



ICAR WGs, TFs and SCs Report

Date of report	7 May 2009	
WG/TF/SC name	WG Milk Recording in Sheep	
Chair	Jean-Michel Astruc	
Members <i>Name, organization, country and year joined, email contact</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jean-Michel Astruc, Institut de l'Elevage, France • Francis Barillet, INRA, France • Antonello Carta, IZCS, Italy • Mauro Fioretti, AIA, Italy • Elisha Gootwine, Volcani Center, Israel • Drago Kompan, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia • Franz-Josef Romberg, Dienstleistungszentrum Ländlicher Raum Westpfalz, Germany • Eva Ugarte, Neiker, Spain 	
Members left		
Meetings	<u>Last</u> : 17 June 2008, Niagara Falls, USA	<u>Next</u> : Latvia, 2010
Participation	Full +: J.M. Astruc, F. Barillet, A. Carta, M. Fioretti, D. Kompan	Absence : E. Gootwine, F.J. Romberg, E. Ugarte
Key Agenda Issues	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Changes in the constitution of the working group (MRS WG) 2. Main activities of the group over the last 2 years 3. Presentation of the results of the sheep enquiry on-line and discussion. 4. Co-operation with other ICAR bodies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Recording devices -Analysis devices 5. Perspectives concerning the working group. 	
Important Decisions	Maintain the level of requirements concerning the meters (in cooperation with the SC Recording Devices)	
Cooperation and links to other WG/TF/SC	SC Milk Recording devices Working Party on On-farm Milk analysis WG Milk Recording in Goats	
Issues to be handled by the Board & Deadline	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Renewal of the members of the group (introduce more active persons) 	
Top 5 Issues for WG/TF/SC	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Renewal of the members of the group. 2. Encourage the group to participate more actively to the sessions. 3. Tackle the problem of some point of the guidelines that are difficult to meet in some situations. 4. Enhance members' interest to the yearly enquiry 5. Output of the yearly enquiry at the next session in Latvia 	