

Dairy Asia Platform

(Country herd)

Country coordination group
- Country A
- Country B
- Country C
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(Shepherd)

Interim Steering Committee

(Care taker)

Secretariat

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- All Asian countries and stakeholders are eligible to be members of the platform

Structure/membership of steering committee

- All countries (representatives of Country Authority, National Dairy Board or Dairy Authority) are eligible to be part of the steering committee (*on voluntary basis*).
- The interim steering committees select a chairperson (2 years or until a permanent committee is established.)

Functions of the steering committee

- Formulating the regional dairy strategies, policies
- Constituting the technical working groups
- Providing the guidance to the technical working group
- Appointing the secretariat
- Evaluating the outputs from TWGs
- Calling for a periodic meeting of the Platform/the Committee
- Liaising with the national coordination groups and relevant international organizations

Structure of TWGs

- Representatives of countries in the Platform
- External experts
- Each TWG should be led by subject matter specialist/expert
- Identify/assess the problems/needs/actions to be carried out

Funding

- We need to identify someone to develop a value proposition to meet the funding needs of the Platform.
- This value proposition shall be circulated to potential funding parties such as FAO, ILRI, SEI, WB, ADB, APHCA, ASEAN, SAARC, GASL, international milk companies (e.g. Fonterra, Friesland Campina, Nestle, Danone, ...)
- National aid agencies e.g. USAID, AUSAID, DANIDA, OPEC, NZAID, JICA, TICA,
- Member countries (e.g. NDDDB, AMUL, ...)

➤ Possible secondments