

## **COMMERCIAL ANALYSIS:**

## **MISSISSIPPI DELTA**

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A graded stakes winner by a Champion Sire and outstanding broodmare sire, Mississippi Delta is also a three-quarters sister to a multiple graded stakes winning millionaire.

A stakes winner on the main track and on turf, Mississippi Delta proved both precocious and durable, capturing stakes events at two, three, and four, and a graded stakes at five.

Mississippi Delta gained her graded win in the 2017 renewal of the Intercontinental Stakes (gr. III), which she captured while running seven furlongs in a scorching 1:20.05, defeating graded scorer Fair Point and stakes winners Portmagee, Lady Valeur, Rapid Rhythm, and Josdesanimaux.

Mississippi Delta opened her stakes winning career by scoring "in hand" in the Glorious Song Stakes at two. She added another black-type win on her three-yearold debut coming from last to first to take the Alywow Stakes by three lengths with graded stakes winner Midnight Miley and stakes winners Green Doctor, Ancient Goddess, Happy to Go, and Hooligan behind. As a four-year-old, Mississippi Delta was a decisive winner of the Kentucky Downs Ladies Sprint, accounting for stakes winners Rapid Rhythm, Seeking Treasure, Miss Double d'Oro, and My Year Is a Day.

Mississippi Delta is also multiple graded stakes placed, twice finishing second in the Honey Fox Stakes (gr. II) and also taking second in the Nassau Stakes (gr. II), and third in the Royal North Stakes (gr. III).

Mississippi Delta is one of the fastest daughters of her sire, Giant's Causeway. The leading son of Storm Cat, both on the racetrack and at stud, Giant's Causeway was a European Champion, and has been a two-time Leading Sire in the U.S. He is sire of more than 174 stakes winners, including classic winning champion and outstanding sire, Shamardal; Champion Two-Year-Old Filly Take Charge Brandi; and a total of nearly 30 group or grade one winners. Giant's Causeway is already the broodmare

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sire of 78 stakes winners, including current Horse of the Year contender Gun Runner, Verrazano, Evening Jewel, Beauty Parlor, Hawkbill, Planteur, Eden's Moon, and Awesome Rock.

Mississippi Delta is out of Texas to a Tee, a half-sister to Giant's Causeway's millionaire and five-time graded stakes winner Cowboy Cal, who also took second in three grade one events. Texas to a Tee is dam of a three-year-old filly by Pioneerof the Nile; a two-year-old filly by Violence; a colt foal by Giant's Causeway; and is bred to Mshawish.

Texas to a Tee is out of Texas Tammy, a Seeking the Gold half-sister to the outstanding performer Behren who earned over \$3,000,000 while winning seven graded stakes, including the Oaklawn Handicap (gr. I) and two runnings of the Gulfstream Park Handicap (gr. I), and also placing in nine grade one events, including a second in the Dubai World Cup (gr. I). Texas Tammy is also half-sister to Hard to Copy, the granddam of graded stakes winning and grade one placed Called to Serve and stakes winners Saritta, Bridgehampton, and Stormy Novel, and to Novel Encounter, the dam of stakes winner Hydrogen. Texas Tammy's dam is the multiple graded stakes winning and grade one placed Hot Novel.

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