

Terminology :

Husbandry : Owner of animals without specific purpose

Production : • Livestock animals on a farm
(except for pigs, fatteners)

- Products are sold for economic purpose (Nutztiere)

↳ economic benefit

- Animals are bought from other farms at young age and are kept during lifetime, products are sold

⇒ Primary focus : economic efficiency of the production enterprise.

- In pigs: Separation is clearly identifiable
- In cattle: separation is unclear

Breeding :

- Define breeding goal.

• Breeding goal specifies which
production (traits) of animals