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### **SUMMARY REPORT**

TRAHIS V V & B (Microchip N°967000010104651), a 2-year-old stallion, is presented to perform a neurologic examination.

### **LEVEL OF ACTIVITY**

TRAHIS V V & B is not broken yet.

### **PHYSICAL EXAMINATION**

TRAHIS V V & B is in good general condition.

- Dominant elements
- 1. Decrease of the polygone of sustentation.
- 2. Trend to present himself under him with his hindlimb at station.
- 3. Moderate low cervical amyotrophy.
- Annexes elements
- Bare foot.

## **DYNAMIC EXAMINATION**

- Examination in hand and turn out in the inside arena (soft ground, straight line, right and left circles, 3 gates)

TRAHIS V V & B presents today signs of substantial locomotor incoordination (ataxia), more marked on the hind limbs with:

- On the front limbs, spasticity and moderate hypermetry.
- On the hind limbs, substantial spasticity, substantial hypermetry and moderate paresis. These clinical signs are moderately aggravated when the horse walks head up.

## **NEUROLOGICAL EXAMINATION**

(walk in a straight line, back in a straight line, walk with your head held high,, walk in small circles left and right with regular stops)

**TRAHIS V V & B** presents today a moderate positioning defect during small circles on the left and substantial on the right hand. **TRAHIS V V&B** also presents today a substantial weakness of the hind limbs during the tail pulling on the right and on the left.

# **PROGNOSIS**

- 1 unfavorable clinical prognosis because of neurological disorders.
- 2 Disposable sports prognosis to consider a sports career. To be modulated according to the clinical evolution of the horse in the coming months and with the possible putting at work.

The investigations carried out today testify only to the current state of health of the horse, they do not constitute a guarantee as to its future state of health and physical integrity.

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