

TN Duroc

Terminal boar



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Purebred Duroc boar with real Viking roots.

For producers looking for the combination of production efficiency and pork quality suitable for export.

Real Viking roots

- Vigor
- Quality
- Efficiency

Naturally robust and feed efficient

The story of TN Duroc started with our purebred Duroc populations in Canada, Sweden, and Denmark. In the 1990s, we added meat quality to the selection index and created the Norsvin Duroc.

We started producing Norsvin Duroc on a larger scale, and in 2014 we added genomic selection to our breeding program. This led to a boar with excellent feed efficiency and meat quality.

We have taken many steps to improve our terminal Duroc sire, such as utilizing our unique CT scanning techniques and the application of genomics, to accelerate the rate of genetic progress for growth, composition and meat quality traits.

We are now proud to introduce our improved terminal sire, TN Duroc. TN Duroc is naturally robust and feed efficient. With real Viking roots. TN Duroc is bred according to our belief of responsibly producing affordable, nutritious and delicious pork.

Growth rate	★★★★★
Feed conversion	★★★★★
Robustness	★★★★★
Lean meat	★★★★☆
Meat quality	★★★★☆



Over \$1 higher margin over feed cost vs. leading competitor Duroc boar.

Results from an independent US product benchmark trial.



Key product strengths

- YOUR BENEFITS:**
- 1 Finishing performance → Greater throughput & lower feed costs
 - 2 Robustness → More pigs to market
 - 3 Meat quality → Higher % export quality

Breeding goal focus

Robustness Key traits	Survival from birth to market
Finisher efficiency Key traits	Feed conversion, growth rate
Carcass & Meat Quality Key traits	Belly yield, intramuscular fat, color

More about...

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Darwin Tilstra

Director of Genetic Improvement, Topigs Norsvin USA

Get in contact with your local technical specialist for more information



- 1 Superior feed conversion is one of the main attributes of the TN Duroc. This trait continues to be emphasized in our breeding goal.
- 2 The TN Duroc produces easy-to-start piglets that provide producers with lower pre-wean mortality and heavier wean weights.
- 3 Our genetic improvement program has resulted in significant gains in muscle mass and overall growth necessary for marketing TN Duroc-sired pigs profitably at heavier market weights.
- 4 Selection in pen gestation and free farrowing environments since 1986 has resulted in docile pigs and a more enjoyable pig management experience.