



# CALF REARER MIX

HIGHLY PALATABLE, STEAM-FLAKED BARLEY AND PELLET MIX FOR OPTIMAL RUMEN DEVELOPMENT IN GROWING CALVES

## INGREDIENTS

- ▶ Molasses (sweetener to aid palatability and intake)
- ▶ Quality grains (steam-flaked barley)
- ▶ Vegetable proteins (high protein-starch pellet)
- ▶ BioPAK® baby calf premix (includes vitamins, trace minerals and ActiSaf® on a highly digestible protein-starch pellet to aid consumption)

## FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- ▶ Molasses – ensures rapid acceptance and increases starter intakes
- ▶ Min 18% Crude Protein (as fed) – optimal growth and development
- ▶ High starch content – accelerates rumen papillae growth
- ▶ Steam-flaked grains – improves texture and digestibility in the developing rumen
- ▶ BioPAK® baby calf premix pellet – aids micro-nutrient consumption, improves gut health and rumen microbial status
- ▶ **Ionophore Free** – suitable for non-medicated beef programs

### TYPICAL ANALYSIS (AS FED)

Crude Protein	Energy MJ ME/kg DM	Crude Fibre	Salt	Urea	Calcium	Phosphorus	Ionophore
Min 18%	Min 12 MJ	Max 12%	Max 0.5%	Nil	Min 1.0%	Min 1.5%	Nil

20KG BAGS  
800KG BULK BAGS



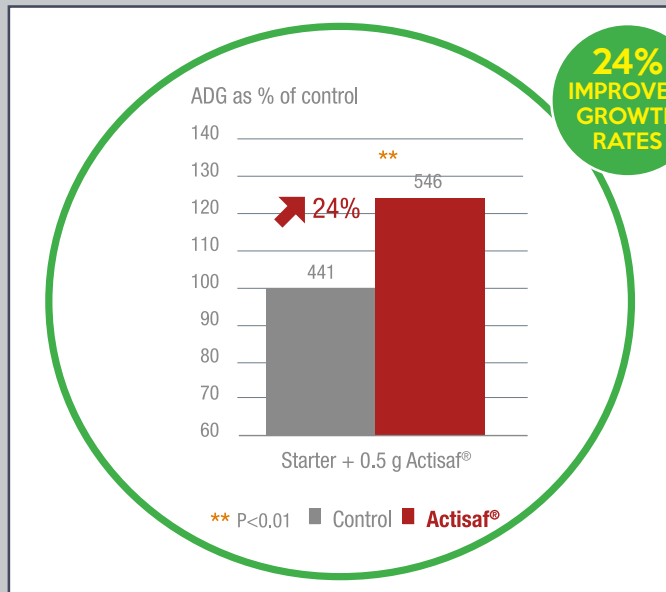
## FEEDING DIRECTIONS

- ▶ **Dairy** - Introduce Calf Starter Muesli from 2 days of age to encourage early consumption of starter feed, then transition across to Calf Rearer Mix or a readily available Calf Starter ration (pellets or mash)
- ▶ **Beef** - Introduce Calf Rearer Mix from 2 days of age to encourage early consumption of starter feed and continue feeding throughout the rearing phase
- ▶ Commence with smaller amounts (no more than 500g/head/day) and increase amounts according to appetite
- ▶ Starter feeds should be fed fresh daily. For best results, remove uneaten or soiled feed from the day prior and replace with fresh feed
- ▶ Calves must have access to clean, fresh water at all times
- ▶ Ensure free choice access to an effective fibre source (eg quality straw)
- ▶ Calves can be weaned when consuming at least 1kg of starter feed over 3 consecutive days and continue feeding solid ration at least 3 weeks to avoid weight checks
- ▶ Store in a clean, dry place out of direct sunlight

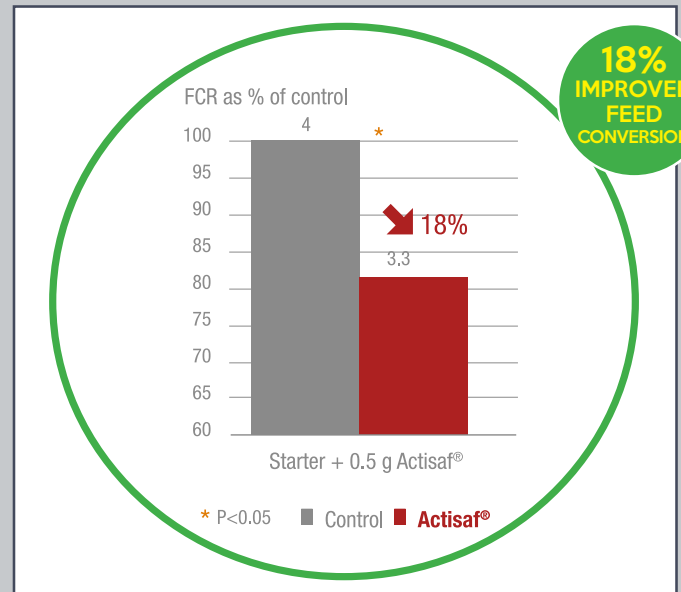
- ▶ BioPAK® baby calf premix pellet aids consumption and improves calf health and condition
  - Quality protein carrier ensures palatability and consumption of essential micro-nutrients
  - Vitamins and Minerals for body condition and metabolic function
  - ActiSaf® live yeast improves growth rates (LeSaffre trial data on file)



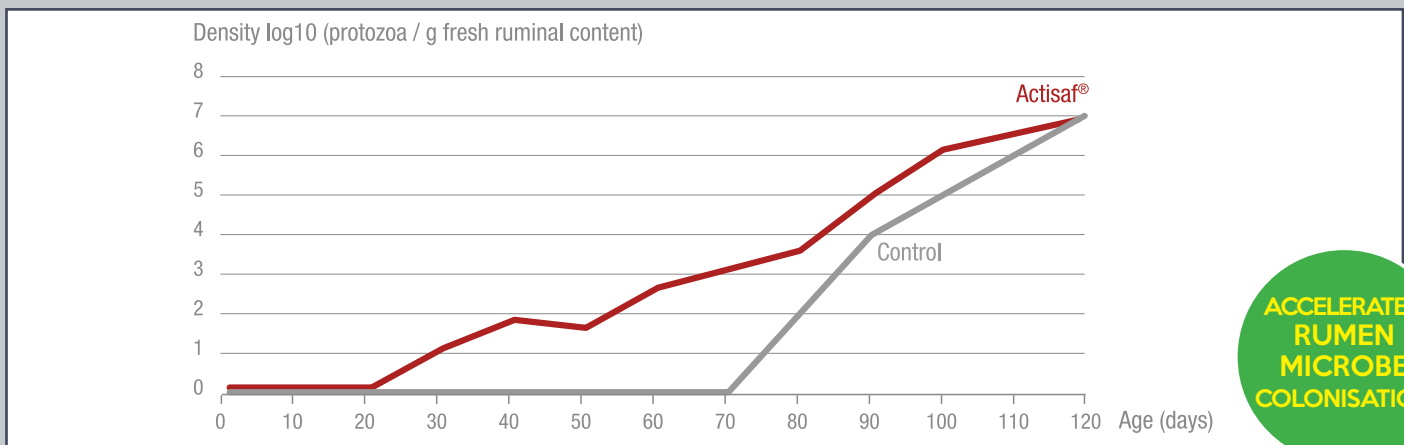
**Effect of supplementing starter feed with Actisaf® (g/calf/day) on pre-weaning ADG (g/d) in calves**



**Effect of supplementing starter feed with Actisaf® (g/calf/day) on feed conversion ratio (FCR)**



**Colonisation of the rumen of calves with protozoa with or without the addition of Actisaf® (1g/calf/day) from birth until 120 days of age**



**SEE THE ACTISAF DIFFERENCE IN YOUR CALVES WITH FEEDRITE CALF REARER MIX**

- ▶ Improved pre-weaned growth rates - hit target weights earlier
- ▶ Improved feed conversion - get more out of your starter feed
- ▶ Accelerated microbe colonisation - early rumen microbial activity