

## **Benjamin Nieuwenhof**

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My grand parents immigrated from Holland in 1956 and bought a dairy farm. The farm grew over the years and my dad eventually took over the second production site of the family farm in 1978. After graduating in farm management from Mc Gill university, I joined the farm in 2003 and have been co owner since. We are now milking 110 cows in a freestall that was built in 2011, For the past 3 years, the herd has been producing an average of over 3.30kg of fat and protein daily. We aim to have cows that have a high lactation persistency that will reach a high daily lifetime production of kg of components.