



Press Release

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The European Brown Swiss Federation Sets a Common Vision for Genetic Evaluation Across Europe

During our recent General Assembly, the European Brown Swiss Federation (EBSF) members agreed on an ambitious and forward-looking project: within the next five years, we aim to establish a common breeding value estimation for the European Brown Swiss population.

This shared vision represents a major step toward greater collaboration, consistency, and innovation within the European Brown Swiss community.

To achieve this goal, we will set up a dedicated Technical Committee, bringing together leading experts from our member countries.

The Technical Committee will develop a roadmap outlining the steps and resources needed to implement the common breeding value estimation. This roadmap will be presented at our next General Assembly in 2026, in Spain.

We believe that a shared breeding value system will strengthen cooperation among member countries, improve the accuracy and transparency of genetic evaluations, and drive progress for breeders and farmers across Europe.

This project reflects our ongoing commitment to innovation, collaboration, and the sustainable improvement of the Brown Swiss breed.

About the European Brown Swiss Federation

The European Brown Swiss Federation brings together national Brown Swiss associations across Europe. Our mission is to promote the genetic progress, performance, and visibility of the Brown Swiss breed through cooperation, shared expertise, and forward-thinking initiatives.

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