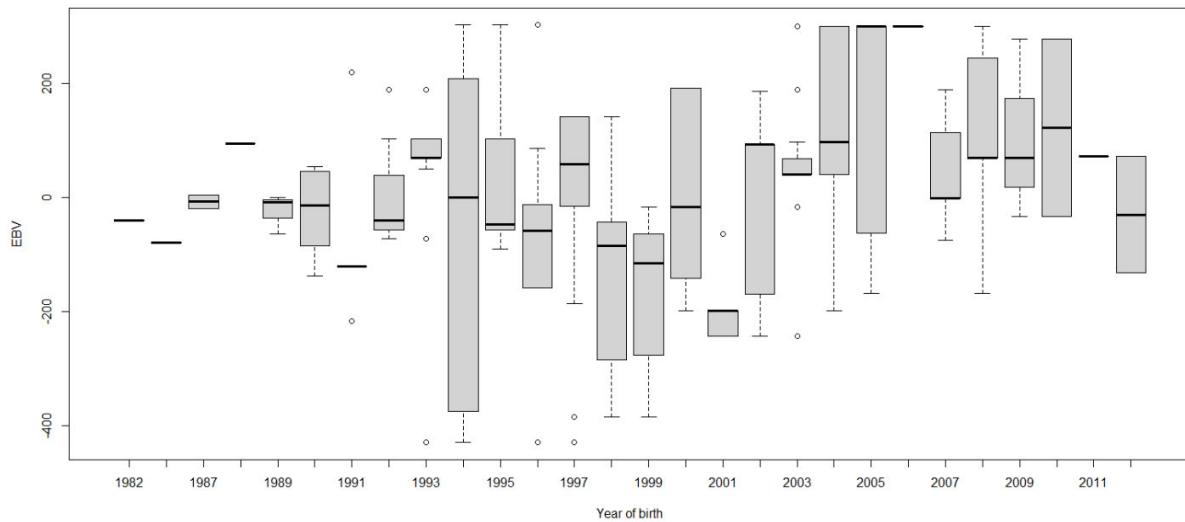


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Supplementary Figure S1. Boxplots of estimated breeding value (EBVs) by year of birth of sires for the Wood model cumulative 305-day milk yield in the first lactation. The genetic trend of the Wood model cumulative 305-day milk yield EBV shows an inconsistent pattern over the year of birth. From 2002, the trend increased with fluctuation.