

The Mangalarga Matchador is a breed, which originates in Brazil, but descends directly from fberian stock. This gaited home is known and beed for its smooth step - the marcha - and is the National Horse of Brazil. It has a partle temperament, intelligence, stamins and a condomable ride,

History

In 1807 Napoleon invaded Portugal, forcing Portugal's Royal Family to flee to the Portuguese colony of Brazil. They took their best homes with them, Andalusians form the Royal Alter Stud. In 2813 Prince Pedro L gave a young stallion named "Sublime" to the Baron of Aldenas, owner of the breeding farm, Campo Alegre. The stallion was beed to local gated mutes of Spanish Jounet and Barb blood and produced offspring with a smooth rhythmic galt.

The borses, all descendents of therian imported stack, were selectively heed in Brazil for over 180 trans. In 1949, the first broad association was formed in Brazil to promote the breed, the ABCCMM.

Inspections

In Brucil, all Marchador horses must undergo an inspection by the ABCCMM broad judges to be approved for permanent registration and breeding, a process similar to PRE and warmbloods.

The U.S. Mangalarga Marchador Association, is dedicated to ensintaining the broad's purity and high standank. They levised the ABCCMM's impactors to travel the U.S. to impact the U.S. Marchadors. Horses must be three years old and are inspected for conformation, gait and temperament. Approved horses are branded with the horseshoe M brand of the ABCCMM.

Breed Description

The Mangalarga Marchador mends between 14.2 and 16 hands,

overaging 15 hands and weigh between 650 and 1100 pounds. Gray is prominent, flut electrum, blacks, buys buckskins, patominos and pinto horses may also be found. A versatile, sure-footed home with plenty of cow sense as well as staming, this broad holds the Guinness book of World Records Endarance Ride of 8,694 miles in 1994.

Gaits

The Mangalarga Marchador's two special gain are "matthe picade" and 'matche builde". Both are four heat gain and provide moments of triple boof support. The picada is a lateral gait and the butida is diagonal. Personal preference and riding termin determine which one is better. The Marchadors all possess a won-

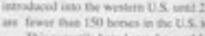
derful canter. which does not disturb their natural muchs.

In the US

Although the Marchador brood numbers over 200,000 in Brazil, this brood was not







This versatile broad may be used for of riding and competition from sunch cutting and working cuttle to fox hundin dressage, mounted shooting and trail rid of its emygoing miture, it is a perfebeginning riders or aging riders who s and exjoy their mount.

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ít would gallop back

to the sky,









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