

# THE BAZADAISE BREED



EXCELLENCE  
BAZADAISE



## FROM BAZAS TO THE REST OF THE WORLD

The Bazadaise Breed is exported far beyond its native country. Nowadays we can find it in Belgium, Australia, Switzerland, South America, England and Spain.



## An exceptional level of production :

### Breeding qualities

#### Mothering qualities

- ✓ Excellent **mothering instincts**
- ✓ Great **calving ability** due to a wide pelvis and a rather low weight of the new born calves. (35 to 42 kg)



#### Rustic characteristics

- ✓ Adapts to all kinds of soil
- ✓ Can feed on very low quality forage
- ✓ Needs little attention
- ✓ Adapts to both drought and cold climates



### Butchery qualities

- ✓ An excellent bone composition and a slender skeleton frame results in a high yielding carcass
- ✓ Good growth rate
- ✓ Very fine meat grain, excellent taste



*And above all : "Cattle for meat production easy to breed!"*



Bazadaise x Brahman (Australia)



Bazadaise x Red Angus (Chile)



**CROSSING :** Overseas, the Bazadaise is mainly used for crossing. In England, they are crossed with dairy cattle, it's calving ability and the fast growth rate of heifers and calves make it a good breed for this kind of crossing.

It's excellent adjustment in mountains allow it to be crossed in Spain with local breeds such as the Tudanca and the Storiana. In Australia they are crossed with the Brahman breed, the bazadaise is appreciated for it's resistance to insects and heat, and it's calving ability.

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**John and Kathy McFarlane :**

Bazadaise breeder  
in Australia since 2000

40 full blood Bazadaises  
80 cross bred with Brahman,  
Angus, Hereford, Charolais...etc.

"We have done extensive cross breeding trials and have registered the name "Bazaman" a cross bred between Bazadaise and Brahman".

"Any breed we have used the Bazadaise with has improved that breed."

"The Bazadaise is good for cross breeding, it produces a fine grain meat and with high yielding carcass."

*"The Bazadaise is good for cross breeding and produces a fine meat grain."*

"Since we have had Bazadaises, we have had some extremely dry times, and have found that the Bazadaise have handled the conditions as well as our other cattle."

"The quality of the meat, we find is a finer texture than other meats that requires less cooking time."

"The last two years we have been taking cattle to various Carcass Competitions. We have enjoyed a lot of success with our cattle."

**Keith and Bev Lacey :**



Bazadaise breeders  
in Australia since 2006

45 full blood Bazadaise  
Hundred of cross bred with  
Droughtmaster and Brahman



Heifer out of Droughtmaster cow  
by Fullblood Bazadaise bull

*"They are very hardy being good foragers in times of drought."*

"We chose the Bazadaise for the outstanding features of this breed being great length, high yield and great feed conversion.

Our customers are repeat purchasers commenting that they can't buy meat with the flavour and tenderness of these Bazadaises cattle in the supermarkets and butchers shops.

The high yields and quality of the Bazadaise meat is just outstanding and is one of the reasons that we keep singing the praises of these exceptional French cattle."



**Ron and Suzanne Garrett :**

Bazadaise breeders  
in Australia since 1994

36 full blood Bazadaises  
cross bred bazadaise with Hereford,  
Droughtmaster, Braford...etc.



Full blood Bazadaise bull with Brahman  
in Northern Territory

*"A Bazadaise is always ahead of the rest."*

"The Bazadaise is a fantastically muscled animal. After a few weeks the calves starts to take form and produces all it's exceptional muscle form. These same attributes also happen when a Bazadaise is crossed with another breed."

The females are excellent mothers, producing calves year after year, with much more longevity than other breeds. The calves convert well, responsive, mobile with excellent muscle development.

Kill out conversions are well above it's competitors which increases profitability.



**Caron McCulloch :**

Bazadaise breeders  
in England since 1990

50 full blood Bazadaises  
cross bred bazadaise with Hereford,  
Aberdeen Angus, Holstein...



Bazadaise x Holstein (England)  
(Gill and Robin Smith)