

Confederación de Asociaciones de Frisona Española



CONAFE is the organisation that represents the Associations and Federations of Friesian cattle breeders from the Autonomous regions of Spain.

HERD BOOK

In December 2014, the number of dairy farms members was 6,813 with a total of 500,500 breeding cows.

Total number of live animals registered in Herd Book (December 2014) was 760,554.

Spain, Best Country Group

European Championship, Fribourg 2013



TYPE CLASSIFICATION

CONAFE performs the morphological classification according linear method since 1984.

In 2014 the total number of Holstein cows classified was 127,176 (5,930 VG and 234 EX).

MILK RECORDING

Milk recording is in charge of regional entities and CONAFE coordinates them and manages the database.

The average of milk production (305 days) in 2014 was 9,736 milk kg; 3.62% fat and 3.20% protein.

Algendar Goldwyn Jara
(Algendar d'en Gomila, Menorca)



Grand Champion Cow Spring 2015

Badiola Mordoc Lubasca
(Gan. Diplo. Badiola, Asturias)



Grand Champion Cow Autumn 2014

GENETICS

CONAFE performs genetic and genomic evaluations of Holstein Friesian cattle in Spain and also participates in the international genetic evaluations for production and type developed by Interbull.

PROMOTION & TRAINING

The promotion of this breed is based on the organization of National shows in Spring and Autumn.

CONAFE participates in fairs and international shows, like the European Championship. Spain was selected Best Country

Group in Fribourg 2013.

Judging schools and Animal fitting & showing schools are two of the training activities of CONAFE, which also organizes conferences and technical seminars.

PUBLICATIONS & WEB SITES

Frisona Española magazine was launched in 1981 to be the information point for breeders, industries and technicians who share the same interests.

CONAFE has also two websites:

www.revistafrisona.com
www.conafe.com



9th Fitting and Showing School, Asturias 2014