

## RACE RECORD

in USA, UK and France won 7 races, 1000-1200m,  
**Timeform 124**  
**European Champion Sprinter of 2004**  
**WON Gr1 Prix de l'Abbaye (1000m)**  
**(55 sec, fastest time ever by a colt)**  
 Starlit S. (L) (1200m)  
 2nd Gr3 Dubai Int. Trophy (1000m) beaten a nose

## SIRE LINE

**FOREST WILDCAT** - won 9 races (1100-1200m) in US, multiple Gr3, SW, Gr2 placed (TFR 120). Sire of Gr1 winners.

Notable progeny incl **Var** (99c - Zilzal, Key to the Kingdom); **Forest Secrets** (98f - Time For A Change, Tom Rolfe); **d'Wildcat** (98c - d'Accord, Believe It); **d'Wildcat Speed** (00f - Pentaquod, Great Above); **Snow Dance** (98f - Spectacular Bid, Northern Dancer); **Forest Heiress** (99f - Pentelicus, Distinctive); **Wild Snitch** (00f - Key To The Mint, Northern Prospect); **Madame Red** (98f - Sirlad, Grey Eagle); **Turner's Hall** (98f - Grey Dawn, First Balcony); **Diamond Wildcat** (02f - Quiet American, Lear Fan); **Hermiones Magic** (01f - Miswaki, In Reality); **Katy Kat** (98f - Fit To Fight, Key To The Kingdom); **Look Of The Lynx** (98f - Faraway Son, Never Bend); **Our Wildcat** (99c - Affirmed, Graustark); **Smile n Wildcat** (99c - Tejano, State Dinner); **Wauapaca** (00c - Cormorant, Torsion); **Wildcat Shoes** (01c - Phone Trick, Full Pocket); **Wild Jam** (01c - Cahill Road, Terresto); **Yankee Wildcat** (98c - Miswaki, Carnivalay); **Wild Gams** (03f - Quiet American, Lear Fan); **Fairly Wild** (01f - Woodman, Irish Stronghold); **Brownie Points** (03f - Forty Niner, Ack Ack);

**KIN-BREEDING:** Storm Cat, the sire of Forest Wildcat, is kinbred 4x4 Solar Display x First Rose. Forest Wildcat is kinbred 5x5x3 Solar Display x First Rose x Sherry Jen (Solar Display's daughter Shining Sun is 4x3 kin to Sherry Jen, First Rose' daughter Bolero Rose is 4x3 kin to Sherry Jen). Storm Cat's sire Storm Bird is 2x1 kin to Forest Wildcat's dam Victoria Beauty.

**Storm Bird line sires in South Africa:** Black Minnaloushe, Brave Tin Soldier, Mogok, Tiger Dance, Where's That Tiger (**Storm Cat**); **Var** (**Forest Wildcat**); **Variety Club** (**Var**); **Eightfold Path** (**Giant's Causeway**); **The Apache** (**Mogok**)

## PEDIGREE

Var is kinbred 2x2 Victoria's Beauty x Halley's Comeback (3x3 Abifaith x Promised Princess) and (3)4x4x3 (Terlingua) Secretariat x Bold Example x Key To The Kingdom.

**SUITABLE LINES** for Var may include Danzig/National Assembly; descendants of Dalmay (Sadler's Wells/Nureyev/Golden Thatch/Lorenzaccio); Sun Again (Dewan/Complete Warrior, Storm Bird, Sunny North); Goldkeeper; Ciboulette (Night Shift, Kentucky Slew); Tudor Melody (Welsh Pageant, Welsh Harmony); etc.

## SALES ANALYSIS

BORN	colt	avg	sold	SI	filly	avg	sold	SI
'06	268,333	12	1.49	241,538	13	1.16		
'07	288,750	28	1.64	140,250	20	1.67		
'08	213,158	19	1.18	239,630	27	1.58		
'09	178,077	26	0.88	140,526	19	0.87		
'10	333,636	33	1.22	193,462	13	1.18		
'11	484,706	17	1.54	317,353	17	1.29		
'12	570,400	25	2.33	476,286	35	1.59		
'13	585,625	32	1.29	413,281	32	1.30		

## STAMINA

highest distance of individual winners, 3yo & up  
 800/1399m 14/1600m 16/1999m 20/2399m 2400m+  
 73% 16% 10% 1% 0%

## NOTABLE PROGENY (\*SW)

58 Individual Stakes horses, 125 Stakes races, 6 Gr1 winners in 16 x Gr1w, incl Gr1 /Gr2 in UAE and HK

## Gr1 winners

\* **VARIETY CLUB** (08c - Secret Prospector, N. Guest; TFR 124) - Horse of the Year (x2), Champion 3yo, Champion Middle Dist (x2); Gr1w(x5), Gr2w(x4), Gr3w(x4), Gr1p(x2), Gr3p(x2), SP  
 \* **VIA AFRICA** (09f - Qui Danzig, Quick Turnover; MR120) - Champion Sprinter Gr1w(x3), Gr2w, SW(x2); Gr1p(x3), Gr2p

## STUD ANALYSIS

**Colts:** SSI 1.71 (stamina 1215m) 10% SW; 16% BType; **Fillies:** SSI 1.54 (stamina 1197m) 9% SW; 17% BType.

First season at stud 2005. **Champion First Season Sire 2009. Sire of 2 Champion Sprinters** (Via Africa 2014, Val de Ra 2011). **Horse of the Year** (Variety Club 2012 & 2013). **International Gr1 winner**

colt				filly				colt				filly			
born	foals	rnr	w/r%	born	foals	rnr	w/r%	born	foals	rnr	w/r%	born	foals	rnr	w/r%
'06	16	16	14 88%	4	25%	6	38%	47	1.87	87	1180m	'06	23	22	16 73%
'07	41	37	30 81%	1	3%	3	8%	71	1.26	74	1314m	'07	27	25	23 92%
'08	29	26	22 85%	2	8%	3	12%	66	2.01	78	1271m	'08	32	28	21 75%
'09	41	37	29 78%	5	14%	10	27%	114	1.60	81	1223m	'09	30	29	23 79%
'10	42	39	29 74%	2	5%	2	5%	62	1.26	71	1256m	'10	27	23	16 70%
'11	19	16	12 75%	1	6%	2	13%	24	1.64	77	1192m	'11	22	20	13 65%
'12	28	15	9 60%	3	20%	4	27%	14	2.32	72	1069m	'12	46	16	5 31%

Forest Wildcat (USA) 1991	Storm Cat 1983	Storm Bird	NORTHERN DANCER - Nearctic
	Victoria Beauty 1972	Terlingua	South Ocean - New Providence
Loma Preata (USA) 1994	Zilzal 1986	Bold Native	Secretariat - BOLD RULER
	Halley's Comeback 1991	Abifaith	Crimson Saint - Crimson Satan
		Nureyev	Raise A Native - Native Dancer
		French Charmer	Spring Beauty - Sir Gallahad
		Key To The Kingdom	Seaneen - Royal Charger
		Promised Princess	Sherry Jen - Sun Again
			NORTHERN DANCER - Nearctic
			Special - Forli
			Le Fabuleux - Wild Risk
			Bold Example - Bold Lad
			BOLD RULER - Nasrullah
			Key Bridge - Princequillo
			Promised Land - Palestinian
			Crafty Princess - Crafty Admiral

\* **CONTADOR** (09c - Fort Wood, Roland Gardens; MR 113) - Gr1w, Gr2w, Gr1/2/3p  
 \* **VAL DE RA** (06f - Elliodor, Tilden; MR 113) - **Champion Sprinter**; Gr1w(x3), Gr2w, SW(2), Gr1p  
 \* **VILLANDRY** (06c - Complete Warrior, Capture Him; MR 108) - Gr1w, Gr3w, SW, Gr2p  
 \* **NORMANZ** (10c - American Chance, Roy; MR 107) - Gr3w, SW  
 \* **AUGUST RUSH** (06c - Huntingdale, Sparkler; MR 106) - Gr1w, Gr1p, Gr3p, SP  
**Gr1 placed**  
 \* **PRINCESS OF LIGHT** (07f - Foveros, Mariache; MR 104) - Gr2w, Gr3w, Gr2p(x2), SP  
 \* **SCHIFFER** (09f - Jallad, Argosy; MR 104) - Gr1p, SW  
 \* **VALDIVIA** (09f - Irish River, The Minstrel; MR 96) - Gr3w, Gr1p, Gr3p, SP  
**Valetta** (06f - Goldmark, Truely Nureyev; MR 96) - Gr1p

**Gr2/Gr3 winners**  
 \* **HAPPY FOREVER** (08c - National Assembly, Pompeii Court; MR 108) - Gr2p, SP  
 \* **MISS OCTOBER** (08f - Huntingdale, Sparkler; MR 107) - Gr3w, Gr2/3p, SP(x2)  
 \* **VACHERIN** (06c - G.Thatch, Fluorescent Light; MR 106) - Gr2p  
 \* **DOLLAR DAZZLER** (10c - Joshua Dancer, Dancing Champ; MR 103) - Gr2w, Gr3p  
 \* **TWITTER** (09c - Confidential Talk, Storm Bird; MR 97) - Gr3w  
 \* **HARRY LIME** (11c - Alami, Jallad; MR 100) - Gr2w  
 \* **VARIKATE** (09f - Modern Day, Bdgger Land; MR 96) - Gr2w, Gr3p, SP  
 \* **BOLTING CAT** (07c - Model Man, G.Fandango; MR 61) - Gr2w (Mau)

**Gr2/Gr3 placed**  
**Valberg** (09c - Western Winter, Model Man; MR 113) - Gr3p, SP  
**Bois De Var** (06c - Dancing Champ, H Hotspur; MR 105) - Gr3p, SP  
**Censored** (09c - Among Men, Waterville Lake; MR 104) - Gr3p  
 \* **SABADELL** (09c - Badger Land, Golden Thatch; MR 103) - SW, Gr2/3p  
**Solarium** (08f - Cure The Blues, Golden Fleece; MR 98) - Gr2/3p  
**Bastille Day** (07c - Zabeel, Balmerino; MR 96) - Gr2p  
**Lady Var** (08f - West Man, Persian Wonder; MR 95) - Gr2p, SP  
 \* **LE VAR** (09c - Western Winter, Model Man; MR 91) - SW, Gr3p  
**Wounded Knee** (09f - Al Mufti, Savonarola; MR 81) - Gr3p  
**Mastermind** (11c - Jallad, Argosy) - Gr2p  
**Varumba** (12f - Pure Prize, Miswaki) - Gr2p (x2) at 2  
**Western Storm** (12c - Western Winter, Nat. Assembly) - G3p at 2

**SP/SW & over MR90**  
**Casual Var** (09c - Al Mufti, Golden Thatch; MR 106) - SP  
**Gogotline** (09c - Among Men, Waterville Lake; MR 104)  
 \* **LOCHLORIE** (06c - Badger Land, Al Mufti; MR 103) - SW  
 \* **VARIOMETER** (08f - Hennessy, Acecay; MR 103) - SW(x3), SP(x2)  
**Garibondy** (10f - Jallad, Elliodor; MR 103) - SP  
**Hidden Rave** (06c - Fard, Averof; MR 102) - SP  
 \* **VAUCLAIR** (09c - Elliodor, Roland Gardens; MR 102) - SW  
 \* **ESTEREL** (06f - Zoffany, Welsh Pageant; MR 101) - SW  
**Racontere** (09c - Western Winter, All Fired Up; MR 101)  
**De Var Hyt** (09c - Fine Edge, Sun Monarch; MR 100) - SP  
**Bandol** (06c - National Assembly, Golden Thatch; MR 99)  
 \* **LA VOLTA** (08f - Goldmark, Truely Nureyev; MR 98) - SW, SP(x2)  
 \* **WISHFUL EYE** (07f - Linney Head, Bright Future; MR 98) - SW, SP  
**Valor** (07c - Hobnob, Royal Wink; MR 96)  
**Varushka** (07f - Elliodor, Divine King; MR 96)  
**Lord Jonathan** (09c - Eli's Star, St Cuthbert; MR 95) - SW(x2)  
 \* **SEA CAT** (10f - Hansel, Alydar; MR 95) - SW(x2)  
**Viva La Var** (10c - National Assembly, Harry Hotspur; MR 95)

**Effective Power** (07c - Sportsworld, Elliodor; MR 94)  
**Forest Panther** (10c - Sadler's Wells, Lyphor; MR 94)  
**Sagetator** (10c - Northern Guest, Model Man; MR 94)  
**Timeofreckoning** (07c - Fine Edge, Caliban; MR 94)  
 \* **SHE'S A PIPPA** (10f - Jet Master, Concertino; MR 93) - SW  
**Caviar** (09f - Jallad, Politician; MR 93)  
**Varoma** (08c - Joshua Dancer, Model Man; MR 93)  
 \* **WINTER PASSION** (10f - W.Winter, Model Man; MR 92) - SW  
**Jungle Jim** (07c - National Assembly, Jungle Cove; MR 92) - SP  
**Mesmerize** (09c - Ginistrelli, Folmar; MR 92)  
**Mighty Var** (10c - West Man, Golden Thatch; MR 92)  
**Vivalda** (09f - Krusenstern, Northfields; MR 92) - SP  
**Saint Angelique** (10f - Comic Blush, Peacetime; MR 91)  
**Cherry Tripper** (09f - Kabool, Sadler's Wells; MR 91)  
**Kitco** (10f - Centaine, Sir Tristram; MR 90)  
**Maties Wildekot** (10f - Royal Academy, Machiavellian; MR80) - SP  
 \* **ISCA** (12c - Impression, Combe) - SW at 2  
 \* **JUAN TWO THREE** (12c - Counter Action, Harry Hotspur) - SW at 2  
 \* **TAR HEEL** (12c - Kabool, Comedy Star) - SW at 2

## FEMALE LINE

**1st dam**  
**Loma Preata** (94f, Zilzal) - 2 wins in France, 2nd Gr Criterium de Bordeaux; dam of (only foal)  
**VAR** (99c, Forest Wildcat) - subject stallion

**2nd dam**  
**Halley's Comeback** (84f, Key To The Kingdom) - 3 wins in US; dam of

**DIXIE BAND** (90f, Dixieland Band) - 5 wins in US, SW, multiple SP; dam of  
**Dance For Dixie** (97f, Unaccounted For) - 5 wins in US, SP; dam of  
**SUMMER DOLDRUMS** (04c, Street Cry) - 6 wins in US, Gr3 Colonial Turf Cup  
**CIELO GIRL** (99f, Conquistador Cielo) - 11 wins in US, multiple SW, SP; dam of  
**BOND HOLDER** (11c, Mineshaft) - won Gr1 Frontrunner S; 4th Gr1 BC Juvenile (TFR 111)  
**Carson Kitty** (92f, Carson City) - 3 wins in US; dam of  
**HALO CAT** (98c, Southern Halo) - 14 wins in US, multiple SW, Gr3 2nd, SP  
**Joyce Ann** (99f, Pine Bluff) - 6 wins in US, SP  
**Loma Preata** (94f, Zilzal) - 2 wins in see above

**3rd dam**  
**Promised Princess** (71f, Promised Land) - won US; dam of  
**Bonnie Blade** (76f, Blade) - won in US; dam of  
**BULLET BLADE** (83c, Amber Pass) - 7 wins in US, multiple SW, 3rd Gr1 Hopeful S., G2/3 placed  
**Fifteen Gold Stars** (87c, Amber Pass) - 2 wins in US, multiple SP

**Wild Princess** (90f, Wild Again) - won in UK; dam of  
**WILD SPIRIT** (99f, Hussonet) - 9 wins; Horse of the Year, Champion 3yo Filly in Chile, Gr1/2 win US & Chile, Gr1/2 placed in US & Chile  
**SINGH TU** (79c, Singh) - 5 wins US, Gr3; Gr2/3 placed, **R.B. McCurry** (85c, Secretariat) - 2 wins in US, SP  
**GRAU MADCHEN** (86f, Icecapade) - 12 wins in US, multiple SW, SP; dam of  
**Grau Frau** (94f, Quiet American) - 4 wins in US, SP  
**Promised Proper** (91f, Proper Reality) - dam of  
**Marked For Promise** (98f, Marked Tree) - 10 wins in US, multiple SP



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