight Fever (IRE)	

5Sx6Sx5D Northern Dancer, 6Sx6D Nearctic, 6Sx6D Natalma, 6Dx4D Riverman (USA), 6Sx6D Nasrullah, 6Sx6D Prince John

Last 5 starts

15/08/2016	3rd	PRIX DE LIEUREY (Group 3)	Deauville	8f	£8,824
05/06/2016	3rd	PRIX DE SANDRINGHAM (Group 2)	Chantilly	8f	£10,037
15/05/2016	upl	POULE D'ESSAI DES POULICHES	Deauville	8f	
07/04/2016	5th	PRIX IMPRUDENCE (Group 3)	Maisons-Laffitte	7f	£2,941
17/03/2016	upl	PRIX RONDE DE NUIT (Listed Race)	Chantilly	6f 110y	

AIM TO PLEASE (FR), (FR 108), won 2 races (7f.) in France at 2 years, 2015 and £54,554 including Prix Francois Boutin, Deauville, **L.**, placed 3 times including third in Prix de Sandringham, Chantilly, **Gr.2** and Prix de Lieurey, Deauville, **Gr.3**, (Francois Doumen).

1st Dam

MIDNIGHT FLASH (IRE) (2008 f. by Anabaa Blue (GB)), €36,000 yearling Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2009 - F Doumen, €8,500 Arqana Deauville Autumn Mixed Sale 2011 - Vendor, unraced; dam of **1 winner**, 2 runners and 2 foals of racing age:

AIM TO PLEASE (FR), see above.

So Pleasing (FR) (2014 c. by Naaqos (GB)), ran 3 times in France at 2 years, 2016.

She also has a yearling filly by Whipper (USA) and has been covered by Al Kazeem (GB) (March 2016).

2nd Dam

MIDNIGHT QUEEN (GER) (2001 f. by Platini (GER)), 70,000 gns. yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings 2002 - Vendor, unraced; Own sister to **MOONLADY (GER)**; dam of **2 winners**, 4 runners and 6 foals of racing age:

Tip Toe (FR) (2007 c. by Footstepsinthesand (GB)), €70,000 yearling Arqana Deauville August Yearlings 2008 - F Doumen, €35,000 Arqana Saint Cloud 'Arc de Triomphe' Sale 2011 - Vendor, (FR 107), won 2 races in France at 2 and 4 years and £105,371, placed third in GP de Vichy-Auvergne Etapi du Defi Galop, Vichy, **Gr.3** and Prix de Guiche, Chantilly, **Gr.3**.

LAURA ANGELIQUE (FR) (2011 f. by Footstepsinthesand (GB)), €9,000 yearling Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2012 - D Albuquerque, €10,000 Arqana Saint-Cloud May 2yo Breeze Up 2013 - Vendor, (FR 76), won 2 races in France at 4 years, 2015 and £41,156 and placed 10 times.

Canopus (FR) (2012 c. by King's Best (USA)), €45,000 yearling Arqana Deauville October Yearlings 2013 - P Barbe, (FR 73), placed 9 times in France from 2 to 4 years, 2016 and £29,928.

3rd Dam

MIDNIGHT FEVER (IRE) (1991 f. by Sure Blade (USA)), unraced; dam of **5 winners**, 6 runners and 7 foals of racing age including:

MOONLADY (GER) (1997 f. by Platini (GER)), 3rd top rated 3yr old filly in Germany in 2000, Top rated 3yr old stayer in Germany in 2000, 180,000 gns. Tattersalls December Mares 2003 - Vendor, 280,000 gns. mare Tattersalls December Mares 2004 - France Pur Sang, 300,000 gns. mare Tattersalls December Mares 2006 - Shadai Farm, (110), won 6 races in Germany and U.S.A. including G.P. Casino Hohensyburg St Leger, Dortmund, **Gr.2**, Long Island Handicap, Aqueduct, **Gr.2**, P. der Stadtparkasse Hannover & VGH, Hannover, **Gr.3** and Deutscher Herold-Preis, Hamburg, **Gr.3**, placed second in Reluctant Guest Stakes, Arlington Inter, **L.**; dam of winners.

EISHIN FLASH (JPN) (2007 c. by King's Best (USA)), (121), 6 races in Japan including Tokyo Yushun (Derby), Tokyo, **Gr.1**, Tenno Sho (Autumn Emperor's Cup), Tokyo, **Gr.1**, Mainichi Okan, Tokyo, **Gr.2** and Keisei Hai, Nakayama, **Gr.3**, placed second in Arima Kinen, Nakayama, **Gr.1** and Tenno Sho (Spring Emperor's Cup), Kyoto, **Gr.1** and third in Tenno Sho (Autumn Emperor's Cup), Tokyo, **Gr.1**, Takarazuka Kinen, Hanshin, **Gr.1**, Audemars Piguet Queen Elizabeth II Cup, Sha Tin, **Gr.1** and Satsuki Sho (2000 Guineas), Nakayama, **Gr.1**.

DANON MOON (JPN) (2009 c. by Deep Impact (JPN)), 4 races in Japan at 2, 4 and 6 years, 2015 and placed 4 times.

MATSURIDA BACH (JPN) (2013 c. by Deep Impact (JPN)), 1 race in Japan at 2 years, 2015.

Mazai (IRE) (2005 f. by Fasliyev (USA)), €115,000 yearling Goffs Million Yearling Sale 2006 - Investment AB Rustningen, placed 3

times in Sweden; dam of **Major Typhoon (JPN)** (2013 f. by Daiwa Major (JPN)), 1 race in Japan at 2 years, 2015, placed second in Hakodate Nisai Stakes, Hakodate, **Gr.3**.

Marmorea (IRE) (2006 f. by Tiger Hill (IRE)), **€6,000 Arqana Deauville December Mixed 2008 - Gestut Auenquelle**, unraced; dam of **Mister Big Shuffle (GER)** (2010 c. by Big Shuffle (USA)), **20,000 gns. foal Tattersalls December Foals Sale 2010 - Vendor, €45,000 yearling Arqana Deauville August Yearlings 2011 - Meridian International, (GER 87)**, 3 races in Germany and Norway, placed third in Premio Chiusura, Milan, **Gr.3**.

Midnight Angel (GER) (1999 f. by Acatenango (GER)), **JT 4th top rated 3yr old filly in Germany in 2002, 500,000 gns. Tattersalls December Mares 2002 - Newsells Park Stud Ltd., (FR 108)**, **won** 2 races in Germany and U.S.A., placed second in Ostermann - Diana Deutsches Stuten Derby, Mulheim, **Gr.1** and third in Oaks d'Italia, Milan, **Gr.1**; dam of winners.

WEST WITH THE WIND (GB) (2005 g. by Fasliyev (USA)), **42,000 gns. yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Part 1) 2006 - T P Tate Ltd, £10,000 Doncaster October Yearlings and HIT 2009 - E Williams, (82)**, 2 races; also 2 races over hurdles and 7 races over fences including PricewaterhouseCoopers Chase, Limerick, **Gr.3**.

MIDNIGHT GAME (GB) (2007 g. by Montjeu (IRE)), **€450,000 yearling Arqana Deauville August Yearlings 2008 - Meridian Int., €185,000 Arqana Saint Cloud 'Arc de Triomphe' Sale 2010 - M O'Toole, £26,000 Doncaster September Sale 2014 - Brian Ellison Racing, £5,500 Doncaster November Yearlings and HIT Sale - Rennstall Recke GmbH, (IRE 102)**, 2 races in France, placed second in Derby du Languedoc, Toulouse, **L.** and Grand Prix Inter Regional des 3 Ans, Toulouse, **L.**; also 4 races over hurdles including Horse and Jockey Hotel Hurdle, Thurles, **L.**

New Year's Eve (GB) (2008 g. by Motivator (GB)), **120,000 gns. yearling Tattersalls October Yearlings (Book 1) 2009 - John Ferguson BS**, 2 N.H. Flat Races, placed second in Weatherbys Champion Bumper NH Flat Race, Cheltenham, **Gr.1**; also 3 races over hurdles.

A SHIN MAX (GB) (2010 c. by Dalakhani (IRE)), **€280,000 yearling Arqana Deauville August Yearlings 2011 - K K Eishondo**, 5 races in Japan to 6 years, 2016 and placed 5 times.

SCATTERED STARS (GB) (2013 f. by Dubawi (IRE)), **(79)**, 1 race at 3 years, 2016 and placed twice, all her starts.

4th Dam

MAJORITAT (GER) (1984 f. by Konigsstuhl (GER)), **Jt 4th top rated 2yr old filly in Germany in 1986, Champion 3yr old filly in Germany in 1987, (GER 96)**, **won** 6 races in West Germany at 2 and 3 years including Preis der Diana, Mulheim, **Gr.2**, ARAG Schwarzgold-Rennen (1000 Guineas), Dusseldorf, **Gr.2**, Preis des Casino Travemunde, Hamburg, **Gr.3** and Fruhjahrs Stuten Preis, Koln, **L.**, placed second in Grosser Amdahl Bayerisches Zuchtrennen, Munich, **Gr.2**, Furstenberg-Rennen, Baden-Baden, **Gr.3** and Preis der Winterkonigin, Mulheim, **L.**; dam of **8 winners**, 9 runners and 12 foals of racing age including:

MALINAS (GER) (2001 c. by Lomitas (GB)), **(112)**, **won** 2 races in Germany including Oppenheim Union-Rennen, Cologne, **Gr.2**, placed second in BMW Deutsches Derby, Hamburg, **Gr.1** and third in G. P. del Jockey Club e Coppa d'Oro, Milan, **Gr.1** and Rheinland-Pokal Stadtparkasse Kolnbonn, Cologne, **Gr.1** (twice); sire.

MASTER BLADE (GER) (1993 g. by Sure Blade (USA)), **(GER 88)**, **won** 2 races in Germany; also **won** 7 races over jumps in Czech Republic and France including Zlaty Pohar Paramo Chase, Pardubice, **L.**, placed second in Altes Badener Steeplechase, Baden-Baden, **L.**

Masterplayer (GER) (1992 c. by Alzao (USA)), **(110)**, **won** 2 races in Germany, placed third in BMW Deutsches Derby, Hamburg, **Gr.1**; sire.

Majority (IRE) (1990 c. by Dancing Brave (USA)), **(106)**, **won** 8 races at home and in U.A.E., placed third in Thresher Classic Trial Stakes, Sandown Park, **Gr.3**.

Major Lando (GER) (1997 g. by Lando (GER)), **(GER 94)**, **won** 1 race in Germany, placed second in Ittlingen Pokal, Hamburg, **L.**; also **won** 3 races over hurdles.

MAJI (GB) (1989 f. by Shareef Dancer (USA)), **(70)**, **won** 1 race and placed 6 times; dam of winners.

MENDOSINO (GER) (1999 g. by Acatenango (GER)), **(GER 93)**, 1 race in Germany, P. der Firma Jungheinrich Gabelstapler, Hannover, **L.**; also 4 races over hurdles.

MINACCIA (GER) (1995 f. by Platini (GER)), **(GER 87)**, 4 races in Germany including Preis des Gestuts Wiesenhof, Krefeld, **L.** and Meile der Nord, Hannover, **L.**, placed second in Grosser Stutenpreis der Dreijahrigten, Hoppegarten, **L.**; dam of **MACLEYA (GER)** (2002 f. by Winged Love (IRE)), **€46,000 Agence Francaise Deauville December Mixed 2005 - C De Moubray, (113)**, 7 races in France and Germany including Prix de Pomone, Deauville, **Gr.2** and Prix Allez France, Chantilly, **Gr.3**, placed second in Prix Royal-Oak-Principaute de Monaco, Longchamp, **Gr.1**, **MONTCLAIR (IRE)** (2010 c. by Montjeu (IRE)), **€340,000 yearling Arqana Deauville August Yearlings 2011 - D O'Byrne, (FR 110)**, 3 races in France and U.S.A. at 3, 4 and 6 years, 2016 including Prix de Barbeville, Longchamp, **Gr.3**, **Macassar (GB)** (2007 c. by Tertullian (USA)), **(FR 94)**, 2 races in France, placed second in Prix des Jouvenceaux et des Jouvencelles, Vichy, **L.**, **Mahnaz (GB)** (2009 f. by Dansili (GB)), **(FR 99)**, 2 races in France, placed second in Prix Belle de Nuit, Saint-Cloud, **L.**, **Miramare (GER)** (2004 f. by Rainbow Quest (USA)), **(100)**, 1 race in Germany second in intercasino.co.uk Dragonfly Stakes, Kempton Park, **L.**

MALINDA (GER) (1998 f. by Law Society (USA)), **(GER 85)**, 4 races in Germany including Dallmayr Prodomo Trophy, Munich, **L.**

MANDRELLA (GER) (1996 f. by Surumu (GER)), **(GER 55)**, 1 race in Germany and placed twice; dam of **MANINGREY (GER)** (2009 c. by Soldier Hollow (GB)), **(FR 101)**, 5 races in France and Germany including P. Fourrages T. Dutertre Point Du Jour, Craon, **L.**, placed third in P. BBAG Hengstparade Wurttemberg Trophy, Baden-Baden, **Gr.3**.

Moonchild (GER) (2001 f. by Acatenango (GER)), **€7,500 mare Goffs February Mixed Sale 2015 - M O'Toole**, placed once in Germany; dam of **HENRY HIGGINS (IRE)** (2010 g. by Jeremy (USA)), **44,000 gns. yearling Tattersalls October Yearling Sale (Book 2) 2011 - Vendor, (IRE 91)**, 2 races; also 2 races over hurdles at 4 and 6 years, 2016 including coral.ie Handicap Hurdle, Leopardstown, **Gr.2**, placed third in Knight Frank Juvenile Hurdle, Leopardstown, **Gr.2**, **(Charles O'Brien)**.

Majorata (GER) (1994 f. by Acatenango (GER)), ran once in Germany; dam of winners.

MYSTIC LIPS (GER) (2004 f. by Generous (IRE)), **€15,000 yearling Baden-Baden September Yearlings 2005 - A Lowe, (113)**, 1 race in Germany, Henkel Preis der Diana (Oaks), Dusseldorf, **Gr.1**, placed second in Akdov Stutenpreis (1000 Guineas), Dusseldorf, **Gr.2**

Marinas (GER) (2007 c. by Sholokhov (IRE)), **€85,000 yearling Baden-Baden September Yearlings 2008 - Stall SCU, (GER 63)**, 9 races over jumps in France to 9 years, 2016, placed second in Gran Premio Merano Chase, Merano, **Gr.1**.

MALANOS (IRE) (2008 g. by Lord of England (GER)), €28,000 yearling Baden-Baden September Yearlings 2009 - S A Roberts, 6,500 gns. Tattersalls Horses-in-Training Sale 2011 - B O'Ryan, (79), placed twice; also 3 races over hurdles and placed 10 times over fences at 8 years, 2016.

Majoretta (GER) (1999 f. by Alzao (USA)), €2,100 mare BBAG October Mixed Sale 2012 - Vendor, placed 3 times in Germany; dam of **Mon General (GER)** (2011 c. by Lord of England (GER)), €10,000 yearling Baden-Baden September Yearlings 2012 - M Hofer, (FR 68), 1 race in Germany; also 1 race over jumps in France, placed second in Prix Andre Massena Gde Crse 4yo Hurdle, Cagnes-Sur-Mer, L.

Mandoria (GER) (2013 f. by Adlerflug (GER)), placed once in Germany at 3 years, 2016.

Successful Cross Analysis - Group/Listed race performers

EXCELLENT ART (GB) bred to daughters of ANABAA BLUE (GB) has produced **AIM TO PLEASE (FR)** (2013 f. L.w FR, Gr.2p FR, Gr.3p FR)

Sire Reference - Race Record

EXCELLENT ART (GB) 2004 bay or brown by Pivotal (GB) out of Obsessive (USA) by Seeking The Gold (USA).
Top rated 3yr old miler in England and Ireland in 2007. Jt Champion 3yr old miler in Europe in 2007.
Won 4 races (5f.-8f.), at 2 and 3 years, £630,196 and placed 6 times.
Won St James's Palace Stakes, Ascot, **Gr.1**, (2007)
Won Dubai Duty Free Mill Reef Stakes, Newbury, **Gr.2**, (2006)
Won wbx.com National Stakes, Sandown Park, **L.**, (2006)
2nd Queen Elizabeth II Stakes, Ascot, **Gr.1**, (2007)
2nd BGC Sussex Stakes, Goodwood, **Gr.1**, (2007)
2nd NetJets Breeders' Cup Mile, Monmouth Park, **Gr.1**, (2007)
3rd Darley Prix Morny, Deauville, **Gr.1**, (2006)
3rd Anheuser Busch Parks Railway Stakes, Curragh, **Gr.2**, (2006)
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Sire Reference - Best Progeny

EXCELLENT ART (GB) is the sire of **UNDER THE LOUVRE (AUS)** (2010 c., dam by Noverre (USA), AAMI Stradbroke Handicap, **Gr.1**), **LADY LARA (IRE)** (2011 f., dam by Selkirk (USA), Honey Fox Stakes, **Gr.2**), **GRAPHIC (IRE)** (2009 g., dam by Night Shift (USA), Prix Messidor, **Gr.3**), **HAZEL LAVERY (IRE)** (2009 f., dam by Darshaan, Worthington's St Simon Stakes, **Gr.3**), **EXPERIENCE (IRE)** (2009 f., dam by Green Desert (USA), Grangecon Stud Balanchine Stakes, **Gr.3**), **DYNAMIC LIPS (IRE)** (2013 f., dam by Konigstiger (GER), Grosser Sparkassenpreis, Stadtparkasse, L.), **AIM TO PLEASE (FR)** (2013 f., dam by Anabaa Blue (GB), Prix Francois Boutin, L.), **ALART (AUS)** (2012 f., dam by Desert Sun (GB), Reginald Allen Handicap, L.), **ARTLEE (AUS)** (2010 g., dam by Danehill Dancer (IRE), Yarraman Park Luskin Star Stakes, L.), **EXCILLY (GB)** (2012 f., dam by Belong To Me (USA), British Stallion Studs Eternal Stakes, L.), **ARTWORK GENIE (IRE)** (2011 f., dam by Brief Truce (USA), Henkel Stutenpreis, L.), **ABSOLUT EXCELENCIA (AUS)** (2009 c., dam by Redoute's Choice (AUS), Gore Guineas, L.), **ARTISTIC JEWEL (IRE)** (2009 f., dam by Danehill (USA), betVictor.com EBF Cecil Frail Stakes, L., Highfield Farm EBF Flying Fillies Stakes, L., Dubawi EBF Bosra Sham Fillies' Stakes, L.), **LEHAAF (ARG)** (2009 g., dam by Danehill (USA), Thukela Handicap, L.), **TROPAIOS (GB)** (2009 g., dam by Quest For Fame, Prix Millkom, L., Longines Singapore Gold Cup, L.), **SPARKLING PORTRAIT (GB)** (2009 c., dam by Sadler's Wells (USA), Glasgow Stakes, L.), **NIMOHE (FR)** (2009 f., dam by Gilded Time (USA), Prix des Jouvenceaux et des Jouvencelles, L.)

S i r e S t a t i s t i c s
EXCELLENT ART (GB) Retired to Stud in 2008. 6 crops of racing age.

	Runners	Winners	% W/R	Races Won	Places	£
Lifetime Flat (Europe)*	361	209	57.9	478	1519	5,229,373
2016 2yos	0	0	0.0	0	0	0
2016 3yos	62	26	41.9	37	138	434,173
2016 4yos +	75	29	38.7	45	121	438,410
2015 2yos	36	10	27.8	13	67	223,008
2015 3yos	65	27	41.5	39	138	364,713
2015 4yos +	73	30	41.1	50	145	471,555

* Includes Great Britain, Ireland, France, Germany, Italy and Scandinavia. Lifetime runners figure may not be comprehensive for stallions with horses in training prior to 1997

	Runners	Winners	% W/R	Races Won	Places	£
Lifetime Jump*	51	10	19.6	14	40	136,875
2016/17 N.H. Flat	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
2016/17 Hurdles	9	2	22.2	2	3	14,894
2016/17 Chases	1	0	0.0	0	2	3,283

2016/17 Point-to-Points	1	0	0.0	0	1	0
2015/16 N.H. Flat	1	0	0.0	0	0	0
2015/16 Hurdles	11	2	18.2	2	10	14,236
2015/16 Chases	1	0	0.0	0	1	4,675
2015/16 Point-to-Point	0	0	0.0	0	0	0

* Includes Great Britain and Ireland.

Sire Reference - Sales Averages

2016

Older Horses Average: 9,677gns. Median: 5,252gns. Colts/Fillies Average: 6,316gns. / 16,400gns.

2015

Broodmare Average: 110,604gns. Median: 88,593gns.

Older Horses Average: 11,935gns. Median: 5,167gns. Colts/Fillies Average: 13,118gns. / 10,543gns.

2014

Yearling Average: 16,990gns. Median: 11,904gns. Colts/Fillies Average: 15,944gns. / 18,645gns.

Broodmare Average: 107,275gns. Median: 145,000gns.

Older Horses Average: 28,757gns. Median: 10,000gns. Colts/Fillies Average: 26,705gns. / 31,151gns.

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