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Improving the quality and sustainability of beef production

This issue of *Advances in Animal Biosciences* includes papers from two sessions organised by the European Federation of Animal Science (EAAP) Cattle Network Working Group at the last EAAP Annual meeting in Belfast last year, and entitled “**Improving the quality and sustainability of beef production**”.

The EAAP Cattle Network Working Group was established in order to target exchanges between research and the industry in the whole cattle sector (dairy and beef).

Its main aims are as follows:

- Monitor and discuss trends in production and consumption of cattle products and policy measures affecting the cattle sector
- Analyse the sustainability of cattle farming in order to ensure the meeting of market and society demand and consumers’ preferences for quality and safe food, contributing to rural employment, maintaining landscape and ensuring environment management.
- Give common and standardized tools to present and describe farm management.

