

Empire of Japan

 Bay or Brown 2020 16.0 hh


Race Record

| Age | Starts | Wins | 2nds | 3rds |
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| 2 | 7 | 1 | - | 1 |
| 7 | 1 | - | - | 1 |

Stakes won: \$364,300

1st ATC Breeders' P.-G3, Randwick (1000m)
3rd ATC Drinkwise 2YO P., Randwick (1100m)
4th ATC Todman S.-G2, Randwick (1200m)
BRC (Champagne Classic) Spirit of Boom Classic-G2,

Stud Record

EMPIRE OF JAPAN enters stud in 2024.

Male Line

SNITZEL - Group 1 winner, Second on The 2005-06 Australasian 3YO Classification (sprint). 7 wins, \$1,031,550, MRC Oakleigh P.-G1, AJC Challenge S.-G2, Up & Coming S.-G3, 2d VRC Newmarket H.-G1. Champion Sire in Australia in 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, second in 2013-14. Leading Aust. Sire of 2YOs in 2016-17, 2017-18, 2019-20, 2022-23. Sire of the winners of over \$241 million, 142 stakes winners, 130 stakes placegetters, inc-

TRAPEZE ARTIST (*Domesday; Bletchingly*). Champion 3YO Colt in Australia in 2017-18. 7 wins, \$5,568,750, ATC TJ Smith S.-G1, Golden Rose S.-G1, Canterbury S.-G1.

REDZEL (*Rubiton; Millionaire*). Champion Sprinter & Older Horse in Australia in 2017-18. 15 wins, \$16,444,000, VRC (Victoria Racing Club S.) Darley Classic-G1.

RUSSIAN REVOLUTION (*Stravinsky; Miswaki*). 7 wins, \$1,284,225, ATC Galaxy H.-G1, MRC Oakleigh P.-G1, ATC Roman Consul S.-G2, MVRC Ian McEwen S.-G2.

SHAMUS AWARD (*Success Express; Luskin Star*). Champion 3YO Colt in Australia in 2013-14. 2 wins, \$2,473,500, MVRC WS Cox P.-G1.

SNITZERLAND (*Fraar; Zephyr Bay*). 8 wins, \$1,974,500, VRC Lightning S.-G1, ATC Challenge S.-G2, VRC Danehill S.-G2, 2d ATC Golden Slipper S.-G1, Galaxy H.-G1.

HOT SNITZEL (*Blushing Groom; Balidar*). 8 wins, \$1,334,850, BRC BTC Cup-G1, ATC Royal Sovereign S.-G2, BRC Sires' Produce S.-G2, 2d BRC TJ Smith S.-G1.

SWEET IDEA (*Timber Country; First Norman*). 8 wins, \$2,415,350, ATC Galaxy H.-G1, 2d ATC (TAD Kennedy S.) Coolmore Classic-G1, VRC Myer Classic-G1.

SIZZLING (*General Nediym; Alzao*). 7 wins, \$1,332,375, BRC TJ Smith S.-G1, Champagne Classic-G2, Queensland Guineas-G2, Sires' Produce S.-G2.

SWORD OF STATE (*Encosta de Lago; Danzero*). Champion 2YO in NZ in 2020-21. 6 wins, \$313,787, ARC (Ellerslie Sires' Produce) Diamond S.-G1.

WILD RULER (*Daaher; Indian Charlie*). 6 wins, \$2,618,125, MVRC AJ Moir S.-G1, ATC Roman Consul S.-G2, (Royal Sovereign S.) Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S.-G2.

I AM EXCITED (*General Nediym; Nashwan*). 7 wins, \$1,231,075, ATC Galaxy H.-G1, VRC (Baguette S.) Gilgai S.-G2, BRC Victory S.-G2, 3d BRC Victory S.-G2.

IN THE CONGO (*Var; Qui Danzig*). 3 wins, \$1,769,075, ATC Golden Rose S.-G1, San Domenico S.-G3, 2d ATC Run to the Rose-G2, Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S.-G2.

WANDJINA (*Last Tycoon; Luncheon*). 3 wins, \$653,064, VRC Australian Guineas-G1, (The Debonair) CS Hayes S.-G3, 2d ATC All Aged S.-G1.

ESTIJAAB (*Charge Forward; Match Winner*). Champion 2YO in Australia in 2017-18. 3 wins, \$2,540,825, ATC Golden Slipper S.-G1, Reislings S.-G2.

SHINZO (*More Than Ready; Secret Savings*). Champion 2YO in Australia in 2022-23. 2 wins, \$3,917,250, ATC Golden Slipper S.-G1, Pago Pago S.-G3.

SUMMER PASSAGE (*Encosta de Lago; Lure*). Top Male on The 2016-17 NZ 2YO Free H. 3 wins, \$423,606, ARC (Ellerslie Sires' Produce) Diamond S.-G1.

HEAVENLY BLUE (*El Prado; Theatrical*). 3 wins, \$187,061, Turffontein South African Classic-G1, 2d Turffontein Dingaans H.-G2, Graham Beck S.-G3.

YEARNING (*Ekraar; Postponed*). 2 wins, \$826,200, MRC Thousand Guineas-G1, 2d VRC Edward Manifold S.-G2.

INVADER (*Encosta de Lago; Clay Hero*). Co-champion 2YO Colt in Australia in 2016-17. 2 wins, \$968,375, ATC Sires' Produce S.-G1, 2d ATC Champagne S.-G1.

AWAY GAME (*Elusive Quality; Sir Tristram*). Champion 2YO Filly in Australia in 2019-20. 5 wins, \$3,750,225, ATC (Keith Mackay H.) Percy Sykes S.-G2.

MR MOZART (*Rip Van Winkle; Polish Precedent*). 5 wins, \$796,900, ATC Phar Lap S.-G2, (Royal Parma S.) Doncaster Prelude H.-G3, Hawkesbury Guineas-G3.

SPLINTEX (*O'Reilly; Centaine*). 7 wins, \$1,187,900, ATC (Royal Sovereign S.) Arrowfield 3YO Sprint S.-G2, VRC Bobbie Lewis H.-G2, ATC Hall Mark S.-G3.

SPILL THE BEANS (*Falbrav; Ahonoora*). 5 wins, \$560,700, BRC QTC Cup-G2, ATC Eskimo Prince S.-G3, Hawkesbury Guineas-G3.

BEST OF BORDEAUX (*High Chaparral; Last Tycoon*). Joint Champion 2YO Colt in Australia in 2021-22. 3 wins, \$1,469,750, ATC Silver Slipper S.-G2, Roman Consul S.-G2, 2d ATC Golden Slipper S.-G1.

FRENCH EMOTION (*Woodman; Copper Kingdom*). 8 wins, \$886,390, VRC (Rose of Kingston S.) Blazer S.-G2, SAJC Queen of the South S.-G2.

SHOWTIME (*Timber Country; First Norman*). 3 wins, \$624,230, MRC (JJ Liston S.) PB Lawrence S.-G2, MVRC (Moonee Valley S.) Bill Stutt S.-G2.

LOFTY STRIKE (*Exceed and Excel; Snippets*). 3 wins, \$1,073,265, MRC Rubiton S.-G2, Blue Diamond Prelude (c&g)-G3, 2d VRC Newmarket H.-G1.

TIME FOR WAR (*Zabeel; Mukaddamah*). 3 wins, \$470,950, ATC Pago Pago S.-G2, BRC Sires' Produce S.-G2, 2d Gold Coast Guineas-G3, ATC Brian Crowley S.-L.

LETZBEGLAM (*Forestry; Batonnier*). 3 wins, \$267,028, MRC Blue Diamond Prelude (f)-G2, Auckland TR Counties Bowl-G3, 3d BRC Bright Shadow H.-L.

FLYING SNITZEL (*Hula Town; The Expatriate*). 3 wins, \$340,950, VRC AV Kewney S.-G2.

FOUR MOVES AHEAD (*Mr. Greeley; Anabaa*). 3 wins, \$554,950, ATC Sweet Embrace S.-G2, Tea Rose S.-G2.

SNITTY KITTY (*Tale of the Cat; Zeditave*). 6 wins, \$566,685, MRC Caulfield Sprint H.-G2.

THRNUM (*Five Star Day; Danzig*). 5 wins, \$441,750, MVRC (Stanley Wootton S.) Australia S.-G2.

WEE NESSY (*More Than Ready; Flying Spur*). 4 wins, \$696,325, ATC Sapphire S.-G2.

ZENNZELLA (*Zenno Rob Roy; Maroof*). 3 wins, \$483,900, VRC Wakeful S.-G2, MRC Lord S.-L.

MENARI (*General Nediym; Whiskey Road*). 3 wins, \$619,050, ATC Run to the Rose H.-G2, Rosebud H.-L.

FARSON (*Gallo di Ferro; Damister*). 5 wins, \$278,612, MRC Autumn Classic-G2, 3d MVRC Alister Clark S.-G2.

DOULL (*Shamardal; General Nediym*). 3 wins, \$313,415, MRC Caulfield Sprint-G2, 4th VRC Danehill S.-G2.

CHANCE BYE (*Red Ransom; Lyphard*). 3 wins, \$542,950, STC Silver Slipper S.-G2, 3d AJC Silver Shadow S.-G3.

CASTLEREAGH KID (*Zabeel; Danehill*). 3 wins, \$293,665, MRC Autumn Classic-G2.

SWITZERLAND (*Blame; Stormy Atlantic*). 3 wins, \$442,000, ATC Todman S.-G2, Membership 2YO H.

TANGLED (*Shinko King; Gleam Machine*). 2 wins, \$688,150, BRC Champagne Classic-G2.

PERIGNON (*Narita Brian; Rubiton*). 2 wins, \$382,250, ATC Light Fingers S.-G2, 3d ATC Flight S.-G1.

SERASANA (*Testa Rossa; Royal Academy*). 2 wins, \$328,940, MRC Sandown Guineas-G2.

SALADE (*Beautiful Crown; Bletchingly*). 1 win, \$173,200, ATC Pago Pago S.-G2.

TAIKOMOCHI (*Fusaichi Pegasus; Deputy Minister*). 7 wins, \$627,050, ATC Kingston Town S.-G3.

PERAST (*Zabeel; Success Express*). 4 wins, \$478,166, BRC Fred Best Classic-G3.

IRITHEA (*French Deputy; Sadler's Wells*). 8 wins, \$948,915, Hawkesbury Crown-G3.

His sons at stud include Shamus Award (25 SW), Russian Revolution (11 SW), Time for War (5 SW), Wandjina (5 SW), Trapeze Artist, Spill the Beans, Sizzling, etc.

Broodmare sire of the winners of over \$78 million - 31 stakes winners - 3 Group One winners inc **MOSSFUN**, **VELOCIOUS**, **CELESTIAL LEGEND**, **CAPTURED BY LOVE**, **SUPER SMINK**, **NORTH STAR LASS**, **MARINE ONE**, **LAVISH GIRL**, **PINSTRIPED**, etc

Maternal Grand sire

GENERAL NEDIYM - Group 1 winner, Joint Head of The 1997-98 Australasian 3YO Classification. 13 wins, \$1,986,698, VRC Newmarket H.-G1, Lightning S.-G1, AJC San Domenico S.-G2, Stan Fox S.-G2, Up & Coming S.-G2. Champion NZ Sire of 2YOs in 2009-10. Sire of the winners of over \$48 million, 48 stakes winners, 34 stakes placegetters. Broodmare sire of the winners of over \$103 million - 48 stakes winners - 8 Group One winners inc **JAMEKA**, **ELLSBERG**, **MR QUICKIE**, **RUN FOX RUN**, **I AM EXCITED**, **LASQUETI SPIRIT**, **HEY DOC**, **SIZZLING**, **GRANDSLAM**, **MAMARAGAN**, **BRUTALITY**, **MENARI**, **SWISSTA**, **EMPIRE OF JAPAN**, etc.

Female Line

Dam
ICHIHARA, by *General Nediym*. 6 wins 1000-1200m, \$594,100, ATC Magic Night S.-G2, Eskimo Prince S.-L, Heritage S.-L, Gosford Guineas-L, ATC Schweppes 2YO P, 2d ATC Light Fingers S.-G2, Lightning H.-L, Hawkesbury Rush, 3d ATC Kindergarten S.-G3, 4th ATC Roman Consul S.-G2, Silver Shadow S.-G3, Brian Crowley S.-L. Sister to **AU CHOCOLAT**, **ISURAVA** (dam of **MENARI**). Dam of five named foals, four to race, three winners, inc- **EMPIRE OF JAPAN** (c. by *Snitzel*). see above.

2nd Dam
CUT A DASH, by *Whiskey Road*. Winner 1200m. Three-quarter-sister to **WHISKED** (dam of **TIE THE KNOT**, **DREAM BALLAD**, **HOOD**). Dam of 11 foals, 10 to race, 8 winners, inc- **ICHIHARA** (*General Nediym*) see above.

AU CHOCOLAT (*General Nediym*). 5 wins 1200-1600m, \$325,850, GCTC Silk Stocking H.-L, Sunshine Coast Guineas, Ipswich TC Gai Waterhouse Quality Classic S, QTC Ivestia Quality H, 2d BTC Golden Garter H.-L.

ISURAVA (*General Nediym*). 3 wins 1200-1400m, \$187,150, Qld Tatt's RC Australia Post S.-L, STC Wenty Leagues Club 2YO H, Tooheys New H, 2d Gosford Guineas-L. Dam of-

MENARI (*Snitzel*). 3 wins 1100-1200m, \$619,050, ATC Run to the Rose H.-G2, Rosebud H.-L, TAB Rewards 2YO P, 2d ATC Canonbury S.-G3, 3d ATC Golden Rose S.-G1, 4th ATC Golden Slipper S.-G1. Sire.

Swet Ava (*Snitzel*). Winner at 2 1200m, ATC Tab.com.au 2YOP, 3d ATC Magic Night S.-G3.

3rd Dam

NOT ENOUGH, by *Baguette*. 6 wins 1200-1400m, AJC Sackville H, Greenacre H. Sister to **Billion**. Dam of 8 foals, 5 to race, 3 winners, inc- **That is a Shame**. Unraced. Dam of-

WHISKED. 3 wins 1200-1600m, \$545,200, VATC One Thousand Guineas-G1. Dam of-

TIE THE KNOT Champion Older Male in Australia in 1998-99. 21 wins 1200-3200m, \$6,212,775, STC Mercedes Classic-G1-twice, AJC Sydney Cup-G1-twice.

Tortoni. Winner 1000m. Dam of-

CHERRY TORTONI. 6 wins 1200-2050m, \$989,250, Moonee Valley Vase-G2.

Nicks for Snitzel

| Damsire | N | R | W | GI | SW | A\$ |
|---------------------------|------|------|------|----|---------|---------|
| | 1830 | 1524 | 1185 | 19 | 142 | 242.0m |
| Rubiton (AUS) | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 16,662k |
| More Than Ready (USA)43 | 38 | 36 | 1 | 4 | 14,548k | |
| Encosta de Lago (AUS) 101 | 81 | 64 | 3 | 7 | 9,338k | |
| General Nediym (AUS) 34 | 30 | 24 | 2 | 4 | 7,099k | |
| Red Ransom (USA) | 45 | 35 | 26 | 0 | 4,628k | |
| Elusive Quality (USA) | 25 | 20 | 16 | 0 | 6,105k | |
| Domesday (AUS) | 9 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 1,605k | |
| Zabeel (NZ) | 61 | 53 | 38 | 0 | 6,539k | |
| Sunday Silence (USA) | 17 | 17 | 15 | 0 | 1,470k | |
| Charge Forward (AUS) | 21 | 18 | 14 | 1 | 3,451k | |
| Shamardal (USA) | 15 | 13 | 13 | 0 | 1,405k | |
| Umatilla (NZ) | 9 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 1,403k | |
| Timber Country (USA) | 11 | 10 | 7 | 1 | 2,344k | |
| Street Cry (IRE) | 23 | 16 | 12 | 0 | 4,326k | |
| Success Express (USA) | 7 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1,293k | |
| O'Reilly (NZ) | 19 | 14 | 12 | 0 | 2,900k | |
| Fusaichi Pegasus (USA) 20 | 18 | 14 | 0 | 2 | 2,849k | |
| Dehere (USA) | 29 | 27 | 19 | 0 | 1,278k | |
| Fraar (USA) | 10 | 9 | 8 | 1 | 2,686k | |
| Daaher (CAN) | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1,262k | |
| High Chaparral (IRE) | 14 | 12 | 7 | 0 | 2,616k | |
| Tale of the Cat (USA) | 17 | 15 | 12 | 0 | 2,475k | |
| Last Tycoon (IRE) | 14 | 12 | 11 | 1 | 2,390k | |
| Sadler's Wells (USA) | 11 | 9 | 8 | 0 | 0,237k | |
| Savabeel (AUS) | 22 | 17 | 11 | 0 | 0,230k | |
| Hussonet (USA) | 26 | 22 | 17 | 0 | 1,220k | |
| Stravinsky (USA) | 19 | 16 | 13 | 1 | 1,207k | |
| Thunder Gulch (USA) | 9 | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1,210k | |
| Starcraft (NZ) | 13 | 11 | 10 | 0 | 2,061k | |
| French Deputy (USA) | 9 | 8 | 6 | 0 | 3,193k | |

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| SNITZEL B 2002 | Redoute's Choice | Danzig | 3 | Northern Dancer | 2d |
| | | Danehill (USA) | | Pas de Nom | 7a |
| | Shantha's Choice | Razyana | 1 | His Majesty | 4d |
| | | Canny Lad | 3 | Spring Adieu | 2d |
| | Snippets' Lass | Dancing Show (USA) | | Nijinsky | 8f |
| | | Snippets | | Show Lady | 8f |
| | | Lunchtime (GB) | | Silly Season | 1g |
| | Snow Finch (IRE) | Easy Date | | Great Occasion | 7f |
| | | Storm Bird | 3 | Northern Dancer | 2d |
| | | A Realgirl | | South Ocean | 4j |
| General Nediym | Shareef Dancer | 3 | Northern Dancer | 2d | |
| | Nediym (IRE) | | Sweet Alliance | 4r | |
| | Nilmeen | | Right Royal | 3f | |
| | Without Fear (FR) | | Nasreen | 9c | |
| | Military Belle | | Baldric | 13c | |
| | Reticella | | Never Too Late | 4c | |
| | In the Purple (FR) | | Frill | 11d | |
| Cut a Dash | Nijinsky | 3 | Northern Dancer | 2d | |
| | Whiskey Road (USA) | | Flaming Page | 8f | |
| | 1 Bowl of Flowers | | Sailor | 22b | |
| | Baguette | | Flower Bowl | 4d | |
| | Not Enough | | Rego (IRE) | 5d | |
| | | Dark Jewel | 6c | | |
| | | Alcimedees (GB) | 13e | | |
| | | Oodles | Several | 18 | |



Destroyed the field in the stallion making "Breeders Plate" winning by a dominant 3 lengths in his first ever race.

Past winners of the "Breeders Plate" include: Capitalist, Pierro, Sebring, Snitzel, Choisir, Luskin Star

Started as the deserved **favourite** for the 2 year old Magic Millions race and by the champion sire in Snitzel out of a group 2 winning General Nediym mare "Ichihara"

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