

Mating Analysis

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VALID EXPECTATIONS

Valid Appeal – Mepache, by Iron Constitution

The Leading Freshman sire of 2001, Valid Expectations has continued to build on that impressive start. He is now sire of 40 stakes winners, and reigns unchallenged as the Leading Sire in Texas.

Valid Expectations' brilliant sprinting son, Saratoga County, a grade one winner of over \$1,600,000, was out of a mare by **Grub** (by **Mr. Prospector**). From the Mr. Prospector line, Valid Expectations is also sire of multiple stakes winner Leaving On My Mind out of a mare by **Rare Performer**; multiple stakes winner Sea Span out of a mare by **Gold Alert**; as well as stakes winners out of mares by **Seeking the Gold**, **Geiger Counter**, **Gulch**, **Forty Niner** and **Carson City**. Valid Expectation's sire, Valid Appeal and his sons have also worked well with Mr. Prospector through **Fappiano** and **Gone West**. Mr. Prospector is a son of **Raise a Native**, and Valid Expectations has sired stakes winners descending from that line through **Affirmed** and **Premiership** (sons of **Exclusive Native**) and **Strike the Gold** (by **Alydar**).

Valid Expectations sired the precocious multiple stakes winner Expect Program out of a mare by **Peterhof**, a son of **The Minstrel** (by **Northern Dancer**). There has also been a stakes winner by Valid Appeal out of a mare by a son of The Minstrel's three-parts-brother, **Nijinsky II**. Northern Dancer is also promising through **Vice Regent** (sire of **Deputy Minister**, whose son, **Dehere**, is broodmare sire of a stakes winner by Valid Expectations), **Storm Bird** (sire of **Storm Cat**), and **Nureyev** (whose son, **Theatrical**, is broodmare sire of a Valid Expectation stakes winner). Valid Expectations also has graded stakes winner Expect An Angel out of a mare by **Caller I. D.**, a son of **Clever Trick**, who is by **Icecapade**, a three-quarters relative to Northern Dancer.

Valid Expectations' son, The Daddy, winner of the Super Derby (G2), is out of a mare by **With Approval**, a son of **Caro**. This is a branch of the **Nasrullah** sire line and Valid Expectations has done well with a duplication of **Never Bend**, a son of Nasrullah, who is in the male line of his own dam. Grade one winner Saratoga County has a double of Never Bend; including stakes winners out of mares by **Full Out** and **Horatius**. Valid Expectations also has stakes winner There Goes Rocket out of a mare by **Carr de Naskra**, from the male line of **Naskra**. He also has stakes winners from the **Bold Ruler** branch of this line, via **Air Forbes Won** (by **Bold Forbes**), **Raja Baba** (out of a mare by **Nepal**), and **Seattle Slew** (out of a mare by **Metfield**). From the **Hail to Reason** line, Valid Expectations has a stakes winner out of a mare by **Diablo**, a son of **Devil's Bag** (by **Halo**).

Out of mares from the **Damascus** line, Valid Expectations has stakes winners out of daughters of **Ogygian** and **Crusader Sword**. He also has two-year-old stakes winners out of a mare by **Wolf Power** (from the **Round Table** line) and **Cherokee Colony** (by **Pleasant Colony**). A grandson of **In Reality**, he has a stakes winner out of a mare by In Reality's son **Relaunch**, and another inbred to his own sire **Valid Appeal**, through a son and a daughter.

– Alan Porter

2011 STUD FEE: \$7,500 LIVE FOAL



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1993 bay
15.3 hands

Valid Appeal

In Reality	Intentionally
	My Dear Girl
Desert Trial	Moslem Chief
	Scotch Verdic
Iron Constitution	Iron Ruler
	Water Cress
Nowmepache	Hangover
	Fool-Me-Not

Mepache

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