## Abstract by Philip Dukas - Use of Smartphone and Tablet Technology in Moving Herd Recording into a Mobile Environment

Smartphone and tablet technologies provide an environment for recording and exchanging herd performance information. The current generation of mobile devices, user interfaces, and the associated WiFi and telephone infrastructure provide a significant increase in usability and connectivity over earlier mobile devices. For many users, the personal use of smartphones eliminates any additional hardware costs for these new herd recording benefits.