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When I was twelve I loved to ride and my father bought me my first horse. Before I used to ride on donkeys, mules, etc. We went to the South of Spain and there I was breathless when I saw 11white mares, with small heads, huge eyes, tippy at least for me. I begged him for one of these and two weeks later she and my horse came to Majorca. Just a few months later we visited Spanish breeders to add some more Arabian mares for breeding. In those times, most of the Spanish breeders like D. Luis Ybarra, Domecq, Diego Méndez, used stallions from the Military depots all over Spain.

In 1969 we added 8 very nice mares to our program, one of them was the dam of Abha Hamir (Bambu x Garbi).

I have wonderful memories of the visits to the prominent Arabian farms, stallions were paraded in front of us while we enjoyed wonderful sherry, "jamon iberico" and discussed about each one of them; the special mares with their babies were presented in a very natural way under a pleasant sun, I simply loved it!!!.

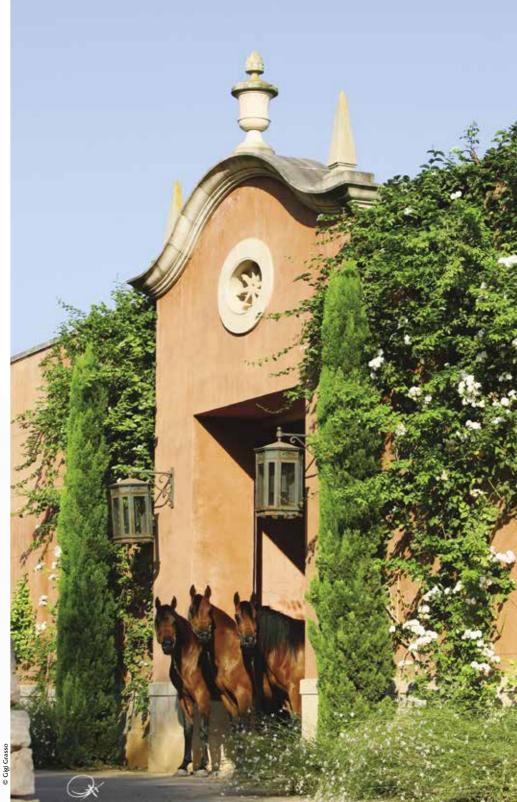
Back at the hotel my father and I continued the talk about which horses we liked the most and I went to sleep with great excitement.

In 1978 Abha Hamir Pure Spanish Bloodlines arrived to La Lomita Ranch in California, my husband had decided to purchase a wonderful property in San Luis Obispo and we sent several Arabian mares from Majorca. Abha Hamir shown by Bobby Hart Jr. at halter first and Gil Chavez under performance won 13 straight championships, became US Champion mare at halter, and US National Champion Driving Pleasure.

Attending shows and participating, I spent about five months in the US, I learn a lot about conformation, judging a horse and especially which traits of the Arabians I thought were very important to me.

I became a judge very young, judged in Australia, Switzerland, was asked to judge Scottsdale several times but I declined. I simply did not like to judge in front of an audience though I love to give my opinion about a horse if asked.





At the end of the 80's my son had to go to school in Spain, so I could not live in the US anymore. Coming back I received the farm Ses Planes as a gift. It was adjacent to my father's, Ses Rotes, I started my own breeding program founded on Abha Hamir daughters and their progeny.

La Movida Arabians (Austria) imported El Perfecto (Vallehermoso x Example) from Pure Spanish lines in 1990, he produced important progeny in Europe such as LM Sadunga European Champion and he was named best producing stallion of Austria for several years.

I had the chance to lease El Perfecto in 1996 and bought him a year later. He was a wonderful stallion who influenced my mares greatly. He added his wonderful black eyes, long neck, super body and legs. But the most important he transmitted to his sons and daughters was his magnificent charisma and movements. There was a before and after, with El Perfecto in my breeding program.

El Perfecto daughters were exported all over the world. In the meantime, I kept on loocking for stallions, and went to Haras Meia Lua and many other breeders in Brazil. I was not very lucky in my search. The last foal out of Abha Hamir was Abha Ghazali (El Perfecto x Abha Hamir) born in 1997 a wonderful filly, Spanish National Champion, who still lives and breeds at Ses Planes, she inherited the high qualities of her progenitors. She foaled a very special bay filly whom I named Abha Palma by Marwan Al Shaqab, who was later sold to Al Mohamadia (Saudi Arabia) and became Spanish National Champion, Reserve Junior Champion at Nations Cup, World Junior Champion in Paris, Reserve US National Champion in Las Vegas and Supreme Champion Junior Mare in Scottsdale.

Another Abha Hamir daughter which I especially like was Abha Zenobia (Abha Tabir x Abha Hamir), who is not with us anymore but her daughter by El Perfecto, Abha Karouan, is one of my preferred mares at Ses Planes.

Going back to El Perfecto progeny, I will only cite the more well-known daughters, Abha Gali out of Abha Zenobia was Reserve US and Scottsdale Champion, Abha La Luna out of Gual Alba was Junior and Senior National Champion of Italy and Top Five in Menton, Paris and Aachen. Abha Halili out of Cinca was, first prize yearling fillies in Austria and also Top Five in Paris and Aachen. Abha Raipur out of Abha Zenobia

was twice Scottsdale Champion mare, sold to Al Shahania. El Perfecto son, Abha Omani CM Faylla El Shaklan very similar to his sire, exceptional eyes and movements, several times Spanish National Champion sold to Yeguada García Ferrero was in 2016 sold to Redwood Lodge.

At my favorite show, The Nations Cup in Aachen, I came back from lunch with Don Diego Méndez, on a dark rainy day, people came to me and said we had missed a wonderful interesting presentation of a young colt from Al Shaqab Stables (Qatar), Marwan Al Shaqab. I was immediately taken by his charisma, elegance and overall class. I could not sleep well thinking about him and said in my mind, Marwan had to come to Ses Planes. I addressed a long letter to Sheik Hammad, about the benefits for such a young magnificent horse, to enjoy, freedom, sun and happiness in Majorca. A very important period for his physical and mental development.

I believe young horses should be educated, but also enjoy outdoors life and be a part of the day life at a working farm hearing birds singing, tractors noises, cars coming in, everything. Evidently it is more interesting than being in a stall 23 hours a day.

Marwan Al Shaqab arrived at Ses Planes early January 2002. He looked wonderful!!!.

Easy to be around, he was happy, no stress, no work but only enjoyment. I used to go to his paddock to play with a ball, he loved it, me too! Sheik Hammad only allowed me to breed eight of my mares, I tried to give him my best, he was only in Ses Planes for 6 months.

It is not easy to choose a stallion for your broodmares, love at first is of great importance to me, refinement, good morphology and character is relevant for me!. Lots of thinking in the future of his foals and lots of luck! Pedigree is not so important, for me, parents and grand-parents representing the most important Arabian qualities the bred are to be studied. But I first look at the horse.

8 foals by Marwan where born, Abha Myra out of ZT Ludjkalba, Abha Mudira out of Abha Fetiyeh, Abha Mesha out of Abha Excelsir, Abha Maharani out of Abha Ghazali was twice Spanish National Champion and exported to Mandara Equestrian Stud. All of these mares won international prizes. At present I still keep two Marwan Al Shaqab daughters,



Abha Rahiba out of Abha Fetiyeh and Abha Yiddah out of Abha Rahima.

His most prominent son was Abha Qatar out of ZT Ludjkalba. He was 4 months old when her dam died, very independent he became a magnificent yearling and was sold to Al Mohamadia. As a junior, he won The Nations Cup and European Championship in Verona. Also at the World Championship he won the Triple Crown in 2009, also Reserve World Champion in 2013 at the All Nations Cup in 2013, besides Silver Scottsdale's Champion and Reserve Champion Stallion Scottsdale.

I believe Abha Qatar is the best male bred at Ses Planes.

Khidar. I also saw Khidar (Ansata Sinan x Elizja) at the Nations Cup. I really liked him as a horse and appreciated his Spanish Egyptian bloodlines. I leased him for the 2004 breeding season. He was a special stallion, very kind, loved to be ridden. "I love stallions with great personalities, I get along well with them and it is a pleasure for me to observe and learn from their different behaviors".

Ses Planes has two beautiful mares from him Iseult Iseult out of Abha Jamaica and Abha Quartz out of Abha Hasini, who are wonderful breeders.

In my trips to Alfabia Arabians Italy, Gigi proposed to me a wonderful colt, Alfabia Damascus (WH Justice x April Carol), he came to Ses Planes as a two years old in 2006. I bred a few mares to him, the result was outstanding. I thought to myself I have a wonderful producer for at least 3 years! but unfortunately, he died a year later. I was really devastated! Till now I believe he was the best son from WH Justice.

His progeny was not extensive but I can name a few Abha Qalams out of Abha Fetiyeh sold to Al Shahania, was Junior Champion in the US National, US National Championship 2011 and Reserve World Champion mare in 2015. Abha Quaraish out of LM Perlamar, South Africa National Champion mare in 2010, among many other prizes, is the property of Elkassun Arabians. A few years later Alfabia Babilon (ZT Magnanimus x ZT Ludjelite) came to Ses Planes. A lovely young colt with a wonderful pedigree. He bred some very nice females. But his relevant son is Abha Zanzybar out of Iseult, Spanish National Champion as a yearling and Silver Medal with two years old during the last Spanish Championship 2017.

I also bred to Magic One, ZT Magnofantasy, WH Justice, Fadi Al Shaqab, RFI Farid, Alfabia Sheib, Jyar Meia Lua and kept several broodmares by Abha Qatar in my breeding program. Philip Looyens who I met at 16 years old, has been showing and winning with the most successful horses bred by me. Om El Amira Estopa (Sanadik El Saklan x Bint Estopa) came to Ses Planes as a result of a visit to Redwood Lodge in Belgium. She was in foal to WH Justice and from his cross Abha Opalina was born a very typey filly she won prizes like Reserve Junior Champion in Aachen 2007, Reserve Senior Champion in Elram Cup 2010 and Bronze Medal in Morsele (Belgium) in 2010, sold to Al Mohamadia and later on to Al Shahania. I keep two daughters out of OmEl Amira Estopa, Abha Palmyria by El Perfecto and Abha Unica by Abha Qatar.

This is an Index not the whole story of my breeding life! So I do not list all the Spanish National Champions, won by horses bred at Ses Planes.

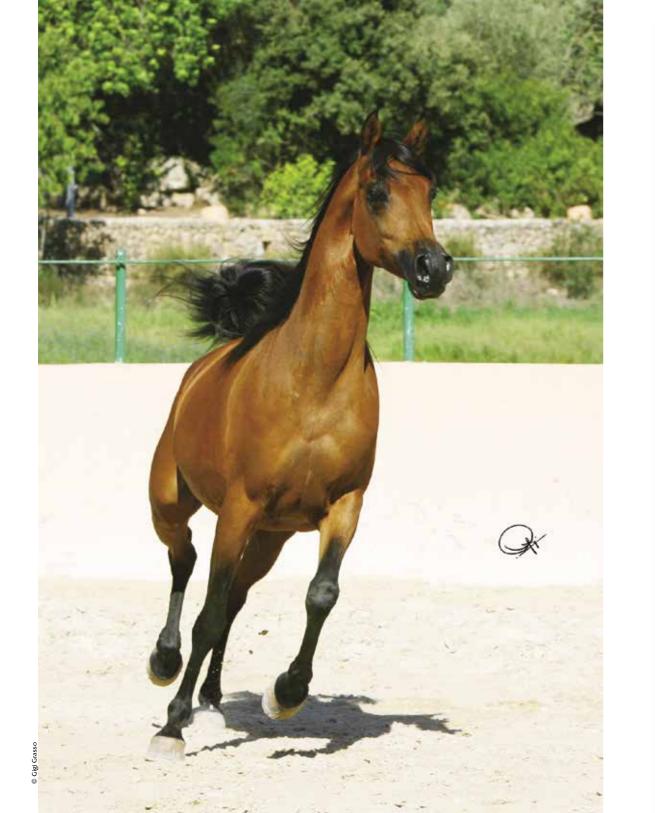
I love my mares, they have wonderful characters, are affectionate and, through selection I believe I have a beautiful group of them, with impeccable modern pedigrees.

In regards to behavior in my opinion it has a lot to do with the way the horses are brought up at Ses Planes, educated since very young, but also is very important to consider their needs!! At Ses Planes all the males are ridden since 3 years old, they love it!!!.

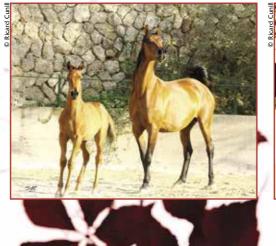
Through all these years I meet wonderful people who became great friends, we gather together a few times a year at each other's farms and enjoy the viewing of our horses and discussing about them.

Breeding is excitement, pleasure but also a great commitment as my friend Don Diego Mendez said "quality does not happen by change and breeding is much of a responsibility".

















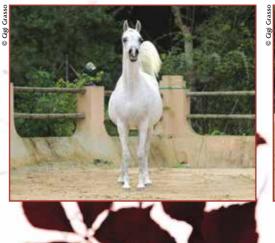








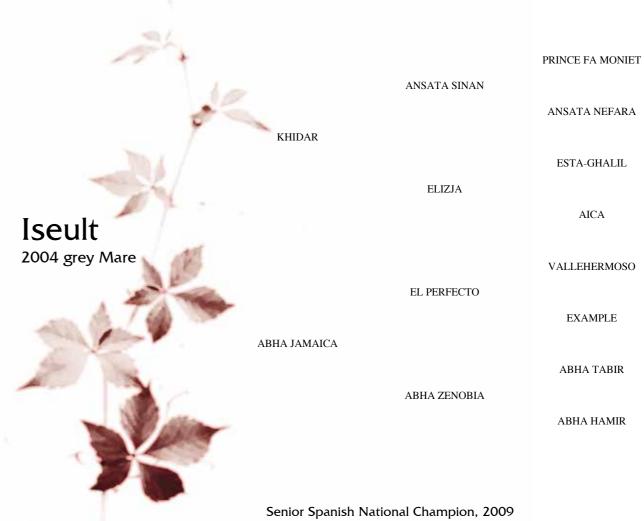




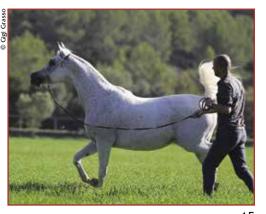












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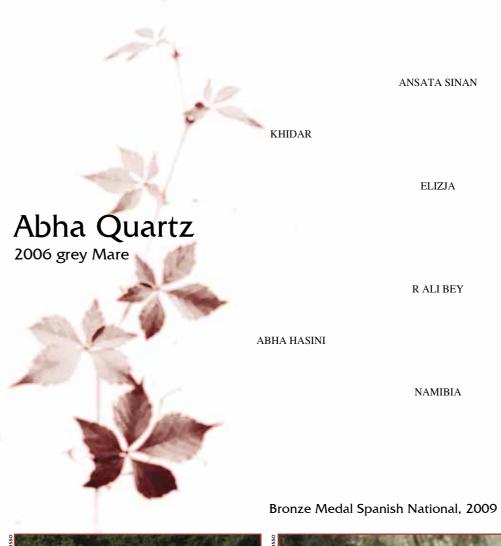
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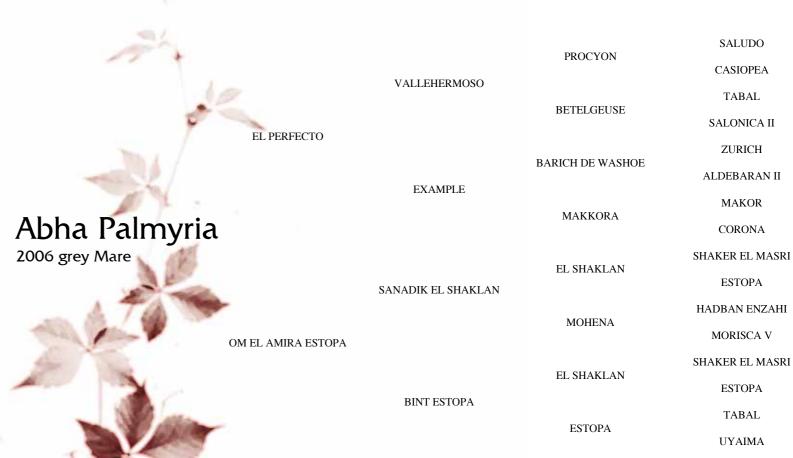


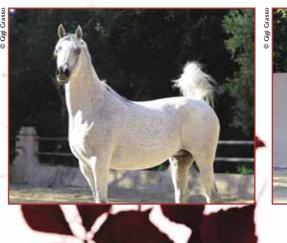
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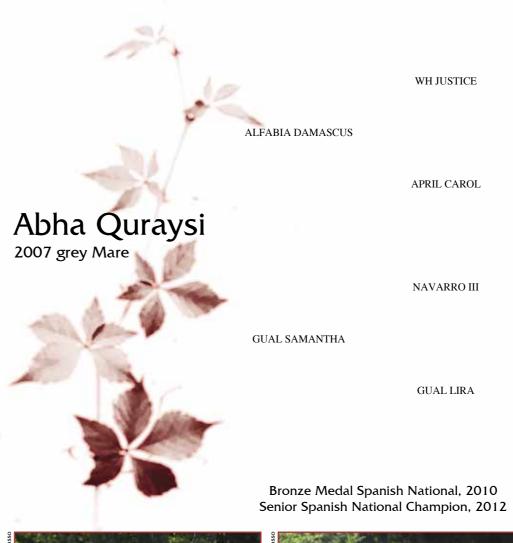




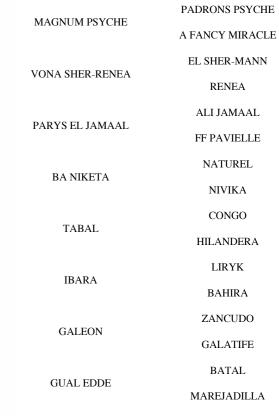






















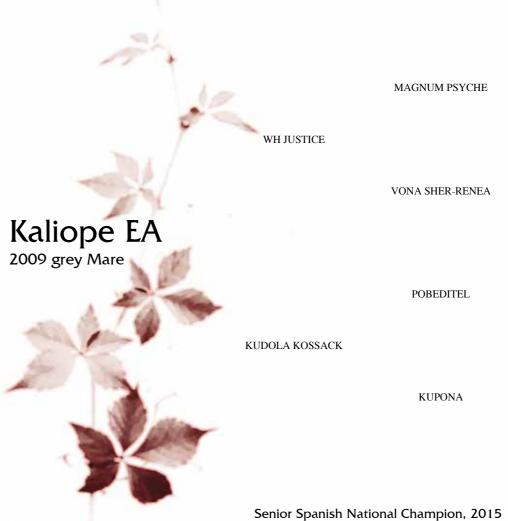


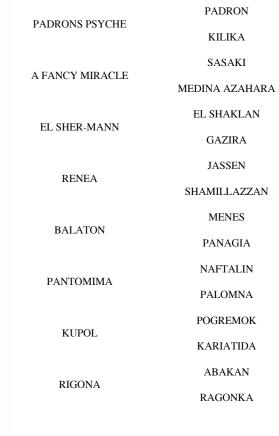


Junior Spanish National Champion, 2010 and Best Show Mover

















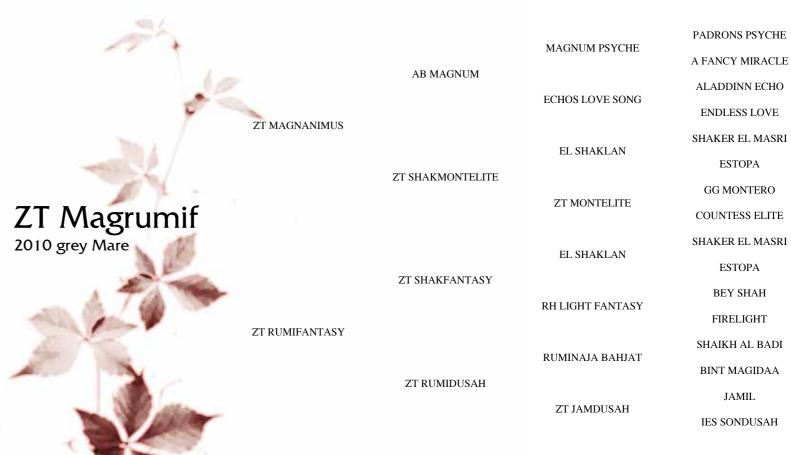


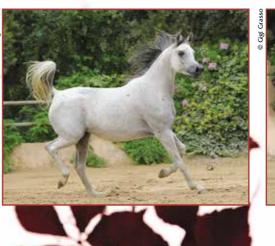




























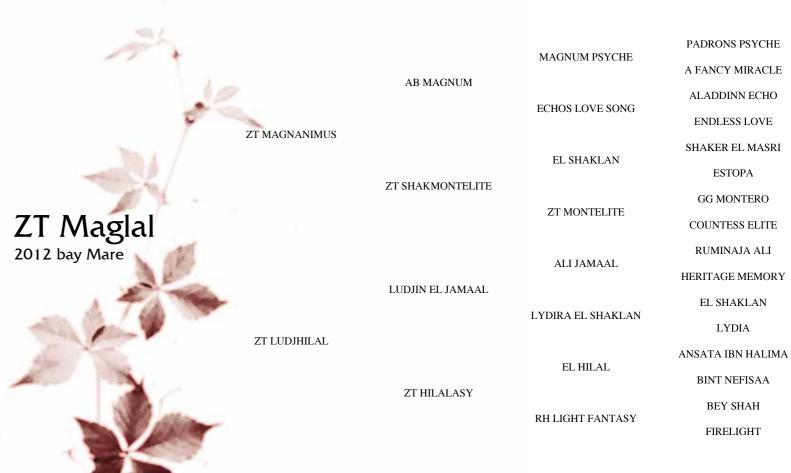




















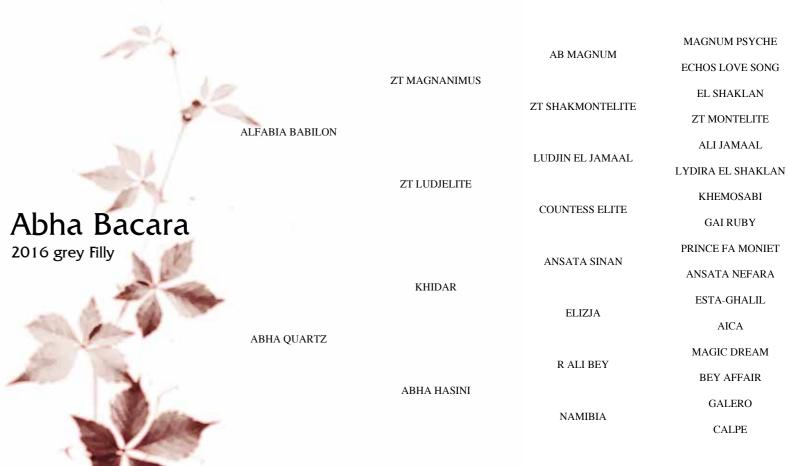










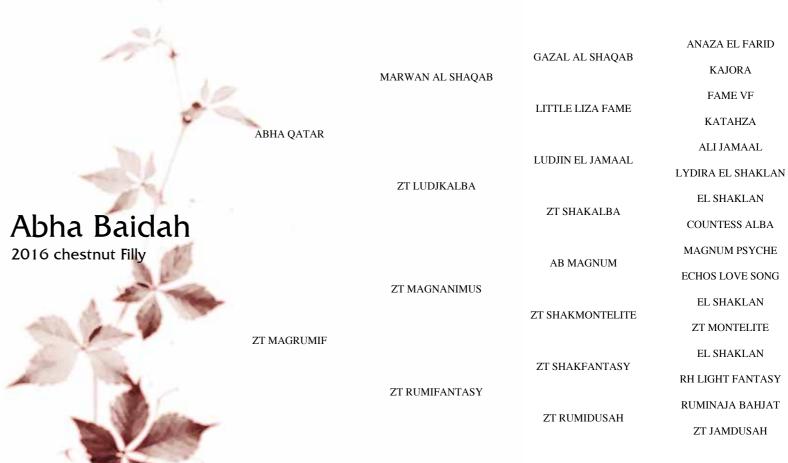




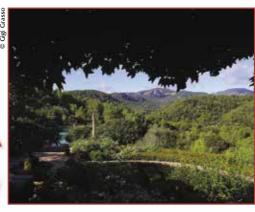








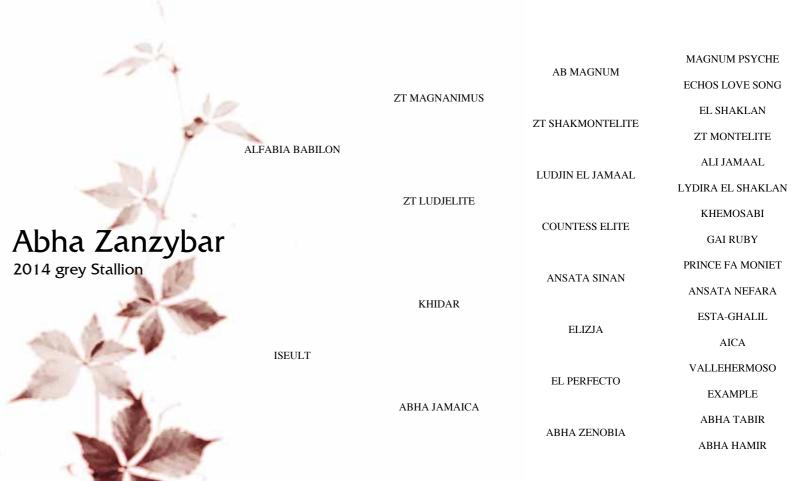




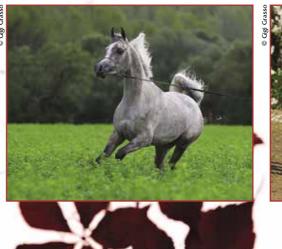
Reserve Spanish National Champion, 2017







Junior Spanish National Champion, 2015
Reserve Junior Spanish National Champion, 2017 and High score of the show



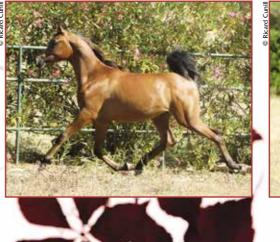








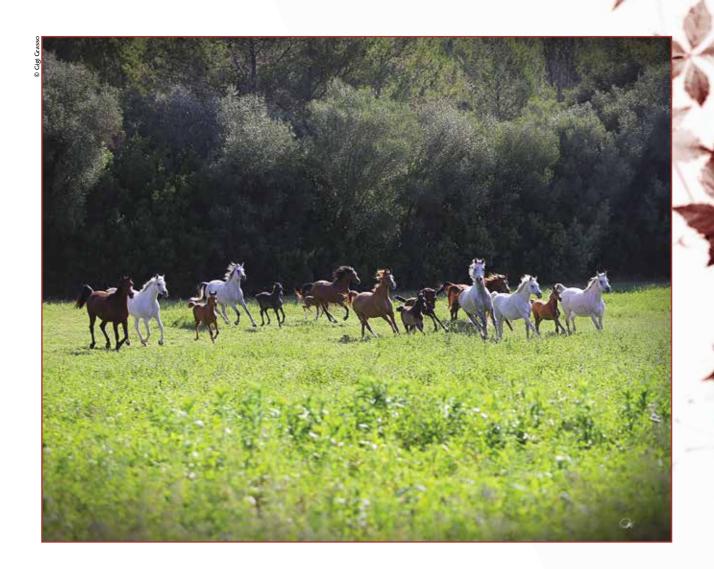
Reserve Yearling Spanish National Champion, 2017











El Perfecto 1988 bay Stallion

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MAQUILLO JACOBITA

MALVITO

CASIOPEA

TRANSJORDANIA CONGO

HILANDERA

KIRAK

TABAL

TETUAN

SALONICA II

MALVITO

BARICH DE WASHOE

PROCYON

BETELGEUSE

MAKKORA

EXTRANJERA MALVITO

ALDEBARAN II

ZURICH

HALCONERA GALERO

MAKOR

CHAVALI

CORONA

MAQUILLO

HABLADURIA

Deceased

VALLEHERMOSO

EXAMPLE





Reference Horses

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Owned by Al Shaqab - Member of Qatar Foundation - Qatar

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Abha Qatar

2007 chestnut Stallion



Owned by Al Mohamadiah - Kingdom of Saudi Arabia



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MARWAN AL SHAQAB

LITTLE LIZA FAME

Abha Peshawar
2006 grey Stallion

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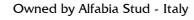




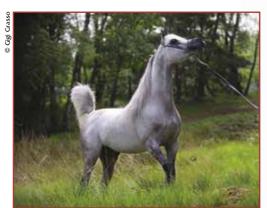


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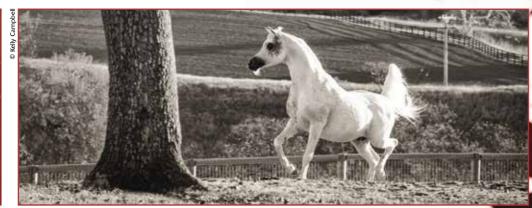


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