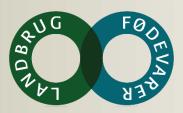


### **DENMARK – DHI TECHNICAL UPDATE**

#### **Uffe Lauritsen**

San Diego March 2019



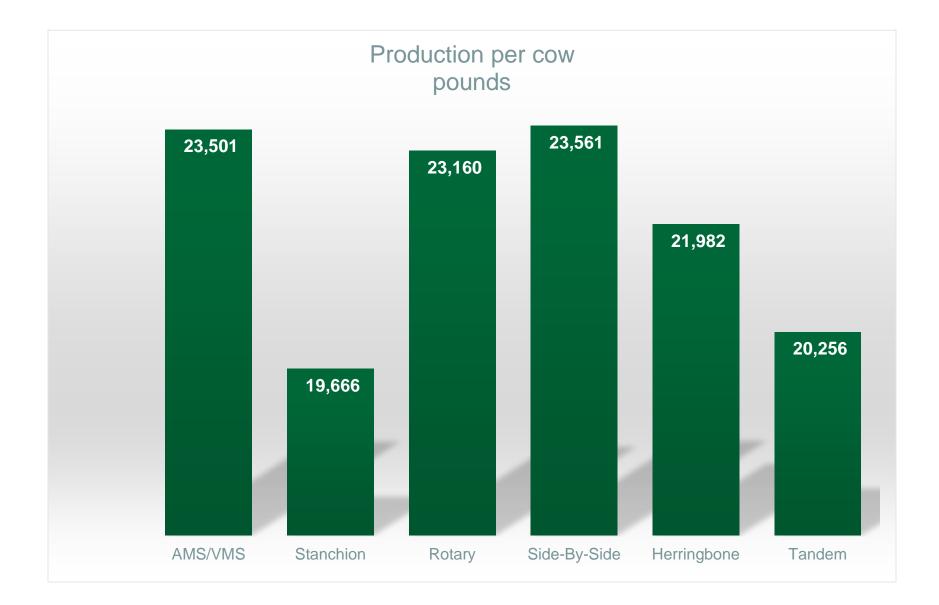
RYK provides milk recording for dairy cows. RYK are collecting annually about 5.5 million milk samples, serves 2,600 dairy farmers, and have a turnover of 15 million euro. We have 65 employees, and offices in Aarhus, Sorø, Holstebro, and Vojens.



# **OUR FARMERS AND THEIR HERDS**

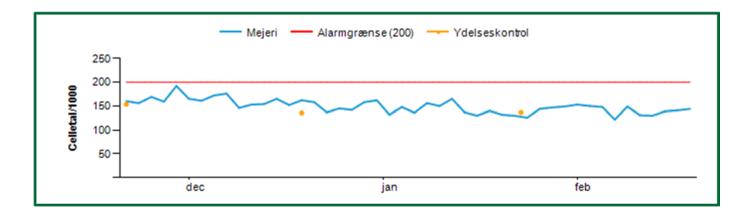
**DHI** herds \*\*\*\*\*\*\* AMS/VMS Stanchion Rotary Side-By-Side Herringbone Tandem





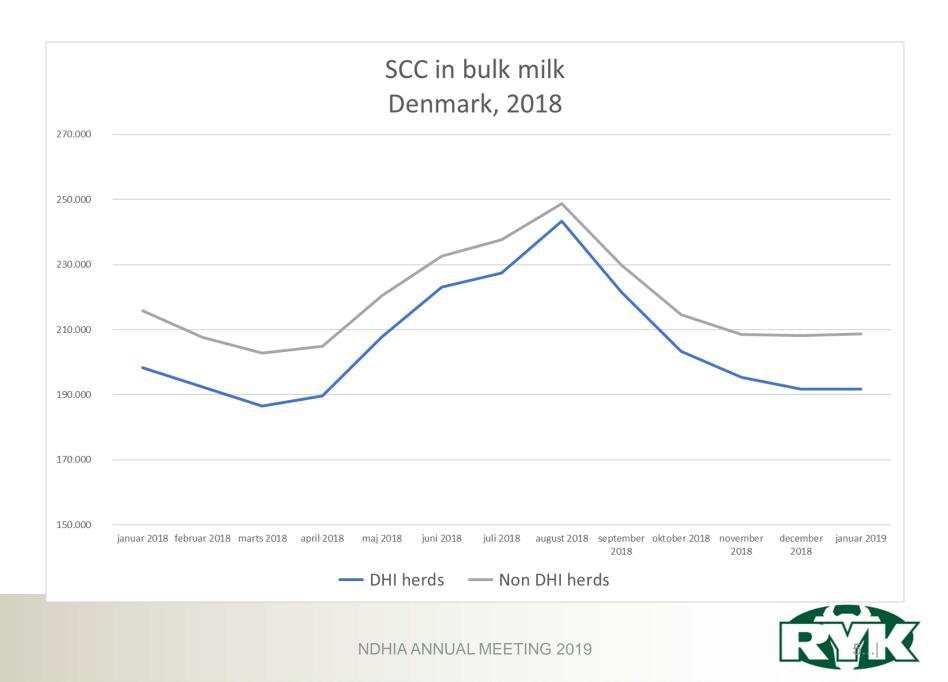


# **CELL COUNTS**



Testday	11/20	12/18	1/22		
All cows	153	136	137		
-1st lactation	105	55	81		
-2nd lactation	110	126	168		
Later lactations	237	205	149		
Dairy (testday or +/-1)	160	162	130		





### **FOCUS AREAS – THE DAIRY FARM**

Documentation, documentation, documentation Increasing number of cows per time unit Increasing amount of data Larger distance between cows and crucial decissions Welldefined responsibilities Better precision in data catch

# FOCUS AREAS TO FOLLOW - DHI

- Catch a reprensentative milk sample
- Milkweights
- Data quality
- Cow ID
- Speed
- Data transfer
- Equipment for milk weigths and sampling
- Maintenance and cleaning
- Staff, recruitment and education



### CARRY OVER FIXED METERS – PRELIMINARY RESULTS



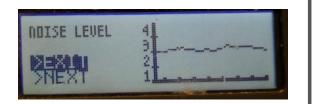
Carry over is calculated to 2,5 %

# CARRY OVER - PRELIMINARY RESULTS

Point of sampling	Level
Shuttle-B sampling	2,14 %
Sampling after robot – 1	1,98 %
Sampling after robot – 2	2,16 %











# **ELECTRONIC NOISE**



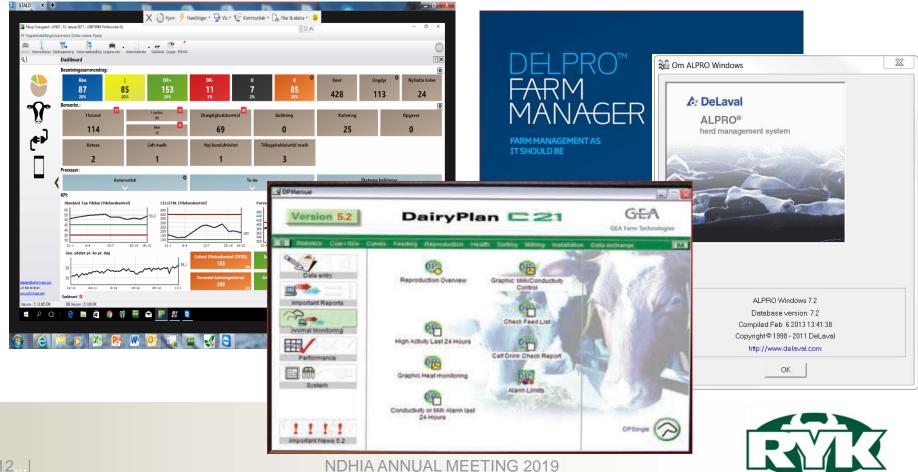
# PROCESS FOR MILK RECORDING-RYK

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Delivery of equipment (Supervised or DIY test)	Pick up equipment and samples Validate data Correct data Prepare samples for shipment Push data	Samples arrive at lab Analyze Receive results	Receive results Check results Reports to farm

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# **DATA CAPTURE SOFTWARE**

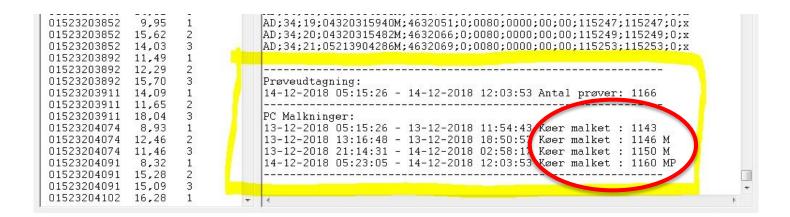
### Many versions of Herd Management systems





Correct ID is key to valuable data

### **TESTDAY – CHALLENGES ON COW ID**



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### **TESTDAY – MALFUNCTION OF ANTENNA**

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06016	0,00	4754061	0	08:35:13
06036	0,00	4754052	0	08:24:57
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06271	0,00	4862684	0	06:53:10
06305	0,00	4874909	0	08:05:14
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# ANALYSIS OF UREA IN MILK

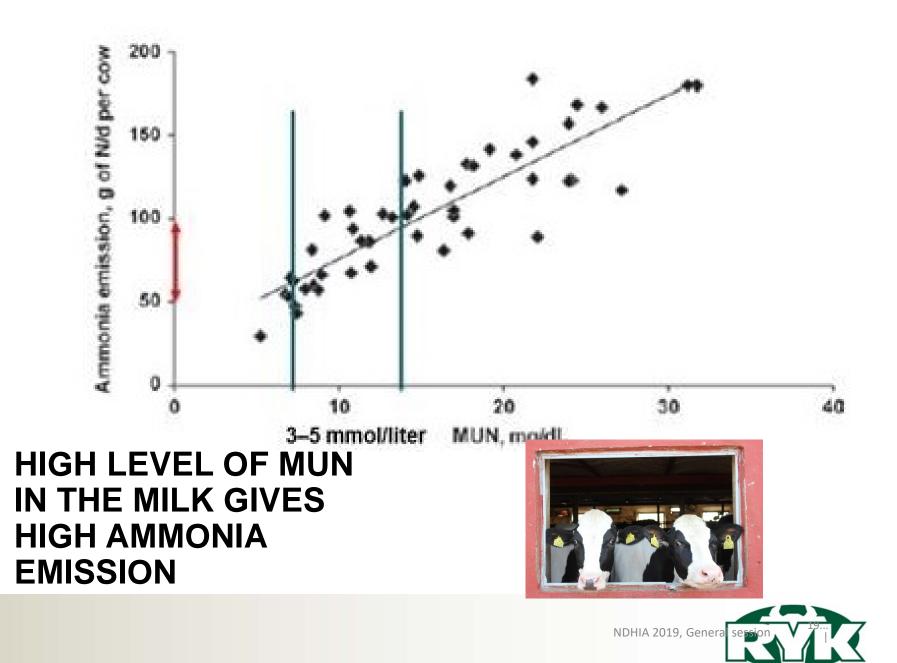
- The Danish Agriculture & Food Council encourage farmers to lower N emmision.
- Milk samples is an important tool to support this
- DHI is a natural way to collect valuable data

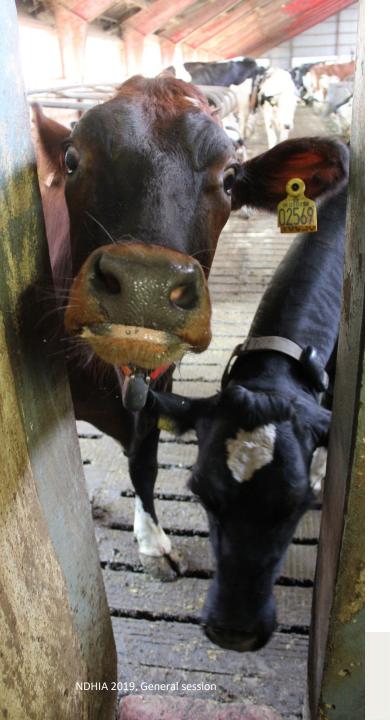


# ANALYSIS OF UREA IN MILK

- Urea in milk is a way to measure the protein utilization
- If we can bring down the level of MUN then the N emission from the Danish farms can be lower
- Lower emission supports public acceptance of dairy farming







# ANALYSIS OF FATTY ACID IN MILK

- Project FA data collection 2015-2016
- Report published 2016
- Full part of DHI samples from January 2019
- Fatty acid as a reference to feeding and cow welfare
- Rumen function is reflected in composition of fatty acids
- Fatty acids is a tool to monitor feeding



# FATTY ACID

- Inspired by Dr. Barbanos work about fatty acid as a indicator for rumen health
- Danish data from SOB cow project find limit for level of de novo fatty acid in danish condition
- 24 g de novo fatty acid / 100 g fat for Holstein
- 28 g de novo fatty acid / 100 g fat for Jersey



## THE LOWER LEVEL OF DE NOVO FATTY ACID, THE HIGHER SOMATIC CELL COUNT

 $\begin{array}{c} 350 \\ 300 \\ 250 \\ 200 \\ 150 \\ 100 \\ 50 \\ 0 \end{array} \\ < 24 \end{array}$ 

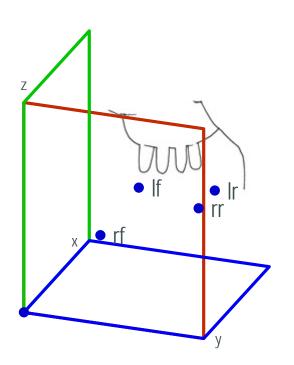
Holstein 2<sup>nd</sup> lactation, SCC

# UDDER CONFORMATION

- Udder conformation is already evaluated
  - Classified by experienced classifiers
- 115,000 Danish cows are classified per year
  - The majority of the cows are 1<sup>st</sup> parity cows
- Information on teat co-ordinates in genetic evaluation is in place



# UDDER CONFORMATION BY TEAT CO-ORDINATES



- Front teat placement
- Rear teat placement
- Distance, front rear
- Udder balance
- Udder depth, tip of the teat measuring point





# SUMMARY

- Milk sampling is our nerve
- Milk sample is our key product
- Data is next to come
- Dealing with cow ID is a challenge
- Sensors are slowly moving in











# THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION

