

**DECEMBER 1, 2009**

Communications in Room 1:92 will be in English only - without simultaneous translation

Start	End	Auditorium	Room 1: 92			Room 2: 40	
8:00	9:30	Opening and registration					
<b>WELFARE AND QUALITY OF MEAT AND MILK PRODUCTS</b>							
9:30	10:15	Veterinary dairy herd health management in Europe: constraints and perspectives	<i>J. Cannas da Silva</i>				
10:15	10:45	Coffee break					
10:45	11:00	Veal calf transportation to slaughterhouse in Switzerland	<i>M. Hassig</i>	Microbes from teat to cheese: which practices to preserve the microbial diversity needed to make raw milk cheese?	<i>C. Delbes</i>		
11:00	11:15	Effects of surgical castration with one or two incisions on cortisol, rectal temperature, scrotum swelling and behaviour of calves	<i>G. Stillwell</i>	A team approach to improve claw health in dairy herds	<i>M. Holzhauser</i>		
11:15	11:30	Bull calf castration: effect of different rubber ring techniques on animal welfare	<i>A. Steiner</i>	Non-regenerative white-line disorders in dairy cattle a preliminary report	<i>M. Holzhauser</i>		
11:30	11:45	Sources of contamination by <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> of cow milk and cheese determined by MLVA	<i>B. Poutrel</i>	Field study of soft and abrasive walking area flooring at 6 dairy farms	<i>B. Benz</i>		
11:45	12:00	The role of machine-induced changes in teat tissue conditions in the development of subclinical mastitis	<i>R. Piccinini</i>	Sole ulcer occurrence in dairy cows is affected by lactation phase	<i>M. Dorigo</i>		
12:00	13:30	Lunch					
13:30	14:30	SCHERING PLOUGH-INTERVET SYMPOSIUM - <i>Getting it right the first time. Best practices in BRD treatment</i>					
14:30	15:00	Opening ceremony					
<b>ZOONOTIC AND EMERGING DISEASES</b>							
15:00	15:45	Ruminants and arthropod borne zoonotic diseases	<i>R. Maillard</i>	JANSSEN WORKSHOP - <i>Last news on Coccidiosis</i>			
15:45	16:00	A novel problem: increase in the incidence of a bleeding disorder in young calves. Clinical and epidemiological findings	<i>A. Friedrich</i>				
16:00	16:15	Transplacental infection induced by a wild-type Bluetongue virus serotype 8 natural infection in Burgundy (France)	<i>C. Audeval</i>				
16:15	16:30	Within-herd <i>Coxiella burnetii</i> seroprevalence in naturally infected dairy herds: description and estimation using an ELISA applied to the bulk tank milk	<i>R. Guatteo</i>				
16:30	16:45	Approaches to DIVA ELISA for bluetongue diagnostic using bluetongue virus-non structural proteins	<i>G. Belbis</i>				
16:45	17:00	Applying HACCP-principles to multifunctional farms for safeguarding the visitors from public health hazards	<i>J. Noordhuizen</i>				
17:00	17:30	Coffee break					
17:30	18:30	VIRBAC SYMPOSIUM - <i>Dry cow therapy: impact on the control of mastitis after calving</i>					
18:30	19:30						ECBHM

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<b>MASTITIS AND REPRODUCTIVE DISORDERS</b>						
8:30	9:15	Bovine fertility management	<i>J. Mee</i>			
9:15	9:30	Does calving process influence consecutive reproductive performance in dairy cattle?	<i>A. Csaba Bajcsy</i>	Impact of milk composition on the calving to conception interval in UK dairy cows	<i>A. Madouasse</i>	
9:30	9:45	Use of bacteriology for herd epidemiological diagnosis in mastitis control: methodology and test in farms	<i>F. Serieys</i>	Identification and ranking of risk factors for somatic cell count economic penalty in 349 southern Belgium dairy farms	<i>L. Theron</i>	
9:45	10:00	Prospective longitudinal clinicopathological study of perinatal mortality in dairy calves: preliminary results	<i>J. Mee</i>	The impact of dry udder-health management on clinical intramammary infections in the subsequent lactation	<i>A. Mijovic</i>	
10:00	10:15	Oestrous detection in cow with video cameras: a preliminary study	<i>P. Bruyere</i>	Implementation and evaluation of a HACCP-like approach to the control of mastitis on Irish dairy farms	<i>L. Beekhuis</i>	
10:15	11:00	Coffee break				
11:00	11:15	Fertility and kinematics correlation of filtrated bovine semen	<i>S. Piperelis</i>	Factors associated with oestrous length in high yielding dairy cows	<i>G. Opsomer</i>	
11:15	11:30	Should we worry about non-aureus staphylococci in bovine mastitis?	<i>R. Bexiga</i>	Relationship between efficacy of mastitis treatment and fertility indices in cows	<i>E. Malinowski</i>	
11:30	11:45	Risk assessment of monthly determined somatic cell counts and cow individual parameters for detecting subclinically intramammary infections at cow level	<i>P. Winter</i>	Teaching rectal palpation of the genital apparatus in cows: depiction of the learning process in live cows and evaluation of a simulated training model	<i>P. Bossaert</i>	
11:45	12:00	Epidemiological pattern of intramammary infection during a mastitis control program	<i>A. Zeconi</i>	Abortion in cattle: developing an optimal diagnostic approach	<i>J. Callens</i>	
12:00	13:30	Lunch				
13:30	14:30	MERIAL SYMPOSIUM - <i>BRD, can we make life easier?</i>				
14:30	14:45	J. Espinasse award				
<b>METABOLIC DISEASES</b>						
14:45	15:30	Practical importance of dietary cation anion difference in dairy cows	<i>C. C. Gelfert</i>	CEVA WORKSHOP - <i>Q Fever: an emerging disease</i>		
15:30	15:45	Immunological effects of high protein diets in cattle	<i>D. Raboisson</i>			
15:45	16:00	Testing of a zeolite product for the reduction of the risk of milk fever in 22 private herds	<i>R.J. Jorgensen</i>			
16:00	16:15	Oral sodium bicarbonate treatment of metabolic acidosis in calves with neonatal diarrhoea	<i>I. Lorenz</i>			
16:15	16:30	Euglycemic hyperinsulinemic glucose clamps for assessment of whole body insulin resistance after single dose dexamethasone treatment in dairy cows	<i>J. Rehage</i>			
16:30	16:45	Effects of feeding rations with low DCAD during the dry period on feed intake and metabolism of periparturient dairy cows	<i>W. Gruenberg</i>			
16:45	17:00	How to measure body fat stores in modern dairy cows?	<i>G. Opsomer</i>			
17:00	17:30	Coffee break				
17:30	18:30	PFIZER SYMPOSIUM - <i>Progress is progress only if it benefits to everyone</i>				
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<b>INFECTIOUS DISEASES (INCL. VACCINES AND ANTI-INFECTIVE THERAPEUTICS)</b>					
8:30	9:15	Blue tongue: state of the art and European situation	<i>E. Thiry</i>	<b>VETOQUINOL WORKSHOP - BRD, the scientific basis of the new SISAAB concept</b>	
9:15	9:30	Five day onset of protection and for 12 weeks after single intranasal vaccination of one-week-old calves with a modified live BRSV vaccine after experimental BRSV challenge	<i>S. Harmeyer</i>		
9:30	9:45	The hemorrhagic syndrome of the newborn calf	<i>L. Théron</i>		
9:45	10:00	Effect of bovine respiratory disease and hepatic abscesses on growth and carcass quality during early and late finishing periods using treatment records and lesion scoring	<i>F. Corbière</i>		
10:00	10:15	Detection by real-time RT-PCR of a bovine respiratory syncytial virus vaccine in calves vaccinated intranasally	<i>E. Timsit</i>		
10:15	10:30	Thrombocytopenic BVD-1d type in France	<i>M. A. Arcangioli</i>		
10:30	11:00	<b>Coffee break</b>			
11:00	11:15	<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> type A as a major etiological agent of calf scours?	<i>C. Manteca</i>	Determination of minimum inhibitory concentrations for bacitracin against <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> strains from calves	<i>P. Richez</i>
11:15	11:30	The Versatrek® para-JEM : An innovative tool for efficient prophylaxis of bovine paratuberculosis	<i>G. Mercier</i>	The French network of regional veterinary laboratories to identify and genotype Bluetongue viruses in 2008	<i>S. Zientara</i>
11:30	11:45	Vaccination of cattle against bluetongue disease by means of a needle-free injection technique (Acushot™)	<i>J. Offinger</i>	Development of a new real time RT-PCR system for detection of rotavirus and coronavirus in faeces for calf diarrhea – Comparison with ELISA	<i>F. Ramos</i>
11:45	12:00	Longitudinal study on morbidity and mortality in Flemish veal calves	<i>B. Pardon</i>	Duration of immunity after vaccination of lambs with an inactivated vaccine against bluetongue virus serotype 8	<i>E. Santos</i>
12:00	12:15	Retrospective analysis of clinical and laboratory data of calves referred to the ruminant clinic, Berne for diarrhoea, 1990-2007	<i>M. Bodmer</i>	Principles of use and evaluation of a database attesting that animals are not persistently infected with bovine viral diarrhoea virus	<i>A. Joly</i>
12:15	12:30	Investigation on the prevalence of bovine besnoitiosis in the first affected German cattle herd	<i>N.S. Gollnick</i>	Assessing the informative value of tools applied to different pooled fecal and milk samples to determine the status of dairy herds for map infection	<i>A. Joly</i>
12:30	14:00	<b>Lunch</b>			
<b>ANAESTHESIA AND SURGERY IN CATTLE</b>			<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>		
14:00	14:45	Abdominal pain in cows: physical examination, diagnosis and surgery	<i>M. Meylan</i>		
14:45	15:00	Tenoscopic approach to the common digital flexor tendon sheath (CDFTS) of adult cattle	<i>A. Bertagnoli</i>	A study towards a better understanding of the reasons for repeated outbreaks of bovine respiratory disease in the same herds during the same season	<i>E. Schmitt</i>
15:00	15:15	Aseptic fibrinous peritoneal peritonitis in cattle: retrospective and clinical study	<i>G. Lamain</i>	Molecular characterization of <i>Pasteurella multocida</i> in French dairy calves	<i>E. Schmitt</i>
15:15	15:30	Use of Rompun® during orthopaedic treatment of dairy cows in lateral recumbency use of Rompun® during orthopaedic treatment of dairy cows in lateral recumbency	<i>J. Rehage</i>	Different metaphylactic treatment schemes with Nufior® compared to Draxxin® and control in a naturally occurring outbreak of BRD in veal calves	<i>J. Van de Ven</i>
15:30	15:45	Endoscopic examination of the sacrococcygeal epidural space in cattle	<i>S. Franz</i>	Development of a triplex real-time RT-PCR assay for detection of BRSV and BPI3 in clinical samples and comparison to standard techniques	<i>S. Moine</i>
15:45	16:00	Development of a new laparoscopic procedure for the exploration of the right abdomen of a cow in left lateral recumbency	<i>M. Strina</i>	Differences in fatty acid profile of subcutaneous fat at drying-off versus at calving in high yielding dairy cows fed extruded linseed during lactation	<i>G. Opsomer</i>
16:00	16:15	Comparative evaluation of two surgical scrub preparations in cattle in field setting	<i>C. Bourel</i>	Efficacy evaluation of a new vaccine against bovine mastitis: field trials results	<i>A. Prenafeta</i>
16:15		<b>End of the Forum</b>			