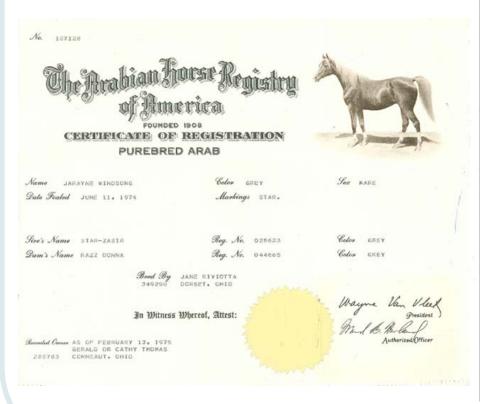
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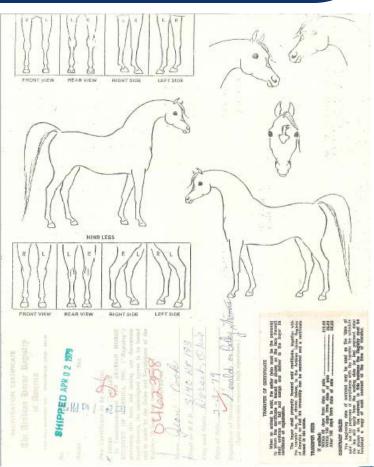


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1908







- 1972 1989
 - Freeze Branding
 - Alpha-Angle Freeze Mark Identification
 - Developed by Keith Farrell of Washington State University
 - Administered by AHA Field Representatives
 - Confirmed identity match with Certificate of Registration
 - Four representatives throughout United States
 - Performed farm visits, random parentage testing and import inspections





- 1976
 - Breeding stallions required to have blood type on permanent record
 - Random parentage testing done by Field Representatives
 - Confirmed identity, not parentage





- 1991
 - Required parentage verification with the 1991 foal crop
 - Utilized blood typing at time of registration



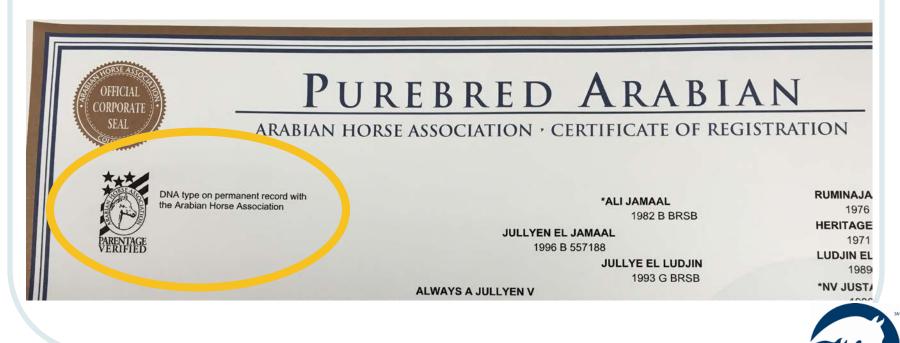


- 2001
 - DNA testing proven to be more accurate and more efficient in parentage verification
 - Testing offered at reduced price for breeding stock
 - DNA testing offered to 2001 foal crop
 - 85% of foals registered in 2001 were parentage verified utilizing DNA testing

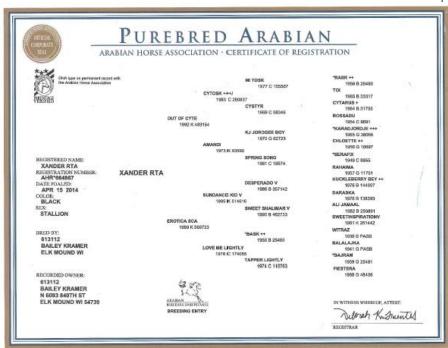




- **2002**
 - All new Purebred Arabian registrations required to be parentage qualified utilizing DNA typing



2003



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DNA Parentage Qualification

- Parentage Qualification to Purebred Arabian parent(s)
 - Highly effective tool for identity at time of registration and for solving identity issues
 - Required for every Purebred Arabian registration
 - Approximately 1% of new registrations don't qualify initially
 - Required in certain circumstances for Half-Arabian registration
 - Embryo transfer
 - Over 2 years-old at the time of registration
 - Required for participation in select Half-Arabian classes at National Shows



DNA Parentage Qualification

- Random testing at National Events
 - Initiated in 2012
 - Identification comparison to type on record
 - Confirms the horse being shown is the same horse that was registered
 - Testing of Champion and Reserve Champion in random classes – typically money earning classes





Identification of the Arabian Horse

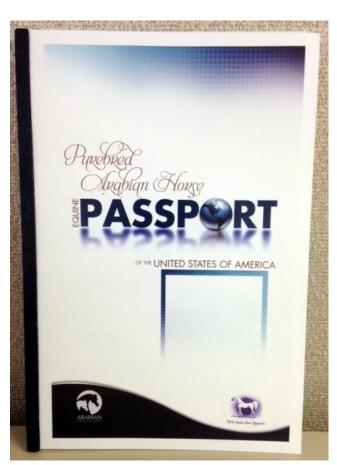
- Racing
 - Unique Certificate of Registration issued
 - Cowlicks identified
 - Markings described extensively
 - Tattoo of registration number administered by Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau





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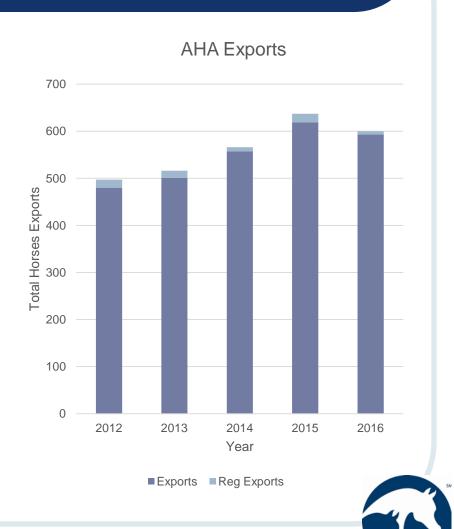
- Export
 - Passport Documentation
 - International horse identity
 - Full pedigree, foaling date, color, gender and markings
 - Vaccination and medical history
 - Microchip information can be recorded





Identification of the Arabian Horse

- Exports must be recorded with our office
 - High demand
 - The Export Certificate includes DNA profiles, blood types, pedigree, covering certificate
 - Sent directly to importing country's Registry



Challenges in Identification of the Arabian Horse

- Microchips are s not as popular in United States as in other countries
 - Recorded on identification documentation when applicable



Challenges in Identification of the Arabian Horse

- Horses that were initially registered have been separated from Certificate of Registration
 - Loss of data with multiple transfers
- Abolishment of slaughter
 - Unregistered horses
 - Increased number of undocumented horses in circulation
- Upcoming requirements for horses that race abroad
 - Confirmation of identity with a second DNA test and microchipping required
- Capturing the microchip data for horses competing in disciplines that require microchips

Future Identification of the Arabian Horse

- Microchips
 - Not required by AHA, but documented and recorded
 - Valuable resource
 - Currently no global equine database
 - Utilized in European and Middle Eastern countries
 - To date, very small demand in U.S.
 - Recorded on Passports and export documents where applicable





