

From **Boland Stud (Pty) Ltd (Agent)**

LOT 10

STABLE

MERCURY RISING

(2018)
Bay Mare

Earth's Orbit

2009

Gimmethgreenlight (AUS)	More Than Ready (USA)....	Southern Halo (USA)
	Yes She Can Cancan (AUS)	Woodman's Girl (USA)
Earth's Orbit	Captain Al	Canny Lad (AUS)
	Venturesome	Dove Vai (AUS)
		Al Mufti (USA)
		Off To War
		Rakeen (USA)
		Daunting

Covered by **JET DARK**; last service October 17th, believed in foal.

MERCURY RISING, 4 wins, R327,575, at 2 to 4, 1000 - 1200m, inc. Perfect Promise Sprint, **L**, placed twice, inc. 3rd Western Cape Fillies Championship **Gr.2**, Half sister to **TAIKONAUT**, **Veronica Mars**; dam of 1 foal.
2024 f. 24mercury Rising by Rafeef (AUS).

1st dam

Earth's Orbit, 4 wins, R305,220, at 2 to 5, 1200 - 1400m, placed 9 times, inc. 3rd Choice Carriers Ch'ship **Gr.2**, Tibouchina S, **Gr.2**, Prix Du Cap **Gr.3**, Umzimkhulu S, **Gr.3**, Half sister to **FRANCIA**, **Dark Journey** (dam of **Desolate Road**); dam of 7 foals; 7 runners; **6 winners** inc.:

MERCURY RISING: see above.

TAIKONAUT (19 c. by Twice Over (GB)): **4 wins**, R441,250, at 2 to 3, 1000 - 1100m, inc. Lebelo Sprint, **Gr.3**, placed 3 times.

Veronica Mars (17 f. by Legislate): **4 wins**, R394,600, at 2 to 6, 1200 - 1600m, placed 11 times, inc. 2nd Lady's Bracelet, **L**, Ladies Mile, **L**, 3rd Victress S **Gr.3**, Final Fling S **Gr.3**, Irridescence S, **L**.

Down To Earth (16 f. by Jackson): **2 wins**, R150,750, at 3, 1600m, placed.

Gravity (20 c. by Querari (GER)): **winner**, R217,875, at 3, 1200m, placed 6 times.

Spacebound (22 c. by Declarationofpeace (USA)): **winner**, R89,062, at 2, 1000m, from his only start.

2nd dam

VENTURESOME, **winner**, R38,510, at 2, 1600m, placed 4 times, Half sister to **HINTERLAND**,

T. REX, Fearsome (dam of **Menacing**); dam of 12 foals; 11 runners; **6 winners** inc.:

FRANCIA (f. by Dynasty): **3 wins**, R294,375, at 3 to 4, 1400 - 2400m, inc. Winter Oaks, **L**, Settlers Trophy, **L**, placed 6 times, inc. 2nd Woolavington Handicap, **L**.

Dark Journey (f. by Black Minnaloushe (USA)): **5 wins**, R308,067, at 2 to 5, 1000 - 1400m, placed 13 times, inc. 3rd Irridescence Stakes, **L**; dam of **2 winners** inc.:

Desolate Road: 5 wins, R584,500, at 2 to 6, 1000 - 1400m, placed 14 times, inc. 2nd Umkhomazi Stakes, **Gr.3**.

Earth's Orbit: see above.

3rd dam

DAUNTING (by Raise A Man (USA)), **3 wins**, R54,990, 1000 - 1200m, placed 5 times, Half sister to Aegean Royal (dam of **Royal Gold** grandam of **Wind Trip**); dam of 11 foals; 11 runners; **10 winners** inc.:

HINTERLAND: Equus Champion 3YO Male Sprinter in 2001, 16 wins, in SA and Mauritius, R1,245,325, 1200 - 1600m, inc. KZN Mercury Sprint, **Gr.1**, Golden Horse Sprint, **Gr.1**, Hawaii S, **Gr.2**, Byerly Turk Plate, **Gr.3**, Secretariat S, **Gr.3**, Duke of York Cup, **L**, The Duchess Of York Cup, **L**, 2nd SA Guineas, **Gr.1**, Premiers H, **Gr.2**, Hawaii S, **Gr.2**, Diadem S, **Gr.2**.

T. REX: 7 wins, in SA and Mauritius, R151,575, inc. The Duchess Of York Cup, **L**.

Fearsome: **3 wins**, R83,975, at 3 to 4, 1200 - 1400m, placed 5 times; dam of **5 winners**:

Menacing: 4 wins, in SA and Zimbabwe, R223,775, 3rd Zimbabwe Ipi Tombe S, **L**.

4th dam

AEGEAN BEAUTY(GB) (by Sharpen Up (GB)), **4 wins**, in SA and Britain, R25,450, 1400 - 1700m, placed 6 times, Half sister to **FOVEROS**(GB), Camina's Girl (dam of **NORTHERN GIRL**); dam of 8 foals; 8 runners; **7 winners** inc.:

Aegean Royal: **winner**, R8,440, at 3, 1400m, from only 4 starts; grandam of:

Wind Trip: 2 wins, R145,575, at 3, placed 6 times, inc. 2nd KZN Guineas Trial, **L**.