Genomics Timeline

- 2001 Analytical framework published
- Dec 2007 BovineSNP50 chip
- Apr. 2008 Unofficial evaluation
- Jan. 2009 Official evaluation
- Apr. 2010 Imputation implemented
- Dec. 2010 Low density (LD 3K) chip
- · Aug. 2011 Haplotypes Impacting Fertility
- . Dec. 2011 LD 6K chip
- Apr. 2012 LD 9K chip3



Applications

Genomic PTA

- Increased reliability
- · Very young age (under 1yr, on average)
- Quality Control
 - Parentage, gender, breed, farm and lab sample handling
 - Haplotypes Impacting Fertility
- Recessives



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Effect on Sire Age

	Calf Birth Year		
Age of Sire	2008 pre-genomic	2010	2011 post-genomic
Young Sires (<5yr)	25%	37%	47%
Proven Sires (5yr – 8yr)	61%	50%	43%
Older Proven Sires (9yr+)	14%	13%	10%



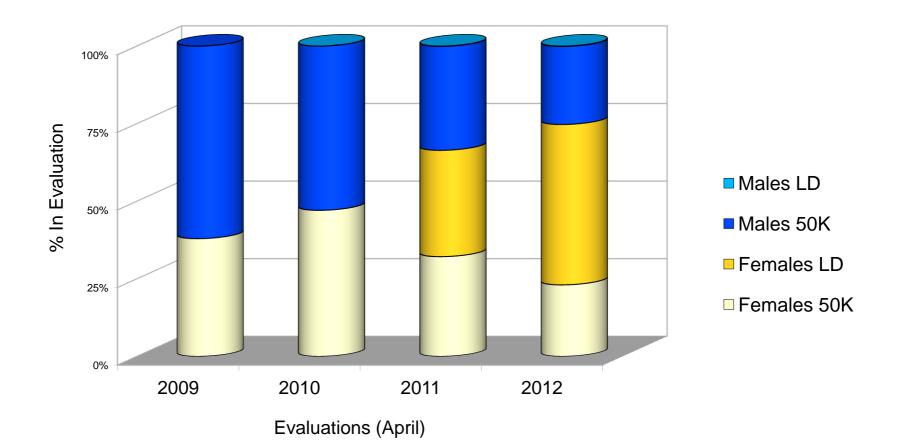
Animals Evaluated (April)

Year	Males	Females
2009	13,892	4,649
2010	18,019	16,041
2011	24,160	47,780
2012	37,779	111,824



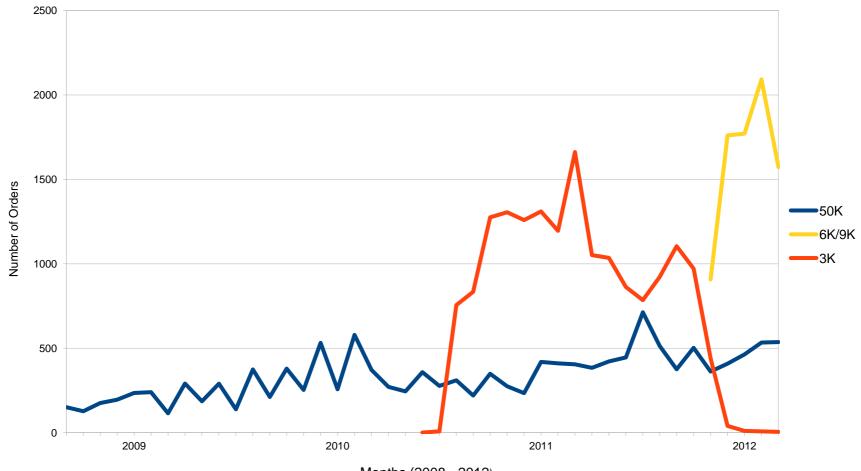
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Percentage Male and Female by chip density





Orders for Female Genomic Tests



Months (2008 - 2012)



Average Reliability (females)

50K	77%
9K	72%
6K	70%
3K	70%



Looking Ahead

- End of restriction on male evaluations
- Expect more haplotypes
- Application to new traits
- Gain insights to functional biology
- Prescriptive management

