



Tuesday, May 12th 2009

OPEN SESSIONS

9.00 – 12.00	Young EPIZONE Room A5 	
13.00 – 18.30	Young EPIZONE Room A5 	Theme 4: Diagnostics Room A6
18.00 – 21.00	Welcome reception Registration Poster drop off Presentation drop off	 Foyer B section Lobby Hotel Lobby Hotel Lobby Hotel

CLOSED SESSIONS*

	 Room AZ 	 Room A8 	 Room A9 	 Room B6 	 Room B9 	 Room B10 	 Room B11
9.00 – 12.00	WP6.1	WP6.3	WP4.2	WP1.2			
12.30 – 18.30	WP6.1	WP6.3			WP7.2 and Theme 7 meeting		
13.00 – 15.00						WP2.2	
15.00 – 17.00						WP6.4	WP6.2
18.30 – 20.00						EC meeting	

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Wednesday, May 13th 2009

7.30 - 8.30

Registration
Poster drop off
Presentation drop off

Lobby Hotel
Lobby Hotel
Lobby Hotel

8.30 – 9.30

WELCOME

Hall B1

Professor Wim van der Poel, Central Veterinary Institute of Wageningen UR (CVI); Coordinator EPIZONE
'EPIZONE Crossing Borders'

8.50 – 9.00

Dr Mehmet Mehdi Eker, Minister of Agriculture and Rural Affairs Turkey
'Welcome'

9.00 – 9.30

Dr Francisco Javier Reviriego Gordejo, European Commission, Health & Consumers Directorate-General
'Transboundary and emerging diseases in the context of the new EU Animal Health Strategy'

9.30 – 10.00

KEYNOTE

Hall B1

Professor Manfred Stock, Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK)
'Predictions, projections, and perspectives of climate change'

10.00 – 12.00

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Emerging and Transboundary Diseases

Hall B1

Moderators: *Dr Piet van Rijn, Dr Paul Gale*

10.00 – 10.15

Boone, Ides

Indicators to monitor potential effects of climatic change on animal health: establishing priorities

Theme 4: Diagnostics

Hall B3

Moderators: *Dr Åse Uttenthal, Prof Christian Griot*

Dastjerdi, Akbar

Development of a DNA microarray for simultaneous detection and genotyping of lyssaviruses



10.15 – 10.30	<i>Cetre-Sossah, Catherine</i> Evidence of recent Rift Valley Fever virus circulation in Mayotte, a French island of the Indian Ocean	<i>Sareyyupoglu, Beyhan</i> Development of a Multiplex RT-PCR Technique for differentiation of FMDV serotypes in Turkey
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee Break	
11.00 – 11.15	<i>Domingo, Mariano</i> An experimental infection of European breed sheep with Rift Valley fever virus	<i>Hoffmann, Bernd</i> "Double check – double tube strategy" Improved safety for the detection of Bluetongue Virus genome in semen
11.15 – 11.30	<i>Moreno, Ana</i> Diagnostic approach to a West Nile Virus outbreak in Northern Italy on fall 2008	<i>Hammoumi, Saliha</i> Design of a one-step multiplex RT-PCR for the detection and the subtyping of H1, H3, H5, H7, N1, N2 human and avian influenza viruses
11.30 – 11.45	<i>Willeberg, Preben</i> Highly pathogenic avian influenza in wild birds in Denmark 2006: Space and time-space clustering	<i>Cullinane, Ann</i> The 2006 Outbreak of Equine Infectious Anaemia in Ireland – New Insights into an Old Disease
11.45 – 12.00	<i>Guis, Helene</i> Mapping the effects of climate change on bluetongue transmission in Europe	<i>Bergmann, Sven</i> New strategies in koi herpesvirus (KHV) diagnostics recognizing latent infected carrier fish

12.00 – 13.00 POSTER SESSION/MEET AND GREET AT MARKET /FAIR

|Hall B2|

- Poster presentations
 - Meet & greet/discussions with all Work Package leaders, Theme leaders and keynote speakers
 - General poster session
- Presentation (EU) projects**
- *Tahar Ait-Ali*: Introduction to EuroPRRSnet
 - *Cyril Gay*: Global Foot-and-Mouth Disease Research Alliance (GFRA): Future Goals and Direction

13.00 – 14.30 Lunch



14.30 – 15.00 KEYNOTE

|Hall B1|

Dr Marvin J Grubman, Plum Island Animal Disease Center

'The Role of the Leader Protein of Foot-and-Mouth Disease Virus as a Virulence Factor'

15.00 – 17.00 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Emerging and Transboundary Diseases

|Hall B1|

Moderators: *Dr Martin Beer,*
Fuat Özyörük

Theme 5: Intervention Strategies

|Hall B3|

Moderators: *Dr Marie-Frédérique Le Potier,*
Prof Markus Czub

15.00 – 15.15

Uttenthal, Åse

Novel trends to combat the transboundary animal diseases worldwide. Achievements and dissemination of the LAB-ON-SITE project of the EC

Kumar, Mahesh

Demonstration of Efficacy of Duvaxyn WNV under Field Conditions

15.15 – 15.30

De Deken, Gill

Micro-arrays as a molecular identification tool for possible BTV-8 vectors

Rasmussen, Thomas Bruun

Genetic stability of pestivirus genomes cloned into BACs

15.30 – 15.45

Galleau, Stephanie

Can vaccination prevent transplacental transmission of BTV-8 ?

Vrancken, Robert

Treatment of pigs with the antipestivirus compound BPIP reduces transmission of CSFV to untreated pigs

15.45 – 16.00

Thuer, Barbara

Toggenburg orbivirus (TOV): Genomic features, experimental infection, pathology and epidemiology of a novel bluetongue virus detected in goats from Switzerland

Rodríguez, Fernando

Immunization with a recombinant Baculovirus encoding a fusion of three African Swine Fever Virus (ASFV) antigens under the control of the mammalian CMV promoter protect pigs against a sublethal challenge with ASFV

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee break



16.30 – 16.45	<i>Froehlich, Andreas</i> Bluetongue disease – Evaluation of the Monitoring and Surveillance System of the European Union	<i>Ortego, Javier</i> Establishment of a bluetongue virus infection model in mice to evaluate vaccination strategies
16.45 – 17.00	<i>Van Rijn, Piet</i> Bluetongue virus serotype 6 in the Netherlands	<i>Le Potier, Marie-Frédérique</i> Improving the potency of mucosal immunisation using Ligand grafted PLGA Microspheres

17.00 – 18.30 POSTER SESSION/MEET AND GREET AT MARKET/FAIR

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- *Gaëlle Kuntz-Simon*: Introduction to ESNIP2
 - *Keith Sumption* : EUFMD, netspertise and FMD control: maintaining regional expertise needs a global network solution?

17.30 – 18.30 CLOSED SESSION*

FLUTRAIN
|Room B10|

20.00 - Late Beach Party

|Beach|

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Thursday, May 14th 2009

8.00 – 9.00 Registration |Lobby Hotel|
 Poster drop off |Lobby Hotel|
 Presentation drop off |Lobby Hotel|

9.00 – 9.30 KEYNOTE

|Hall B1|

Professor Aykut Ozkul, Ankara University

'Life threatening Crimean Congo Haemorrhagic Fever in Turkey: Characteristics, Epidemiology and Future Perspectives'

9.30 – 11.30 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Epizootic Diseases of Pig and Poultry

|Hall B1|

Moderators: *Dr Linda Dixon, Dr William Dundon*

Kalthoff, Donata

In vitro-induced HPAIV H5N1 escape mutants: In vitro and in vivo characterization

9.30 – 9.45

9.45 – 10.00

Brunhart, Iris

Investigation of the epidemiology of avian influenza in wild birds at Lake Constance – a tri-national project of Germany, Switzerland and Austria

10.00 – 10.15

Gale, Paul

Novel Exposure pathways for poultry to H5N1 HPAI Virus from wild birds and poultry products

10.15 – 10.45 Coffee break

Theme 6: Epidemiology and Surveillance

|Hall B3|

Moderators: *Dr Claes Enøe, Dr Laura Powell*

Eblé, Phaedra

Quantifying Foot-and-Mouth Disease and Swine Vesicular Disease Virus transmission parameters; collaborative output of EPIZONE WP 6.3

Weesendorp, Eefke

Airborne excretion and transmission of Classical swine fever virus

Matras, Marek

Monitoring of the fish viral diseases in Poland in 2004-2008- factors predisposing to dissemination of infectious agents



10.45 – 11.00

Greiser-Wilke, Irene

Classical swine fever – Eradication in the Americas, and cooperation with the OIE and European Union Reference Laboratory (OIE-EURL)

Hagenaars, Thomas

Risk Maps for the Spread of Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza in Poultry

11.00 – 11.15

Schroeder, Sabine

Evaluation of CSFV Antibody ELISAs for the differentiation of infected from vacci-nated animals

Mathey, Alexander

New Flubird Database - Platform for Data Exchange and Knowledge Building in Avian Influenza Surveillance

11.15 – 11.30

Fernandez-Pinero, Jovita

New molecular approaches for detection of African Swine Fever Virus

Elbers, Armin

To report or not to report: a psychosocial investigation aimed at improving early detection of Avian Influenza outbreaks

11.30 – 12.30

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Presentation (EU) projects

- *Michèle Bouloy*: Introduction to ARBO-ZOONET
- *William Dundon*: FLUAID – “Project achievements”

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00 – 14.45

KEYNOTE

|Hall B1|

Dr Geneviève Libeau, Centre de coopération Internationale en Recherche Agronomique pour le Développement and

Professor Tom Barret, Institute for Animal Health, Pirbright Laboratory

‘Peste des petits ruminants virus (PPRV): Application of molecular technologies to understanding and controlling the disease’



14.45 – 16.45 CLOSED SESSION*

EuroPRRSnet

[Room A5]

14.45 – 16.45 ORAL PRESENTATIONS

Epizootic Diseases of Ruminants

[Hall B1]

Moderators: *Prof Volker Moennig,
Dr Philippe Vannier*

14.45 – 15.00

Batten, Carrie

Transplacental transmission of bluetongue serotype 8 (BTV-8) in the United Kingdom (2007-2008)

15.00 – 15.15

Rikula, Ulla

Bluetongue surveillance in Finland 2007-2009

15.15 – 15.30

Van Rijn, Piet

Bluetongue in the Netherlands: Preparedness on the unexpected

15.30 – 16.00 Coffee break

16.00 – 16.15

Ranz, Ana

Approaches to DIVA assays for Bluetongue Diagnostic

Theme 7: Risk assessment

[Hall B3]

Moderators: *Prof Franz Conraths,
Prof Alex Donaldson*

14.45 – 15.00

De Vos, Clazien

Quality of veterinary import risk analysis studies

15.00 – 15.15

Mintiens, Koen

A decision analysis model for the control of foot and mouth disease

15.15 – 15.30

Suszynski, Marcin

Simulated surveillance sampling for foot-and-mouth disease

16.00 – 16.15

Wilking, Hendrik

Highly mobile pathogens and their early detection- Possibilities and constraints of avian influenza surveillance in wild birds

* This round table discussion is only accessible by invitation



16.15 – 16.30

Bu, Zhigao

Efficacy evaluation of goatpox virus vectored peste-des-petits-ruminants vaccine in Field

Martinez, Marta

Wild bird movements as a way of introduction of transboundary emerging diseases: the case of Crimean Congo hemorrhagic fever

16.30 – 16.45

Parida, Satya

Detection of FMD Infection in Vaccinated Animals (DIVA) in Turkey: Comparison of tests to detect FMDV carrier animals

De Vos, Clazien

Veterinary risk of deer in robust natural corridors in the Netherlands

16.45 – 18.15

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Presentation (EU) projects

- *Declan O'Brien*: Introduction to DISCONTTOOLS and ETPGAH
- *Mari Smits*: EADGENE overview and results

16.45 – 17.30

CLOSED SESSIONS*

Discussion workgroup WP5.1 RVFV vaccines
|Room B10|

Discussion workgroup WP5.1 DIVA vaccines
|Room B11|

20.00 - Late

Cocktail Pro Lounge

|Hall B2|

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14th May



Friday, May 15th 2009

OPEN SESSIONS

	<u> Hall A1 </u>	<u> Hall A2 </u>
8.45 – 13.15	ARBO-ZOONET: WNV and CCHFV <i>and</i> IC6.6: BTV Epidemiology	<i>Sumption, Keith</i> PCP to FMD freedom - concept and vision for stimulating risk based FMD surveillance and control at national, regional and global scale GFRA workshop: FMD

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	<u> Room A4 </u>	<u> Room A6 </u>	<u> Room A7 </u>	<u> Room A8 </u>	<u> Room A9 </u>	<u> Room A10 </u>
9.00 – 13.00						CF meeting
9.00 – 10.00	Discussion workgroup WP5.1 ASFV vaccines		Discussion workgroup WP5.1 BTV vaccines			
10.50 – 11.30	WP5.4		WP5.1	WP5.2	WP5.3	
11.30 – 12.30		General Theme 5 discussion				
14.00 - 17.30			IC 6.6			

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