

Workshop dairy 29.1.2025 dairy cattle

Program

European Genetic Evaluation (EBE)

- 09.30-09.35 Welcome and introduction (Anders Levring, NAV chairman)
- 09.35-09.55 Status and plans for EBE including the Nordic role in EBE (Anders Levring, NAV chairman)
- 09.55-10.15 How do the stakeholders see the role of NAV in the future national breeding value chain? VG ambassador setup and EBE (Anna Samuelsson and Anna Lappalainen, NAV board members)
- 10.15-10.30 Q&A to the NAV board
- 10.30-10.40 Coffee
- 10.40 -11.30 Group work about future Nordic set up (3 groups, DK, FI, SE)
- 11.30-12.00 Saved feed upgrade and outlook joint Nordic methane genetic evaluation (Ulrik Sander Nielsen and Jakob Lykke Voergaard)
- 12.00-12.45 Lunch

Yield traits – recording, genetic evaluation and economic value

- 12.45-13.05 Milk recording 2025 – status and possibilities for improvement in CMS and AMS (Niels Henning)
- 13.05-13.20 Genetic evaluation for yield traits (Jukka Pösö)
- 13.20-13.40 Economic values of milk, fat and protein in the yield index (Freddy Fikse)
- 13.40-14.30 Leaving reception for Gert. Refreshments

Group work – Proposal for items for a (mini) revision of NTM revision and other combined indices

- 14.30-15.20 Breed wise group work about NTM and breed specific tasks:
Holstein: NTM and Frame
RDC: NTM, Yield and udder index
Jersey: NTM, polled, correlation NTM, use of foreign data
- 15.20-15.30 Evaluation and closing of the workshop.