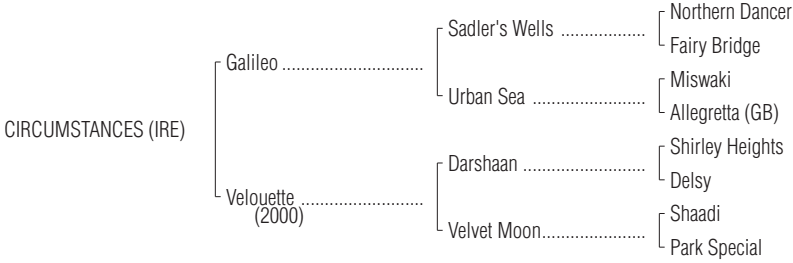


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**CIRCUMSTANCES (IRE)**  
Chestnut Mare; foaled 2009



**By GALILEO** (1998). European champion, classic winner of \$2,245,373, Vodafone Epsom Derby [G1], etc. Leading sire 10 times in England and Ireland, sire of 11 crops of racing age, 2175 foals, 1590 starters, 196 black-type winners, 9 champions, 1072 winners of 2703 races and earning \$143,811,063. Sire of dams of 34 black-type winners, including champions Bomar, Bubble Gun, and of Chopin, Lea, Night of Thunder, Magicool, Venus de Milo, Qualify (IRE), La Collina, Thunder Fantasy, Leitir Mor.

**1st dam**

VELOUETTE, by Darshaan. Unraced. Dam of 5 other registered foals, 5 of racing age, including a 2-year-old of 2015, 4 to race, 4 winners, including--

**TELESCOPE (IRE)** (c. by Galileo). 5 wins, 2 to 5, 2015, £654,859, in England, hwt. older horse at 4 on English Hand., 11 - 14 fur., Hardwicke S. [G2], Neptune Investment Management Great Voltigeur S. [G2], Al Rayan Aston Park S., 2nd King George VI & Queen Elizabeth S. [G1], Dunaden At Overbury Jockey Club S. [G2], Bet365 Gordon Richards S. [G3], Betfair Price Rush Huxley S. [G3], Belfred Rose Of Lancaster S. [G3], 3rd Juddmonte International S. [G1]. (Total: \$1,262,609).

Urban Moon (c. by Galileo). 2 wins at 3, €23,315, in Ireland; placed at 4, 2015 in England. (Total: \$33,544).

**2nd dam**

**VELVET MOON**, by Shaadi. 4 wins to 3, £65,317, in England, Lowther S. [G2], etc. (Total: \$99,155). Half-sister to **CENTRAL PARK** (5 wins, Total: \$1,043,-407, hwt. twice in Italy, 115 Derby Italiano [G1], etc., sire), **MELLOW PARK** [G3] (2 wins, Total: \$83,156), **Park Esteem** (Total: \$55,100). Dam of--

**MOON BALLAD (IRE)** (c. by Singspiel (IRE)). 2 wins, £364,227, in England, Convergent Dante S. [G2], Select S. [G3], 2nd Emirates Airline Champion S. [G1], Pearl & Coult's Newmarket S., etc.; 3 wins at 3 and 4, 13,847,954 dirhams, in U.A.E., horse of the year, hwt. older horse at 4 on U.A.E. Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Dubai World Cup [G1], Sheikh Maktoum bin Rashid Al Maktoum Challenge-Round 2 [G3]. (Total: \$4,364,791). Sire.

Velvet Queen. Winner at 3, €5,800, in France. (Total: \$7,136). Dam of--

**Debonair** (c. by Agnes Tachyon). Winner at 2, ¥53,386,000, in Japan, 2nd Keisei Hai [G3], 3rd Hochi Hai Yayoi Sho [G2]. (Total: \$646,381).

Syria. Unraced. Producer. Granddam of **Baskan Nexia** (c. by Strike the Gold, 3rd Gazi Derby), **Miss Aleyna** (f. by Sabirli.), **Seddifi** (f. by Bekmezbey, to 3, 2015, in Turkey, 2nd Disi Tay Deneme One Thousand Guineas).

**RACE RECORD:** In Ireland. At 2, unplaced in 2 starts; at 3, one win, once 2nd. Earned €8,265. (Total: \$10,181).

**PRODUCE RECORD:** 2014 c. by Fastnet Rock; 2015 c. by Declaration of War. Mated to Giant's Causeway (Storm Cat--Mariah's Storm), last service March 16, 2015. (Believed to be **PREGNANT**).