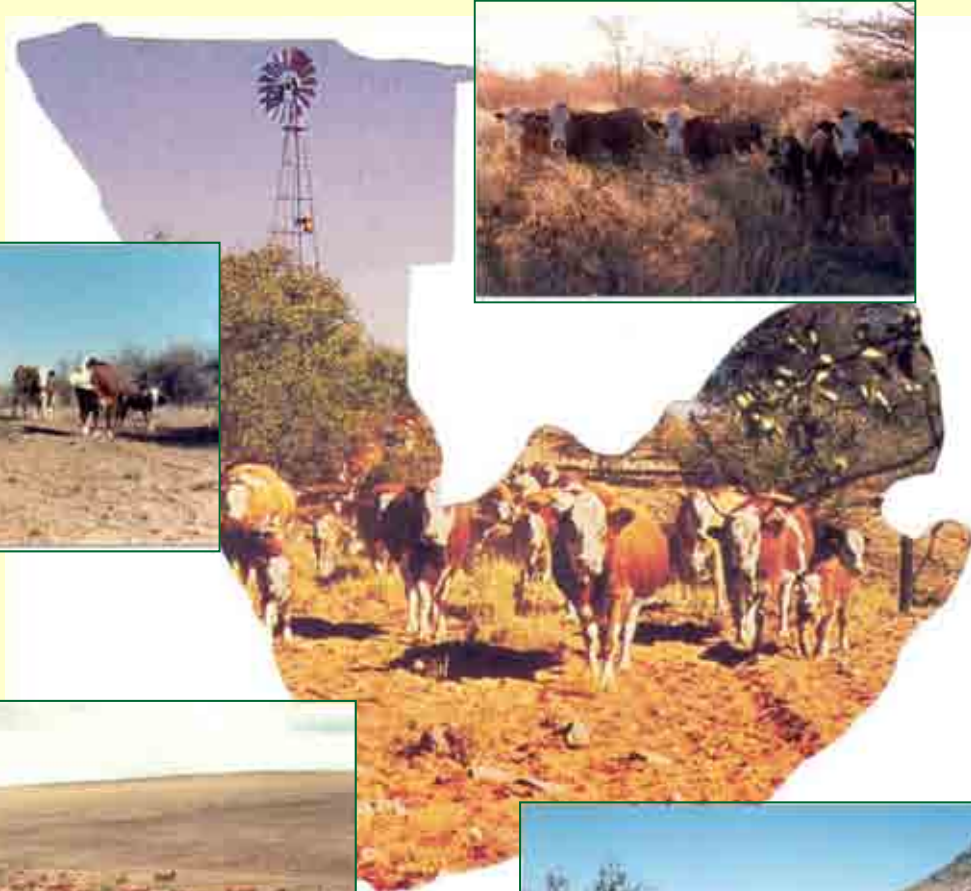




Very diverse breeding area

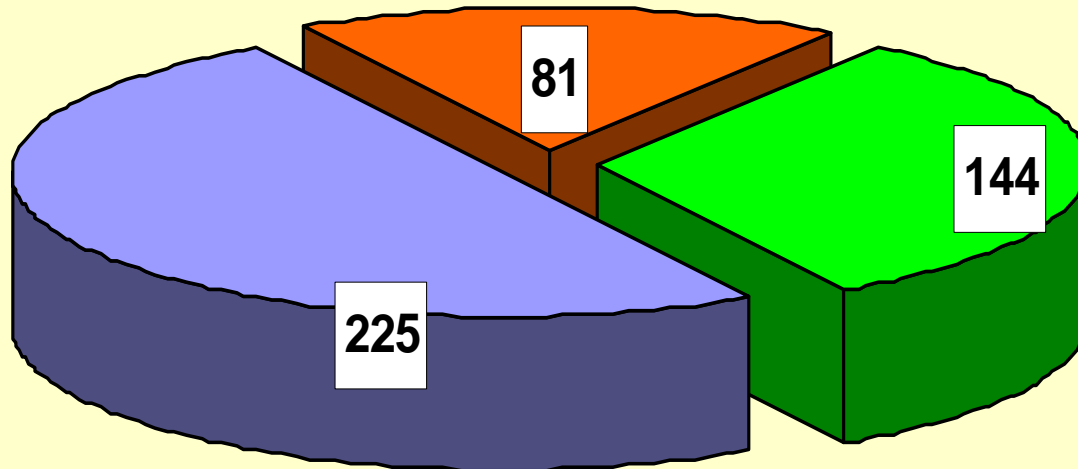




We handle 531 studs with 87 000 animals

NUMBER OF BREEDERS - July 2012

■ Only SIMMENTALER ■ Both BREEDS ■ Only SIMBRA



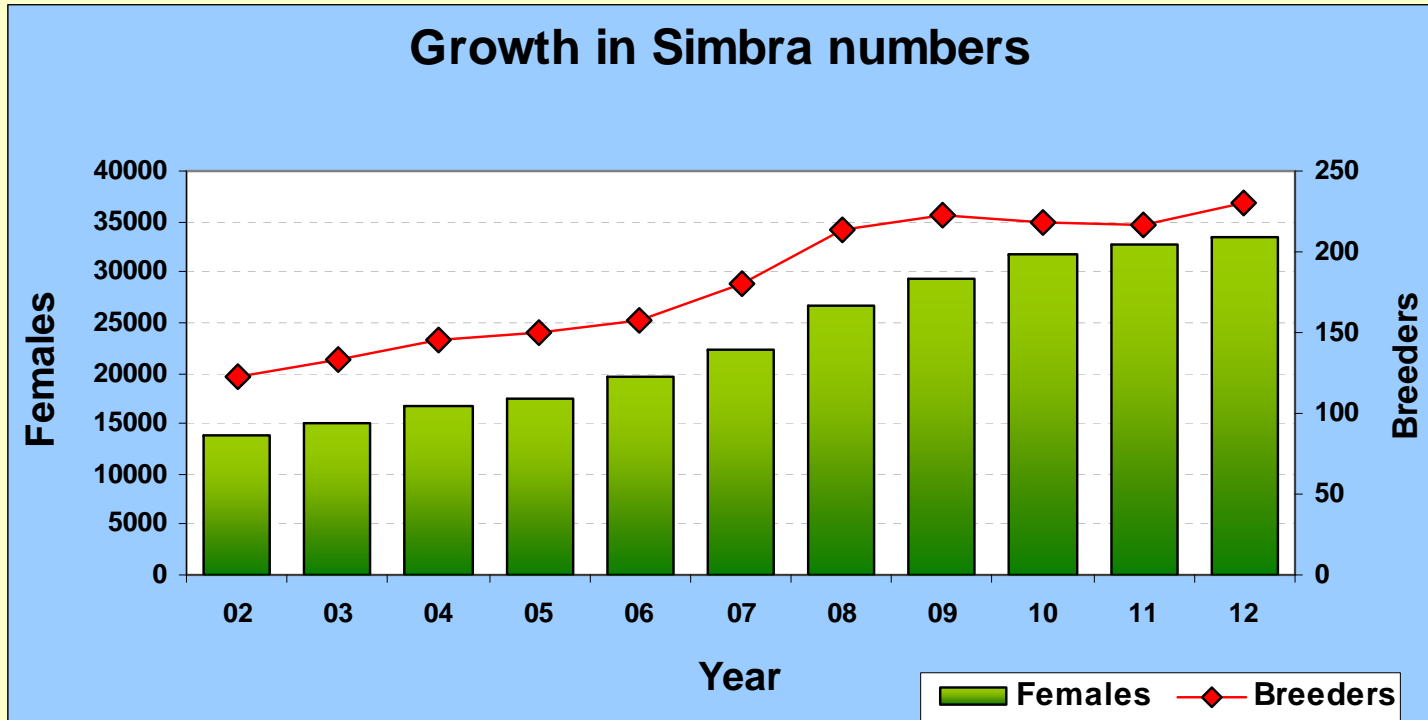


Simbra



END

The fastest growing breed in Southern Africa





Our Simbra's





Simmentaler

Performance compared to the 17 most popular breeds*

* = More than 2500 tested females

Source : *Beef Breeding in SA*





Nr 1 ... Reproduction (Simdex)

Nr 1 ... Weaning weight

Nr 1 ... Yearling weight

Nr 1 ... Feedlot growth (Intensive)

Nr 1 ... Carcase Champion

(60% last 19 Nasional Championships are Sim-crosses)



Main reasons for success



1. Industry leaders



**1 st country
outside
Europe to breed
Simmental**



**1 st with a Blup
class at all shows
(50% 50%)**



**For 21 years
Association runs
own AI scheme**



**30 years reproduction
in the showring - Simdex**

**Already
presented 3 World
Simmental
Conferences**





2. Pioneer breeders in Namibia changed cattle to suite environment and not environment to suite cattle





From the beginning we chose Fleckvieh from Germany/Austria. The 2 most important Fleckvieh founder bulls (blood analysis of our population).



BENZ



METRO

And a few others from yesteryear.....

END



HONIG



BAUTZ



BERNHEIM



HEKTUS



Change in SA type



The modern Simmentaler







Thank you for your time