

# U.S. Mangalarga Marchador Association

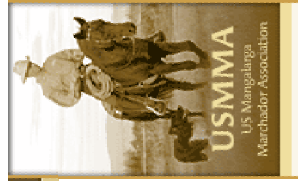
## Breeders Wanted



Whispering Pines Lareina playing in AZ.

Launching a legacy requires a team effort. We are starting from the ground up introducing the Marchador to America. If you are interested in becoming a breeder, the foals and the lifestyle are priceless!

Call us. We can help you get started!



Oxum do Vale da Prata, our logo horse

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A new breed... a new  
beginning.



Bossa Nova de Miami, Marchador mare, AZ

**Come meet the  
Marchador and share  
our passion!**

## About the Marchador



Tapixaba do Vale Vermelho, pinto mare, MT.

## The Horses

The Mangalarga Marchador breed is of ancient Iberian bloodlines brought to Brazil in the early 1800's. The Marchador is related to other Spanish breeds like the Andalusian and the Lusitano. They are an outstanding saddle horse with athleticism, intelligence, beauty, pleasing temperament and a unique gait.

The Marchador is the National Horse of Brazil. There are over 250,000 horses there.

The Marchador averages about 15 H in height and is of medium build. They come in almost every color.

There are two distinct gaits: one is a lateral gait (picada) similar to the Paso horses. The other is a lateral gait with diagonal pairs, (batida) which is unique in the world!

## The Quality is built in!

Marchadors have been bred for centuries to a high standard for conformation, gait and temperament. Horses in Brazil need to pass these standards to become fully registered and be allowed to enter the breeding books.

The Marchador is a working breed, used for ranch and cattle work on a daily basis in Brazil. It is known for its hardiness, soundness, and facility to learn and perform. They made history in the Guinness book of World Records for the longest horse trip, over 8,500 miles. The same horses rode every day from the Ocean to the Andes and back on a trip lasting over a year.



Ninja de Sao Joaquim, imported Brazilian stallion, CA

## A Perfect Horse

If you are just beginning to ride, their easy-going nature and smoother gaits inspire confidence and make you look good. If you are an experienced rider, their endurance, soundness and enthusiasm to learn, means virtually any riding discipline can be pursued.

Regardless of your desires or ambitions, the Marchador's beauty and people-loving personality will win your heart.

Come meet the Marchador and see why so many breeders and owners believe they have found the perfect horse.

*The U.S. Mangalarga Marchador Association was founded in 2004 to promote the introduction of the breed in the United States. There are currently fewer than 200 horses in the U.S. To learn more about the breed, our members and breeders, please visit our website. Be part of history in the making!*  
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