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Information Sheet - Accelerated Growth Feeding Guidelines for Palastart & Palastart Blue.



Recommended feeding rates for calves only. This feeding program should only be used when calves are supervised closely. Prior to commencement of feeding to other animals please consult your local vet.

Palastart Milk Replacers are suitable for all types of animals.

Age of Animal	Volume - Twice Daily	Volume - Once Daily
*4 - 10 days	1.5 - 2.5 litres add 125 - 150 grams of powder per litre.	2.0 - 2.5 litres add 200 - 225 grams of powder per litre.
11 - 21 days	2.5 - 3.5 litres add 125 - 150 grams of powder per litre.	2.5 - 4.0 litres add 200 - 225 grams of powder per litre.
3 Weeks to Weaning	Increase gradually from 3.5 litres to 5 litres add 125 - 150 grams of powder per litre.	Increase gradually from 4.0 litres to 5 litres add 200 - 225 grams of powder per litre.

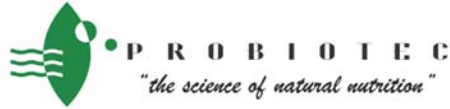
**Where possible colostrum and transition milk should be fed for the first 4 days (See PBIS Colostrum Feeding).
Important.*

- Palastart Blue milk replacer should be added at the higher addition rates (150 or 225 grams) shown in the table.
- Feeding guidelines are based on average weights for new-born calves.
- Feed smaller calves at the lowest volume indicated in the table above.
- Feed bigger calves at the middle to higher volumes indicated in the table above.

Feeding.

- For twice a day feeding 8 - 9 hours should elapse between feeds.
- For once a day feeding feed at the same time each day. It is best to feed twice a day for the first seven (7) days if possible.
- Feed the milk replacer at the same temperature each feeding.
- Changes to feeding volume and concentration should be made gradually.

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- Clean fresh water should be available at all times.
- Good quality pellets or concentrates should be available ad lib from day Five (5).

Mixing.

- Mix the required quantity of powder (125 to 150 grams for twice a day and 200 to 225 grams for once a day) with one (1) litre of warm water to obtain the correct concentration for milk replacer.
- Fill the container with the required volume of clean warm water and slowly add the powder.
- Stir vigorously.
- Continue stirring until all of the powder and lumps have dissolved.
- Use as soon as possible after mixing.

For Further information on any of the points mentioned above contact your Palastart representative on 1800 067 919.

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