

**Table 1** – General information about selected articles.

Article (Publication Year)	Group	Trait	Material	Breed	Country
SCHNEIDER, J. F. <i>et al.</i> (2012b)	1	Litter size (number of live births, number of stillbirths, number of stillbirths, number of mummifieds) and birth weight	Tail	Landrace and Duroc and Yorkshire	U.S
LEE Jae-Bong <i>et al.</i> (2014)	2	Number of teats	Blood	F2 crossbreed (Landrace x Korean native pigs KNP)	Korea
ARAKAWA, A. <i>et al.</i> (2015)	3	Number of teats	Blood	Duroc	Japan
SELL-KUBIAK,E. <i>et al.</i> (2015)	4	Litter size	Blood, hair, ear	Large White	Holland
VERARDO, L, L. <i>et al.</i> (2015)	5	Number of teats	Parental white cells (F1 and F2 animals)	Piau/Large White/Landrace and Pietran cross (F1/F2)	Brazil
VERARDO,L.L. <i>et al.</i> (2016a)	6	Number of teats in the two strains	Blood	Large White and Landrace	Holland
VERARDO, L.L. <i>et al.</i> (2016b)	7	Litter size, (number of stillborn piglets and number of teats)	Blood	Large White	Holland
CHALKIAS, H. <i>et al.</i> (2017)	8	Number of teats, (number of inverted ceilings and number of functional ceilings)	Blood	Yorkshire	Sweden

WANG, Y. <i>et al.</i> (2018)	9	Litter size, (number of live births), weight, pregnancy and age at first childbirth	Blood	Large White	China
ZHOU, L. <i>et al.</i> (2019)	10	Number of teats, (body weight, body length, cannon circumference)	Ear tissue	Sushan	China
JIANG, Y. <i>et al.</i> (2020)	11	Litter size, (total number of births, number of live births)	Blood	Yorkshire	China
MOSCATELLI, G. <i>et al.</i> (2020)	12	Number of teats (presence of asymmetry Patterns)	Blood	Large White	Italy
ZHANWEI, Z. <i>et al.</i> (2020)	13	Number of teats	Ear tissue	Duroc	China
LI, Yang <i>et al.</i> (2021)	14	Number of teats (right, left, total and presence of symmetry)	Blood	Duroc	China