

BEEF BREEDS IN NEW ZEALAND



ANGUS

Originates from Scotland
Can be both black and red in colour
Do well on all types of country
Naturally polled



AUBRAC

Originates from France
Dual purpose, but mostly bred for beef
Ease of calving



BELGIAN BLUE

Originates from Belgium
Ranges from white to black in colour
Double muscling



BLONDE D'AQUITANE

Originates from France
Colours range from blonde to dark tan
Bred for their docile nature



CHAROLAIS

Originates from France
Colours range from white to red
Fast growth rates
High yielding



DEXTER

Originates from Ireland
Small breed with bulls only weighing ~450kg
Milk has a high butterfat content
Dual purpose breed



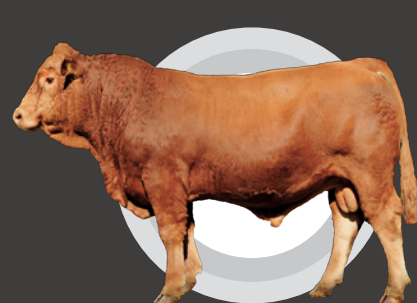
BELTED GALLOWAY

Originates from Scotland
Long hair suitable for tough, cold conditions
Naturally polled



BRAHMAN

Originates from India
Tropical breed—tolerates heat
Parasite resistant
High yielding



GELBIEH

Originates from Germany
Ranges from yellow to black
Lean



HEREFORD

Originates from England
Do well on all types of country



HIGHLAND

Originates from Scotland
Long horned with long coats—tolerates cold
Ranges from brindle to dun in colour
Very old breed



HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN

Originates from the Netherlands
Dairy cattle for manufacturing beef production
Come in black/white and red/white



LIMOUSIN

Originates from France
High yielding
Lean meat



LOWLINE

Originates from Australia
Small breed, bulls weighing only ~600kg
Naturally polled



MURRAY GREY

Originates from Australia
Comes in various shades of grey
Naturally polled



PIEDMONTESE

Originates from Italy
Double muscling



RED DEVON

Originates from England
Displays ease of calving
Docile



RED POLL

Originates from England
Good milking ability
Dual purpose
Naturally polled



SALERS

Originates from France
Milk is great for cheese
Thick red or thick black coat



SANTA GERTRUDIS

Originates from America
Tropical breed—tolerates heat
Tick and bloat resistant



SHORTHORN

Originates from England
Come in red, white or roan
Good milking ability
Dual purpose



SIMMENTAL

Originates from Switzerland
Good milking ability
Rapid growth rate
High yielding



SOUTH DEVON

Originates from England
Early maturing
Very docile



SPECKLE PARK

Originates from Canada
Do well on all types of country
Naturally polled



WAGYU

Originates from Japan
High quality marbled meat
Small framed
Horned



WELSH BLACK

Originates from Wales
Traditionally milk and beef
Ideal for rough pastures
Mostly black, some red