

# Management and control of AMS



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Number of  
cows/AMS

Kg milk/AMS

minutes per milking

Somatic cell counts

Kg ECM/cow

Profit?

What numbers are important to show  
success of your AMS?

Most important question:

**Are all of the cows properly milked  
at least two times/24h?**

If incomplete milking:

- help individual cow.
- **find the systematic problems**

If cows are late for milking:

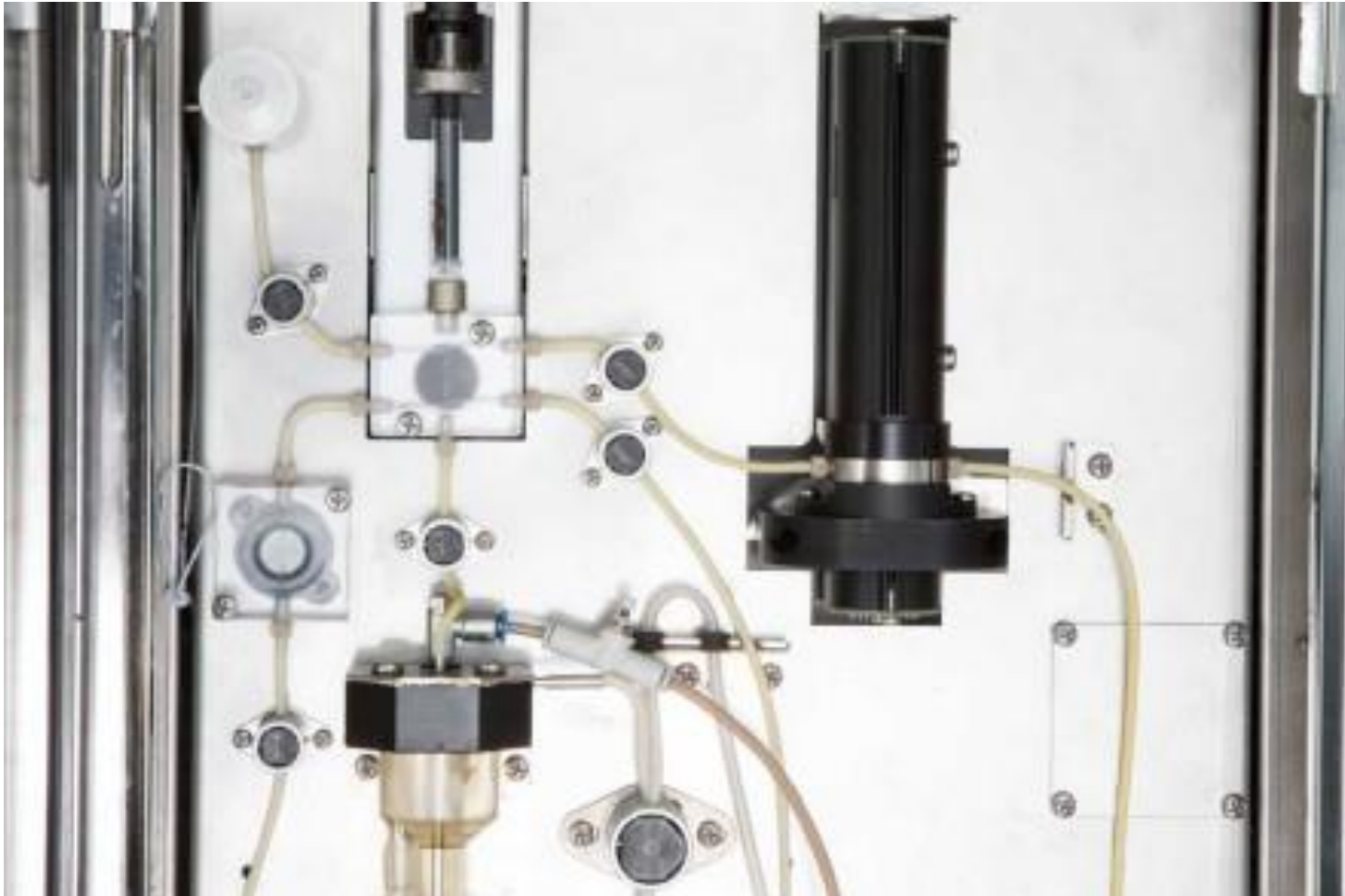
- help individual cow.
- **find the systematic problems**



# Examples on tools used to supervise the herd

- Conductivity
- Online Cell Count
- Heattime/Activity meters





- OCC- online cell counter.



Info

OCC (\*1000)

senaste

Noteringar

Planned to be culled

2094

1432

Incomplete milking

1050

Stress in herd?

Ofullständig (HB)

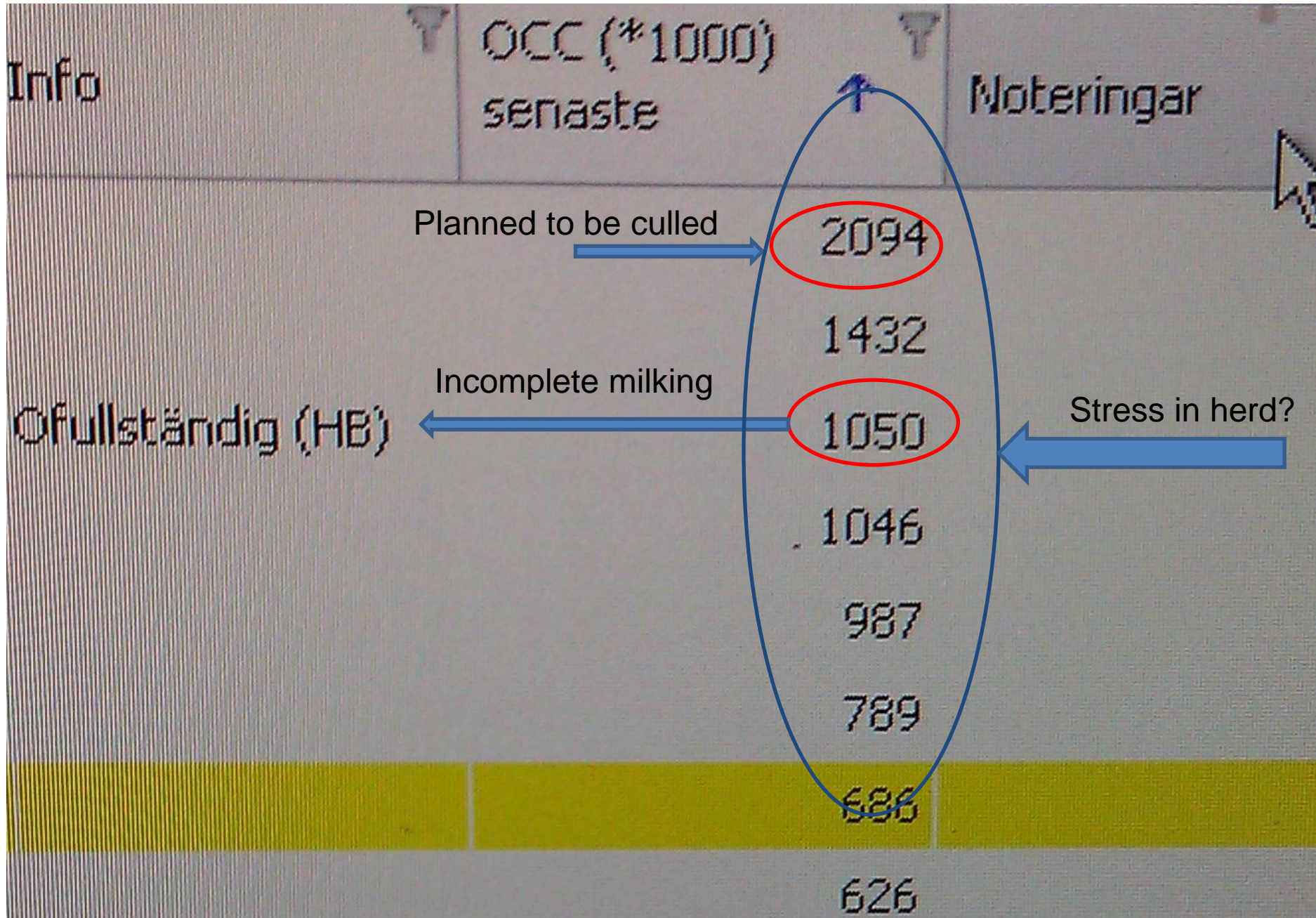
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987

789

686

626



# Why OCC?

- Find sick cows – treat and work preventive.
- Deliver milk with low somatic cell count.
- Observe and minimize stressfactors

# Activity meter systems

- Optimize fertility success
- Great for heifers in rational stables.
- Sometimes problems during pasture and when re-grouping.



Unemployed →





AMS Management programs, OCC, Heattime  
etc =

Great tools in combination with observing the  
cows!

- does every cow get the time and space to eat  
and rest properly?

