



TECHNICAL GUIDE

INTRODUCTION TO THE GENETIC HYCOLE

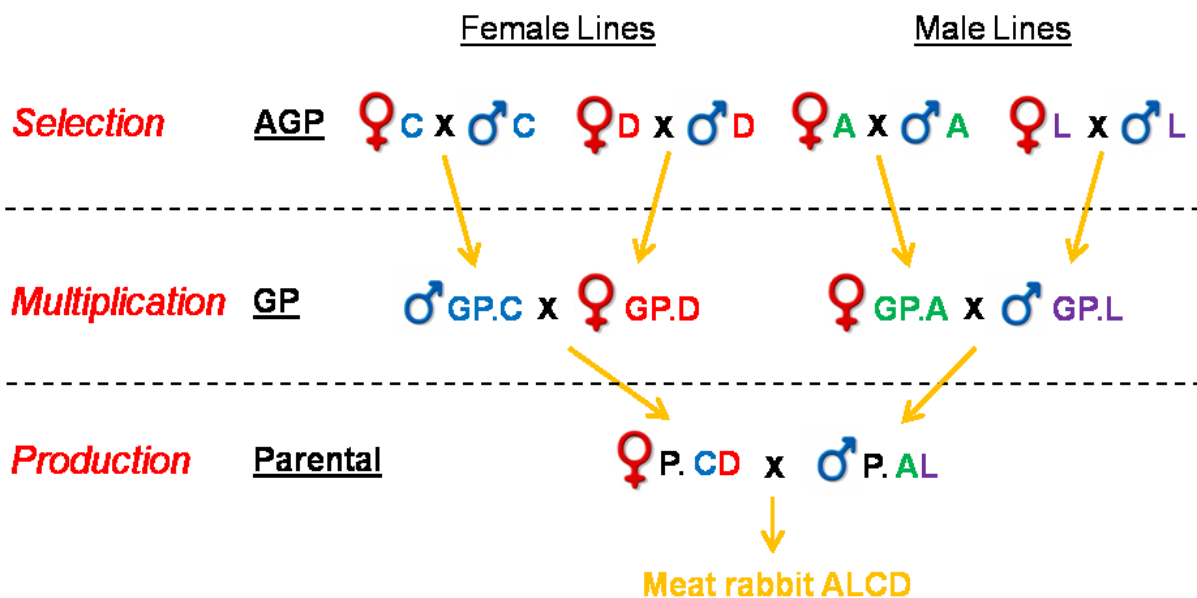
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Founded in 1985, the genetic HYCOLE has continued to evolve and develop. Our objective is to always better meet the expectations in the areas of health, technical and economic of the different partners of rabbit industry in France and abroad. This commitment is reflected through our **ISO 9001 certification**.

The different genetic lines owned by HYCOLE are selected using the **BLUP method**, reference method in animal breeding.

The genetic scheme HYCOLE has developed a large selection base as through its breeding stations in France and Hungary as its network of multiplication farms. The company constantly invests in search of new objectives and breeding techniques, particularly through its **partnership with INRA** (the French Institute for Agronomical Research).

The health quality of our stockers commercialized is a priority for the company. This results in an implementation of our farms in protected areas, their strict sanitary monitoring and strict control of the animals.



The 2 following facts present breeding objectives and characteristics of the different lines selected by HYCOLE.



This guide was designed as cards in order to make updates whenever necessary.