



Agenda Aarhus Meeting - May 2013

To	WG dairy cattle milk recording
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Date	April 12th 2013
Referencenumber	
Subject	Invitation to next work shop and agenda
Meeting date	28 May 2013
Meeting place	Aarhus, at ICAR conference center
Meeting time	14:00 h

1. Opening
2. Minutes of the Cork meeting
3. Presentation by each working group member on practices applied on dairy cattle milk recording in his/ her home country. Issues to be addressed:
 - a. ICAR systems applied (A, B, C systems, frequency, alternative..)
 - b. Planning of recording
 - c. Data collection and sampling at farm (how is this done; what sort of equipment is used; how is bottle number connected to cow; how is cow number read; what sort of sampling....)
 - d. Processing of yield data (when and how are data processed)
 - e. Processing of milk components data (when and how)
 - f. Calculations applied (which and according to what ICAR methods..)
 - g. Information to farmer
 - h. Rules applied to have official record
 - i. ICAR guidelines: what is OK, what is not OK
4. ICAR guidelines: what do we need to address? What should we say on lactation calculations as the test day record or individual milking are in effect the basic data.
5. ICAR workshop on dairy cattle milk recording? Do we need to have this? Purpose will be to discuss changed in the ICAR guidelines, to get more views on next developments, to receive proposals....
6. Need for a survey.
7. Next meeting