



The First Arctic Ungulate Conference

The First Arctic Ungulate Conference (AUC) was held in Nuuk, Greenland, 3 – 8 September, 1991. It was planned as the Third International Muskox Symposium, but it was subsequently merged with the Sixth International Reindeer/Caribou Symposium into a AUC. This is a practical solution because many of the attendants work on both species. This new arrangement will probably be maintained in the future.

Regarding Proceedings, the Conference decided, in order to speed up the rate of publication, papers delivered at the AUC should appear in ordinary issues of RANGIFER and not, as in the past, in a single Special issue. Both full papers and expanded abstracts will be published after peer review.

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Independant descriptors:

Micellaneous

Activity
Annual cycle
Competition
Diseases
General principles
Periodicity
Seasonality
Vectors

Ordinary descriptors:

Anatomy

Bile duct
Cytology
Epithelial cells
Granular cells
Histology
Leukocytes
Mast cells

General physiology

Tritiated water

Bacterial diseases

Vectors*

Viral diseases

Papillomatosis
Vectors*

Pasture plants

Arboreal lichens*

Nutritional requirements

Nutritional status

Reproduction

Factors influencing rutting

Growth and development

Body weight
Carcass weight

Reindeer industry

History*
Introduction
Ownership

Products

Factors influencing meat quality
Palatability*
Sinews

Wild reindeer and caribou

Extinction

Environment

Arboreal lichens*
Effects on vegetation
Radiocaesium

Anthropology

Cultural

Parasitology

Ectoparasites
Insect control

Feeding

Types of feed*
Nutritive value*

In: Emergency feeding,

Supplementary feeding and

Feeding in captivity:

Change of feed