"Making the Most of the Big Dollar Cattle Treatments: Antibiotics and Dewormers"



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DIFFERENT NAMES SAME DISEASE

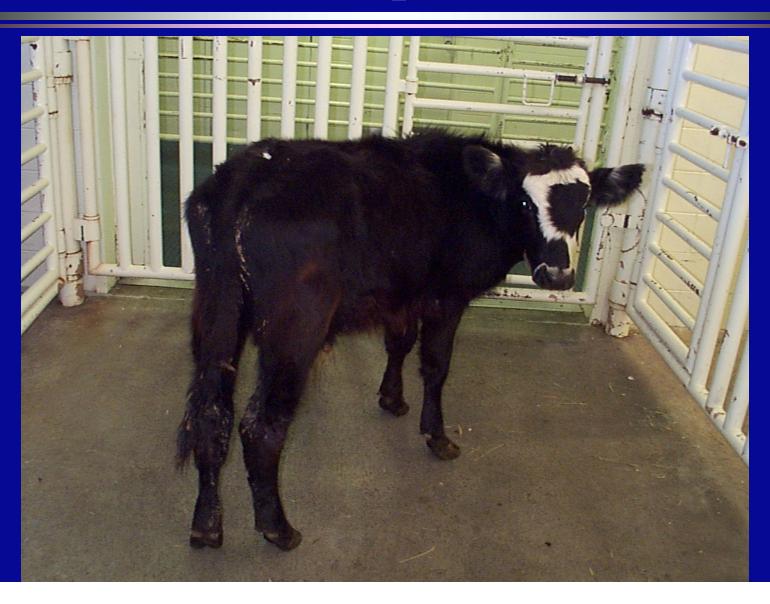
- PNEUMONIA
- SHIPPING FEVER
- BRDC (BOVINE RESPIRATORY DISEASE COMPLEX)
- SICK

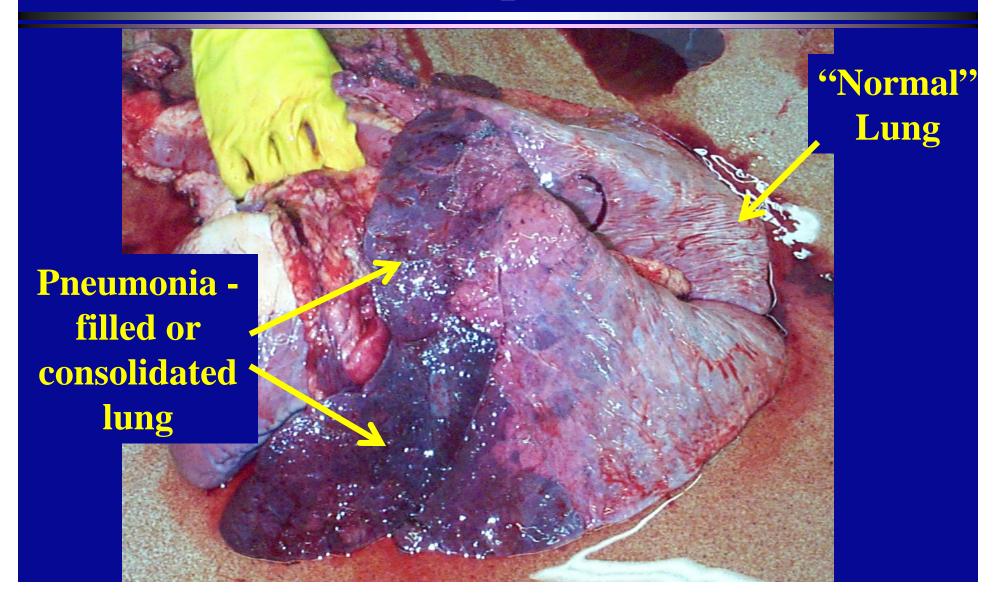
- Nose
- Throat
- Windpipe
- .Lung



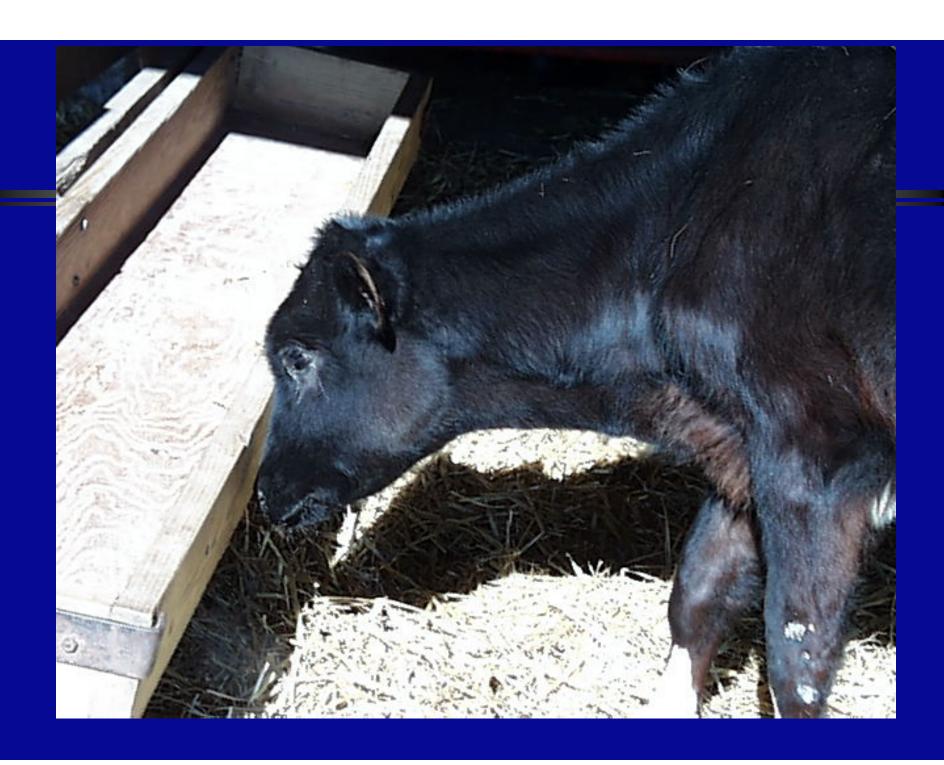
- Viruses: IBR, PI₃, BRSV, BVD
- Viruses: dozens of other viruses (like the human cold)
- Viruses are most important in the upper tract
- Don't respond to antibiotics, seldom kill cattle alone

- Bacteria Mannheimia hemolytica, P. mutocida, Haemophilus, Mycoplasma bovis
- Live in upper tract in normal cattle
- Multiply in upper tract in stressed cattle
- Important when invade lung ______
 Death!!!





- Depression
- Fever
- Decreased appetite
- Coughing
- Nasal discharge



- Depression Other causes: exhaustion, digestive disorders, variations in normal behavior
- Fever
- Decreased appetite
- Coughing
- Nasal discharge

DEPRESSED

- EARS DOWN
- HEAD EXTENDED
- AWAY FROM OTHER CATTLE
- CALVES DON'T STRETCH WHEN THEY GET UP







- Depression
- Fever- Cattle are poor regulators of body temperature: environmental effects
- Decreased appetite
- Coughing
- Nasal discharge

Fever

- -Normal temperature of cattle 101°-102°F
- -Critical temperature 102.5 °F to 103.5 °F
- Temperature Considerations
 - Time of day: temperatures increase up to 1.5 °F through the day and are less reliable
 - -Ease of handling before temperature taking

- Fever
- Temperature Considerations
 - -Environmental temperature
 - -Wet?
 - -Prior intramuscular treatment
 - -Treatment with Banamine, Aspirin?

- Fever
- Taking Temperatures
 - **–Digital thermometers Durable**
 - -Rapid electronic thermometers
 - –Routine temping off truck?, during processing?

- Depression
- Fever
- Decreased appetite Judging appetite on a new ration and in a new environment may be difficult: Body fill
- Coughing
- Nasal discharge

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- Fever
- Decreased appetite
- Coughing Cattle cough normally after getting up in the morning, after exercise
- Nasal discharge

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- Coughing Cattle with just colds (viral infections of the nose, throat and windpipe) will cough
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- Depression
- Fever
- Decreased appetite
- Coughing
- Nasal discharge Cattle with just colds (viral infections of the nose, throat and windpipe) will have nasal discharges

- Too late!
 - –Rapid breathing
 - -Hard breathing
 - -Dehydration
 - -Death

Summary: Identifying Respiratory Disease

- How good are your "sick-finding" skills, systems?
- Thermometer is a tool to check your detection skills, monitor treatments

DRUGS APPROVED FOR TREATING BRDC

BEFORE 1993

- PENICILLIN
- **OXYTET-100**
- TYLAN
- LA-200 (Generics)
- ERYTHROMYCIN
- AMPICILLIN
- AMOXICILLIN
- NAXCEL
- SULFA PILLS

SINCE 1993

- MICOTIL
- NUFLOR, Gold, Resflor
- EXCENEL/ EXCEDE
- BAYTRIL
- ADVOCIN
- Draxxin
- Zactran
- Zuprevo

SINCE 1993

- VETERINARY LABEL
- Caution: Federal Law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian.

MICOTIL

- ONE DOSE
 PROVIDES 72
 HOURS OF
 THERAPY
- 1/97 APPROVED
 FOR TREATMENT
 OF CATTLE AT
 HIGH RISK OF
 DEVELOPING
 BRDC Metaphylaxis



MICOTIL Flex Dose

As a result of improved health, Micotil metaphylaxis at 3 mL/cwt also delivered higher net returns per head at closeout:

- \$126 advantage compared to nontreated controls
- \$39 advantage compared to Micotil at 1.5 mL/cwt

Table 1. Animal Health Data, Texas Trial*

	Control	Micotil 1.5 mL	Micotil 3.0 mL	P-value**
BRD morbidity, % (n)	34.0 (68) ^a	24.3 (97) ^b	16.8 (67) ^c	<0.01
BRD mortality, % (n)	13.5 (27) ^a	7.5 (30) ^b	6.0 (24) ^b	0.02
BRD removals, % (n)	3.5 (7)	2.5 (10)	1.5 (6)	0.33
Total BRD loss***, % (n)	17.0 (34) ^a	10.0 (40) ^b	7.5 (30) ^b	0.01
Net return/hd	-41.41ª	45.19 ^b	84.61 ^b	0.02

^{*}Data presented as an arithmetic means and analyzed on a pen means basis.

^{**}P-values are from the assessment of the overall treatment effect.

^{***}Total loss = mortality + removals.

a,b,c Different superscripts in same row differ P<0.05.

NUFLOR

- APPROVEDJUNE 1996
- DOSE
 - **3CC / 100 LBS**
 - REPEAT IN 48 HOURS
- WITHDRAWAL
 - **■**28 DAYS



NUFLOR

- LATERAPPROVAL
- "ONE DOSE SUBQ"
- DOSE
 - ■6 CC / 100 LBS
- WITHDRAWAL
 - ■38 DAYS



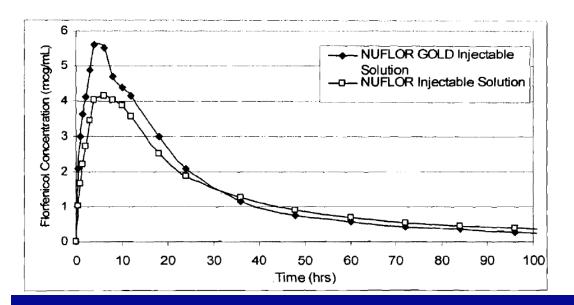
NUFLOR

- Metaphylaxis
 APPROVAL
 - TREATMENT OF CATTLE AT HIGH RISK OF DEVELOPING BRDC
 - TREATMENT OF FOOTROT



NUFLOR Gold

Figure 1. Mean Florfenicol Plasma Concentration versus Time Following SC Injection of NUFLOR GOLD Injectable Solution or NUFLOR Injectable Solution in Cattle





Resflor Gold

- Combination Drug: Nuflor and Banamine
 - Syringability Issue
 - Mycoplasma label



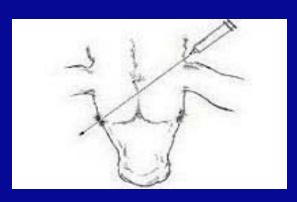
EXCENEL

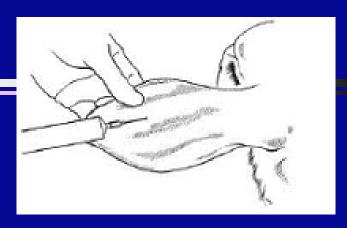
- SAME ACTIVE INGREDIENT AS NAXCEL
- SESAME SEED OIL SUSPENSION
- DOSE
 - 1-2 CC / 100 LBS ONCE A DAY
- WITHDRAWAL
 - **2 DAYS**



EXCEDE

- SAME ACTIVE INGREDIENT AS NAXCEL, EXCENEL
- Slower release form
- DOSE
 - 1-.5 ML / 100 LBS Single Dose
- WITHDRAWAL
 - **13 DAYS**







BAYTRIL

- APPROVED FOR TREATMENT OF BRDC IN BEEF CATTLE OR HOLSTEIN STEERS ONLY
- MAY NOT BE USED FOR ANYTHING ELSE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES

BAYTRIL

- SINGLE DOSE
 - ■3.4-5.7 CC / 100 LBS ONE TIME
- MULTIPLE DAY DOSE
 - 1.1-2.3 CC / 100 LBS ONCE A DAY X 3
- WITHDRAWAL
 - ■28 DAYS
- Mycoplasma label



ADVOCIN

- SINGLE DOSE
 - 1.5 ml / 100 LBS, repeat in 48 hours
 - 2 ml/ 100 LBS Single dose

- WITHDRAWAL
 - ■4 DAYS

Draxxin

- Single Dose Treatment
 - 1.1 ml/100 lb. BW
- WITHDRAWAL
 - 18 Days
- Mycoplasma label
- Foot rot and Pinkeye



Zactran

- SINGLE DOSE
 - 2 ml/ 110 lb
- WITHDRAWAL
 - 35 days
- Mycoplasma label



Zuprevo

SINGLE DOSE

- 1 ml/ 100 lb
- WITHDRAWAL
 - 21 days
- Long term tissue levels claim



Time in Lung Tissues for Mannheimia

Product	Dose	Hours
Oxytetracycline (LA200, etc)	4.5 ml/ 100 lb	48 hours
Nuflor	6 ml/ 100 lb	80 hours
Micotil	1.5 ml / 100 lb	65 hours
Micotil	3 ml / 100 lb	5 days
Excede	1.5 ml/ 100 lb	7 to 10 days
Draxxin	1.1 ml / 100 lb	10 to 14 days
Baytril	5 ml / 100 lb	10 to 14 days
Zactran	2 ml / 110 lb	12 to 16 days
Zuprevo	1 ml/100 lb	28 days

Antibiotic Costs

- Older antibiotics can be very economical (generic oxytetracycline as low as \$1) but effective???
- Newer antibiotics significantly more expensive
- Newest antibiotics compared to Draxxin
 - Zactran 15% less
 - Zuprevo 15% more

BANAMINE (Flunixin)

- NON-STEROIDAL
 ANTIINFLAMMATORY
 DRUG (NSAID)
- SIMILAR TO ASPIRIN
- LABELED TO REDUCE
 FEVER AND
 INFLAMMATION
 ASSOCIATED WITH
 BRDC





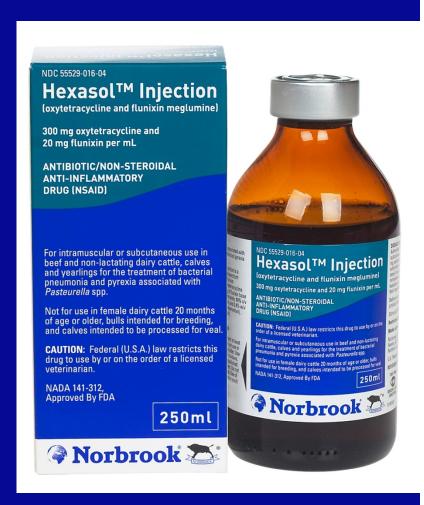


BANAMINE

- DOSE
 - ■1-2 CC / 100 LBS ONCE A DAY FOR 1-3 DAYS IV
- WITHDRAWAL
 - ■4 DAYS

Antibiotics plus Flunixin







Mycoplasma: The organism

 Mycoplasma: a group of the smallest free-living organisms, unlike the bacteria and virus.

 Bacteria have a solid cell-wall structure (many antibiotics work here).

■ Mycoplasmas: like a jelly-fish with a very pliable and sticky membrane.



Mycoplasma Problems

- Pneumonia
 - Just as deadly as other bacteria: often have the two together
- Joint Problems
 - Severe lameness
- Ear Infection: drooped ear, may break and drain





Mycolplasma Treatment

Products Specifically approved for *Mycoplasma bovis*:

- Draxxin ®
- Resflor Gold ®
- Baytril 100 ®
- Zactran®

Prolonged treatment often necessary

DEVELOPING A TREATMENT PROTOCOL

- RECOGNITION OF BRDC
- WHY DO CALVES DIE?
- WHEN DO I TREAT
- WHAT ANTIBIOTIC SHOULD I USE?
- WHAT OTHER SUPPORTIVE DRUGS SHOULD I USE?
- WHAT ELSE CAN INCREASE THE CALF'S CHANCE OF SURVIVAL?

Treatment Success

- A joint result of calves' defenses and drug treatment
- No antibiotic good enough without help from the calf

WHY CALVES DIE

- BAD LUCK (LAS VEGAS DISEASE)
- BOUGHT SICK
- TREATED TOO LATE
- USED THE WRONG DRUG

WHEN DO I TREAT?

- IF CALVES ARE TREATED

 EARLY IN THE COURSE OF THE

 DISEASE ALMOST ANY DRUG

 WILL WORK
- IF CALVES ARE TREATED LATE IN THE COURSE OF THE DISEASE IT DOESN'T MATTER WHICH ANTIBIOTIC YOU USE

WHAT ANTIBIOTIC SHOULD I USE?

- Tetracycline, sulfas, ampicillin, and amoxicillin are less powerful drugs and will often not be effective but may be useful in some cases. Economical.
- Penicillin, tylosin and erythromycin will generally not be effective.

WHAT OTHER DRUGS MAY HELP?

- Flunixin
 - REDUCE FEVER AND LUNG DAMAGE
 - HELP GET CALVES BACK ON FEED
- ORAL FLUIDS
 - STIMULATE APPETITE
 - CORRECT DEHYDRATION
- VIT B AND PROBIOTICS ??
 - STIMULATE APPETITE

WHAT ELSE WILL HELP THIS CALF?

- EXCELLENT QUALITY FEED
 - GRAIN (carefully)
 - HAY
- GRASS OR RYE
- SUNLIGHT
- TLC

WHAT ELSE WILL HELP THIS CALF?

- Feeding antibiotics?
 - -Even at high levels don't get "treatment" levels in cattle tissues
 - -Depress build up of Pasteurella in upper respiratory tract? Depress mycoplasma, histophilus?
 - -Many testimonials of value

SWITCHING ANTIBIOTICS? CALF BASIS

- SWITCH ANTIBIOTICS IF CALF DOES NOT IMPROVE IN 24-48 HOURS
- MONITOR
 - **TEMPERATURE**
 - **CALF'S APPETITE**
 - **CALF'S ATTITUDE**

SWITCHING ANTIBIOTICS? HERD

- GOOD RECORDS
- GOOD RECORDS
- NECROPSIES
- IMPORTANT FOR ALLOWING YOU AND YOUR
 VETERINARIAN TO MAKE GOOD DECISIONS

SWITCHING ANTIBIOTICS? HERD

- MORBIDITY (# CALVES SICK) ?
- MORTALITY (# CALVES THAT DIE) ?
 - **■**< 48 HOURS
 - **■> 48 HOURS**
- CASE FATALITY RATE?
 - NUMBER OF TREATED CALVES
 THAT DIE

when to quit - Clay Center, Dr. Griffin

- Consider two things ...
 - 1) How long ago did the "stress" start ???
 - -Auction market ... days received + 3 days
 - 2) How long have you been treating animal?
- If 1 is over 21_{days} & 2 is over 7_{days} ... QUIT
- If 2 is greater than 10 ... QUIT

TREAT ALL CALVES?

- MASS MEDICATE
- METAPHYLAXIS- treatment of all calves on arrival
- TREAT CATTLE AT HIGH RISK OF DEVELOPING BRDC

Metaphalaxis



What is Metaphalaxis

- Mass Medication
- Treatment of all animals at high risk of developing BRDC

Antibiotic Metaphylaxis for BRD in High-Risk Calves

- Does it work?
- Does it reduce BRD pull rate (morbidity rate)?
- Does it reduce BRD death losses (mortality rate)?
- Does it pay to use it?

Effects of Micotil Metaphylactic Medication - 15 Trials

	Morbidity (%) Mortality (%		lity (%)	ADG (lb)		Trial	
	Control	Micotil	Control	Micotil	Control	Micotil	Length (d)
Mechor	85.0 ^a	17.5 ^b	10.0 ^a	1.3 ^b	1.84	1.88	140
Kreikemeier	79.2	59.4	1.2	0.0	2.30	2.46	56
Brazle 1	75.6°	59.7 ^d	8.1°	1.2 ^d	1.12	1.18	28
Duff	71.9°	46.9d	0.0	0.0	2.60	2.79	35
Brazle 2	65.1c	39.8 ^d	6.3 ^c	0.9 ^d	1.06 ^c	1.23 ^d	56
Vogel	58.7°	34.5 ^d	4.5 ^c	1.7 ^d	3.18 ^c	3.21 ^d	211
Galyean 1	46.4 ^c	0.0 ^d	0.0	0.0	2.55	2.82	28
Gaylean 2	43.6°	11.9 ^d	0.0	0.0	3.14 ^e	3.47 ^f	56
Morck	42.0°	19.0 ^d	2.8 ^c	0.5 ^d	3.15	3.38	90
McCoy 1	33.7ª	11.8 ^b	0.2	0.5	2.39	2.35	28
Gaylean 3	32.8 ^a	12.1 ^b	0.0	0.0	2.72	2.78	28
Schuman 1	23.0 ^a	5.0 ^b	0.0	0.0	2.16 ^a	2.62b	34
Klemesrud	22.3 ^e	12.9 ^f	1.2	0.4	1.62 ^e	1.80 ^f	24
Schuman 2	20.0°	2.0 ^d	0.0	0.0	2.24 ^c	2.64 ^d	60
McCoy 2	16.1 ^a	5.9 ^b	0.8	0.4	1.74 ^c	2.05 ^d	30
Average	47.7	22.6	2.3	0.5	2.26	2.45	60

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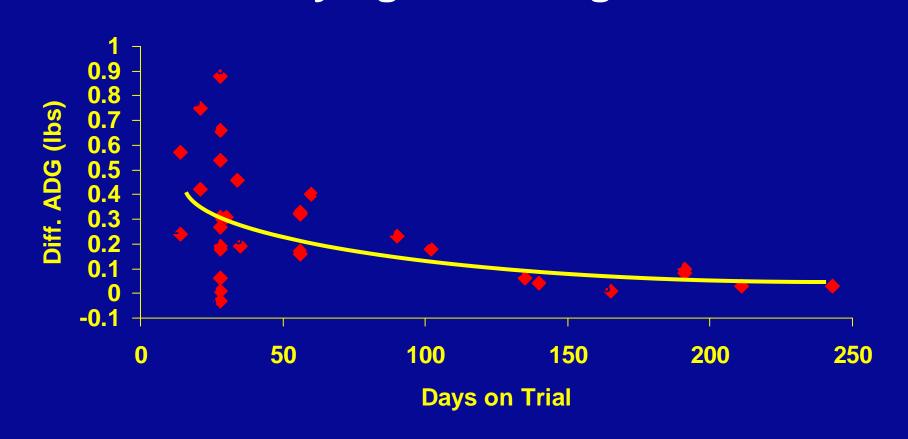
Micotil Metaphylaxis - 15 Trial Summary

(n = 6284)

ITEM	CONTROL	MICOTIL	% OVER CONTROL
MORBIDITY	47.7	22.6	52.6%
MORTALITY	2.3	0.5	78.3%
DAILY GAIN, LB	2.26	2.45	8.4%

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Difference in ADG in Micotil Metaphylaxis vs. No Metaphylaxis for Varying Trial Length



When is the best time to give an antibiotic for metaphylaxis?

- Pre shipment
 - For retained ownership cattle
- On-Arrival
- A few days post arrival

ALL CALVES ARE NOT THE SAME

- CATEGORY 1
 - PRECONDITIONED, BACKGROUNDED CALVES
- CATEGORY 2
 - CALVES TRANSFERRED FROM FARM A TO FARM B
- CATEGORY 3
 - FRESH MARKET CALVES
- CATEGORY 4
 - STALE CALVES

GOALS

PARAMETER	CATEGORY	CATEGORY	CATEGORY	CATEGORY
	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>
SICK CALVES	<=5 %	5-10%	< 15 %	<25-50%
DEAD	<1	<2%	< 3%	<5%
CALVES				
REPULLS	< 10 %	< 10 %	< 10 %	< 15<

Cattle Injections



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QUESTIONS ???

Cattle Deworming

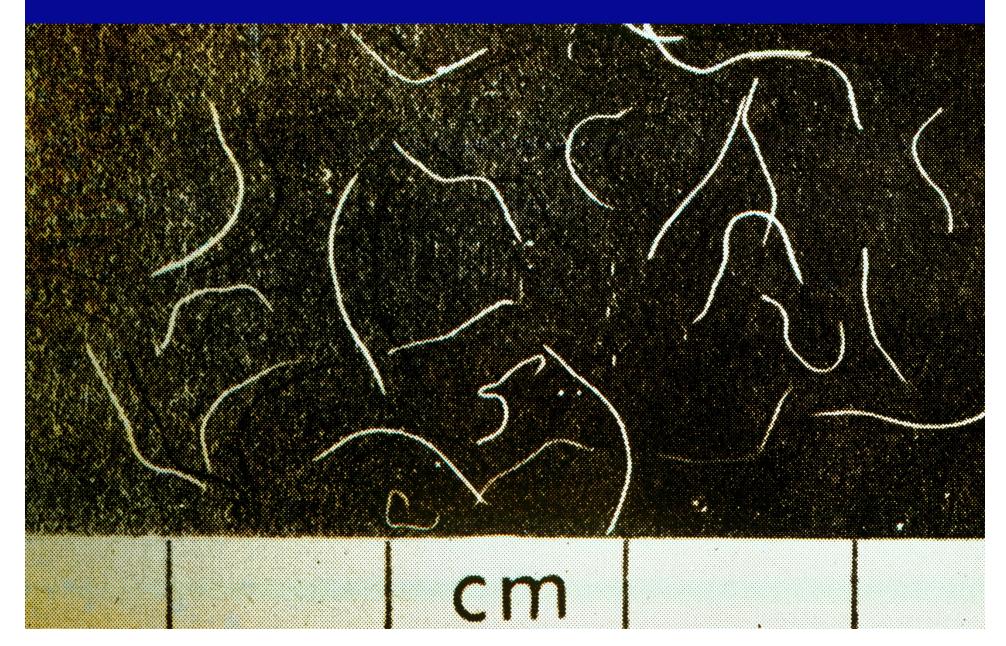


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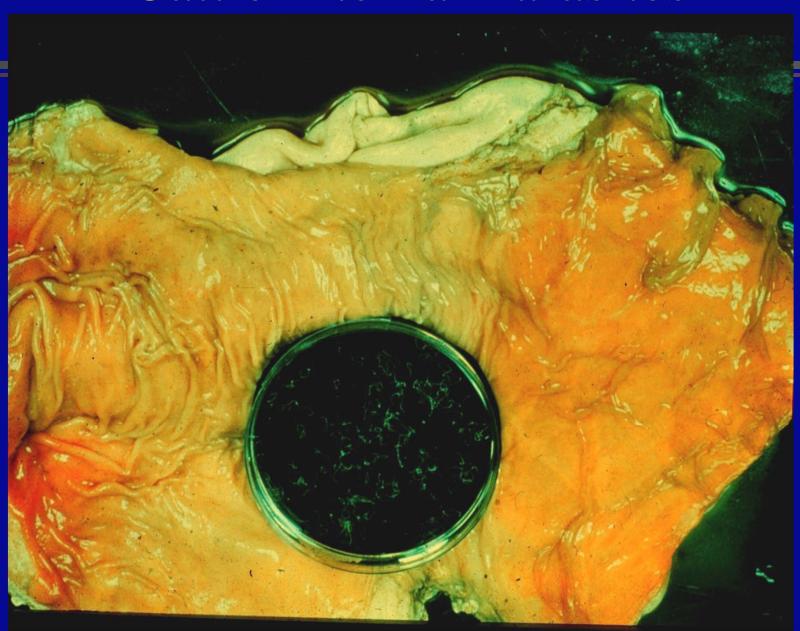
- Bottom line deworming recommendations:
 - Spring calving cow/calf: Calves
 Mid-summer and at weaning; 1st
 calvers at spring
 - Fall calving cow/calf: Calves Spring and 5,6,7 weeks later or weaning
 - Weaned calves, yearlings: Sequential spring deworming; fall: at purchase& after frost if grazing
 - Mature Cows: Don't need it, but...

• Research has clearly demonstrated that appropriate internal parasite control programs return economic benefits to cattle producers.

Cattle Internal Parasites -



Cattle Internal Parasites



- Key element is the level of contamination on pastures grazed by cattle
- Contamination = the number of developing stages or larvae of the parasites present on the plants that the cattle eat
- Larval numbers on pastures directly determine the number of worms that will be infecting cattle.

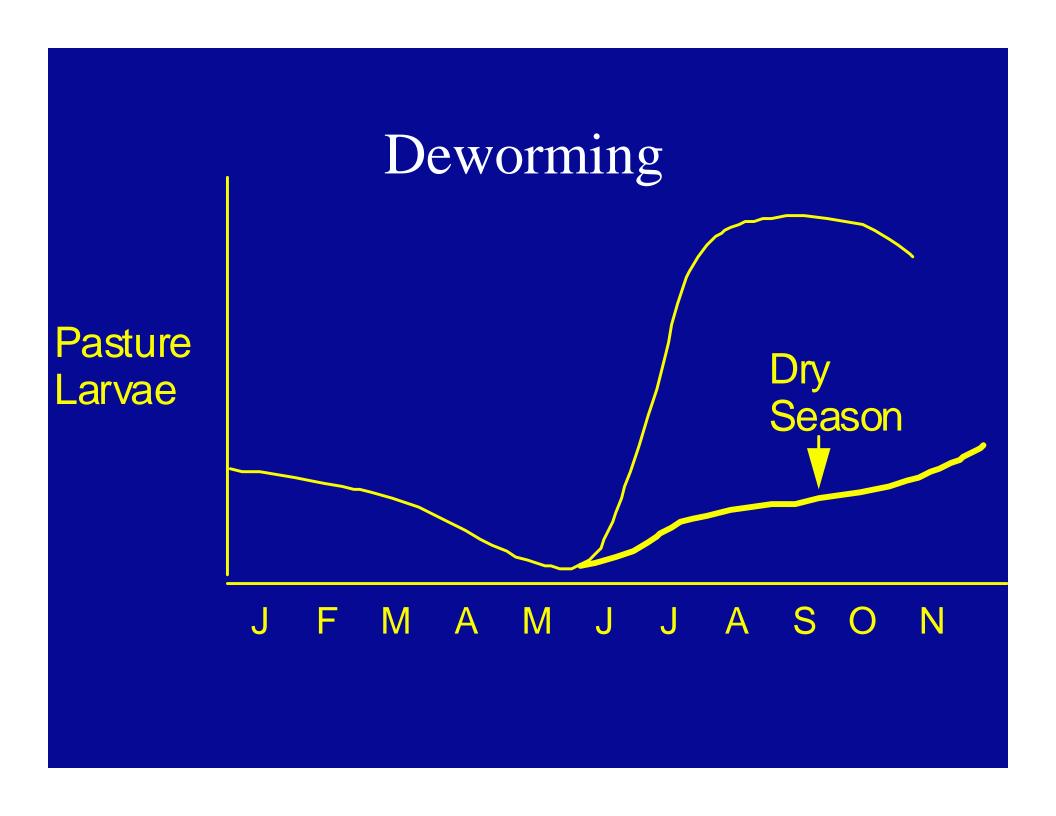
Adult and Larval Stomach worms



Parasitic larvae in a dew drop



- The most important factors that determine how long and how well the larvae survive on pasture are:
 - Temperature
 - Moisture
 - Type of soil
 - Management
- Free living parasite larvae are known to survive on pasture for many months or even years and they certainly survive over the winter





12" Pasture Stand Canopy protects lower levels from from drying, maintains favorable environment for Ostertagia larvae.



Arrested Development:

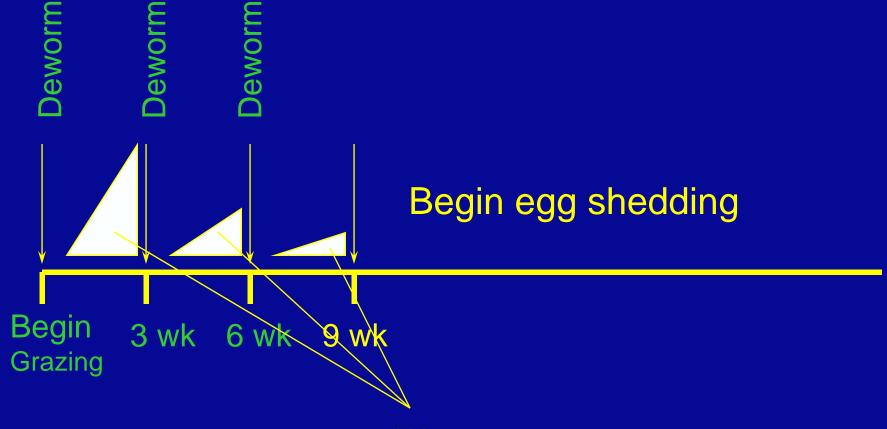
- During periods favorable for development larvae picked up by the grazing animal will develop normally into adult parasites
- Larvae picked up during times preceeding severe conditions cease development inside the lining of the stomach
- Ostertagia ostertagi is the most important
- Arrest may last up to 16-24 weeks (no damage being done to the digestive tract)
- As large numbers of these larvae resume development, damage is done to the animal

Arrested Development:

- As with parasitism other times of the year, the most common outcome is an unnoticed decrease in production
- Occasional severe outbreaks of parasitic diarrhea may occur in late winter and early spring
- Outbreaks may not be recognized as a parasitic disease since parasitic disease is not expected during the time of year when cattle aren't grazing
- Winter inhibition is typical of northern climates, the summer inhibition of southern climates

Strategic Deworming

Traditional Dewormers 0,3,6 weeks



Worm development

Table: Dewormer products commonly used in Virginia.

Drug	Trade Name(s)	Route	Cost for 500 lb. animal	Gets important Virginia worms?	Gets inhibited worms?	Special Features
Levaminsole phosphate	Tramisol Injectable Solution	Injectable	\$1.00	Yes	No	
Levaminsole phosphate	Totalon	Pour-on	\$1.45	Yes	No	Pour-on convenience
Morantel Tartrate	Rumatel	Boluses, Feed additive	\$1.25	Yes	No	
Fenbendazole	Safe-Guard, Panacur	Drench Paste	\$1.35/\$2.70	Yes	At high dose	
Fenbendazole	Safe-Guard pellets, mineral, etcMoorman's Moorguard Minerals	Oral consumable	\$1.50 to \$2.00	Yes	Probably not	On pasture or in feed treatment
Albendazole	Valbazen	Drench	\$1.50	Yes	Yes	
Oxfendazole	Synanthic	Drench, Paste	\$1.35	Yes	Yes	Small dose drench
Ivermectin	Ivomec Cattle	Injectable	\$2.00	Yes	Yes	Grub and lice control, Residual Effect
Ivermectin	Ivomec Pour-On	Pour-on Pour on	\$2.00 \$.5080	Yes	Yes	Grub and lice control, Residual Effect 2 weeks, Pour-on convenience
Ivermectin	Many generics Ivomec Sustained Release Bolus	Sustain Release Bolus	Not readily available	Yes	Yes	Grub and lice control, Residual Effect 135 Days
Doramectin	Dectomax	Injectable	\$2.50	Yes	Yes	Grub and lice control, Residual Effect of 3 to 4 weeks
Moxidectin	Cydectin	Pour on	\$2.50	Yes	Yes	Grub and lice control, Residual Effect of 4 weeks

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Levasole

(levamisole hydrochloride)
Soluble Drench Powder
Anthelmintic

Each packet contains 46.8 grams of levamisole hydrochloride activity.

FOR ORAL USE IN CATTLE AND SHEEP

Administer as a standard drench with standard drench syringe or administer as a concentrated drench solution with an automatic drenching syringe.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

LEVASOLE (levamisole hydrochloride) is a broad-spectrum anthelmintic and is effective against the following nematode infections in cattle and sheep:

STOMACH WORMS: (Haemonchus, Trichostrongylus, Ostertagia)

INTESTINAL WORMS: (Trichostrongylus, Cooperia, Nematodirus, Bunostomum, Oesophagostomum) (Chabertia—sheep only)

LUNGWORMS: (Dictyocaulus)

WARNING: Keep out of reach of children.

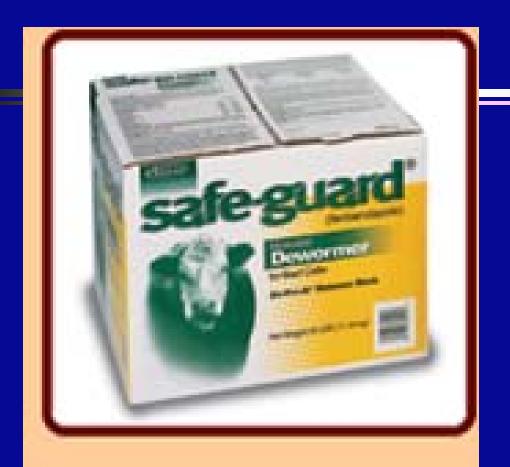
Net Wt. 1.8 oz. (52 g)

Pitman-Moore

Mundaman Medico, U.S.A.

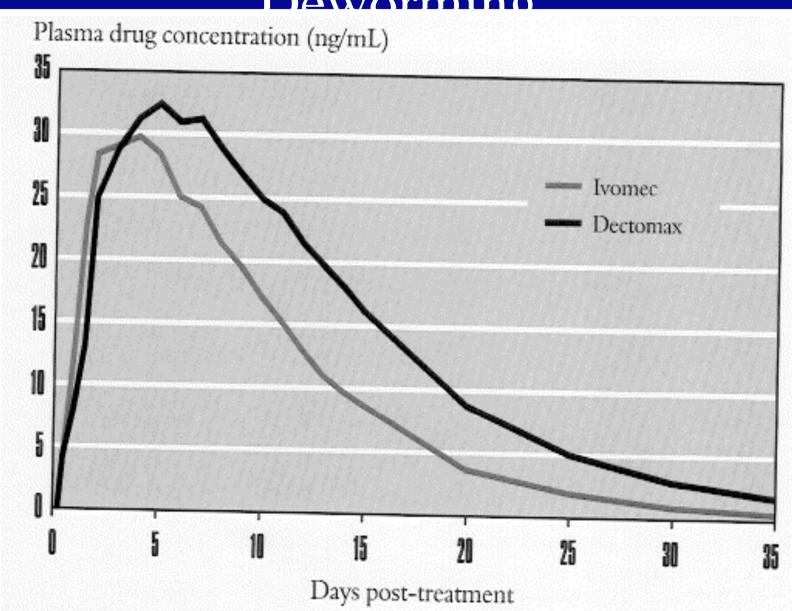


- Levasole™ Drench









CYDECTIN® Pour-On

It's time for a pour-on that offers more.

- ✓ Broader control of <u>both</u> lice and mange¹
- ✓ Longest lasting efficacy against Ostertagia¹
- ✓ 1st rainfast pour-on endectocide
- ✓ Unique oil-based formula
- ✓ Non-flammable formulation
- ✓ Shorter 36 day meat withdrawal
- ✓ Always comes with veterinary advice

COMPOSITION

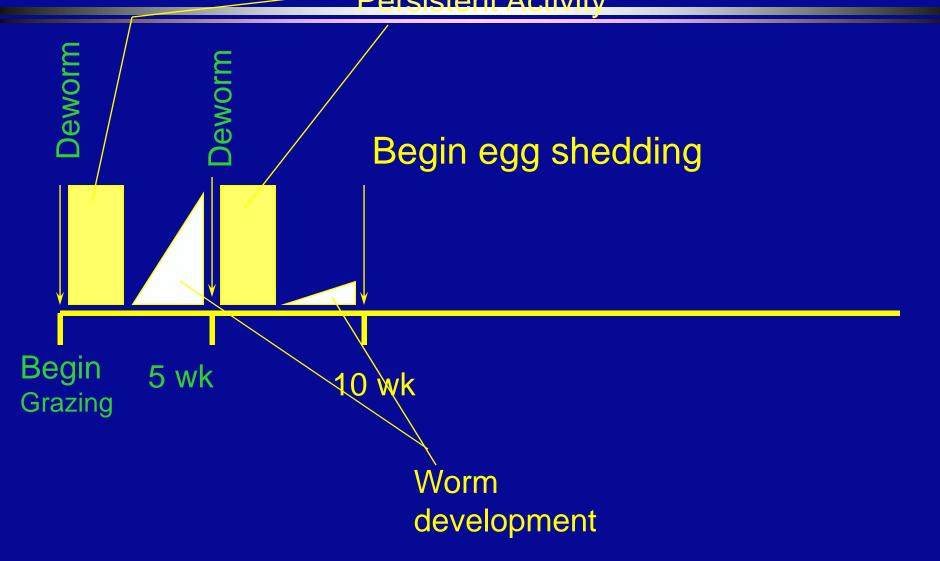
CYDECTIN® Pour-On for Cattle comes ready to use as a violet solution containing 5 mg/mL (0.5% w/v) moxidectin.

Persistent Activity: In cattle, CYDECTIN® Pour-On for Cattle prevents reinfection with *Ostertagia ostertagi* and *Dictyocaulus viviparus* for at least 28 days following a single application at the recommended dose rate.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

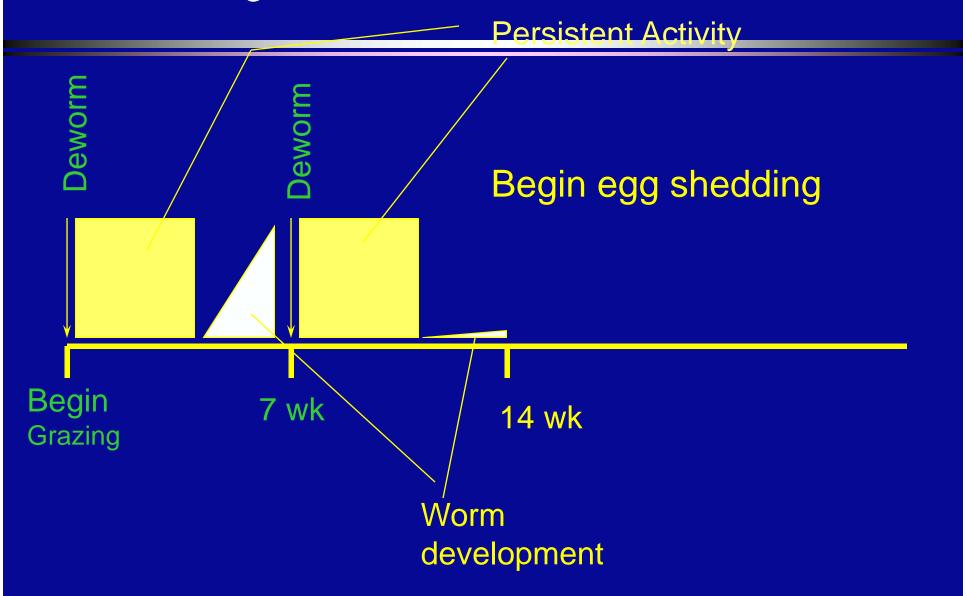
Dosage and administration: EXTERNAL USE ONLY. CYDECTIN® Pour-on for Cattle should be applied to healthy skin along the top of the back from the withers to the base of the tail. Use 1 mL per 10 kg bodyweight to administer a dose of 0.5 mg/kg.

Strategic Deworming Persistent Activity



Strategic Deworming

Dectomax® Pour On, Cydectin® 0,7



						PERSISTENT	MW	SW
DRUG	PRODUCT	HOW SUPPLIED	INDICATION	DOSE	ROUTE	ACTIVITY	HOURS	DAYS
Ivermectin	Ivomec	1% Injectable	Ostertagia Adults/L4	1cc/110lbs	SQ	3 Weeks	N/A	49
	(Generic)		Inhibited L4					
			Sucking Lice/Grubs					
	Ivomec	5% Pour-On	Ostertagia Adults/L4	5cc/110lbs	Pour-On	2 Weeks	N/A	48
	(Generic)		Inhibited L4/Grubs					
			Sucking/Biting Lice			6 Months		
			Horn Flies			4 Weeks ?		
	Ivomec	1% Inject. +	Ostertagia Adults/L4	1cc/110 lbs	SQ	2 Weeks	N/A	49
	Plus	Cloroson	Inhibted L4					
			Sucking Lice/Grubs					
			Liver Flukes					
	Drench	Ivomec Drench	H. Contortis	3cc/25lbs	PO			
Eprinomectin	Ivomec	5% Pour-On	Ostertagia Adults/L4	5cc/110lbs	Pour-On		0	0
	Eprinex		Inhibited L4					
			Grubs					
			Sucking/Biting Lice			6 Months		
			Horn Flies			4 Weeks?		
Doramectin	Dectomax	1% Injectable	Ostertagia Adults/L4	1cc/110lbs	SQ	3 Weeks	N/A	35
			Inhibited L4					
			Sucking Lice/Grubs					
	Dectomax	5% Pour-On	Ostertagia Adults/L4	5cc/110lbs	Pour-On	4 Weeks	N/A	45
			Inhibited L4					
			Sucking/Biting Lice					
			Grubs					
Moxidectin	Cydectin	5% Pour-On	Ostertagia Adults/L4	5cc/110lbs	Pour-On	4 Weeks	0	0
			Inhibited L4/Grubs					
			Sucking/Biting Lice					
Moxidectin	Cydectin	1% Injectable	Ostertagia Adults/L4	1cc/110lbs	SQ	3 Weeks	N/A	35
	-		Inhibited L4					
			Sucking Lice/Grubs					

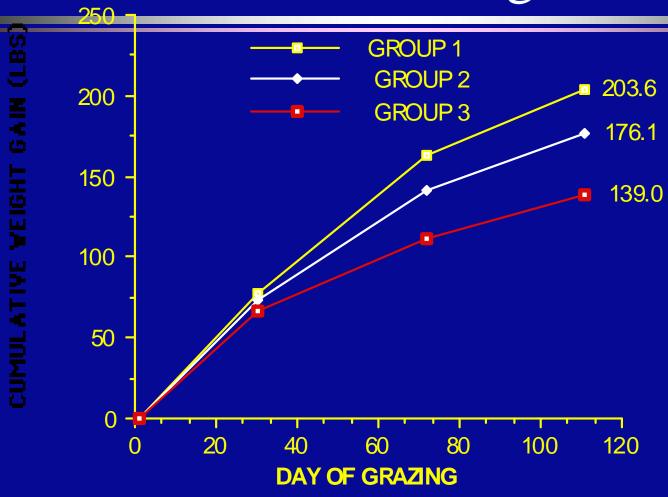


FIGURE 1. CUMULATIVE WEIGHT GAIN IN POUNDS



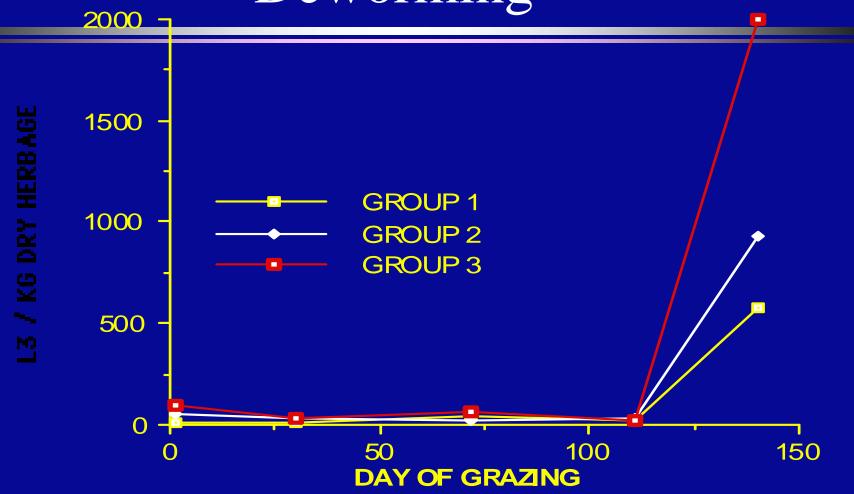
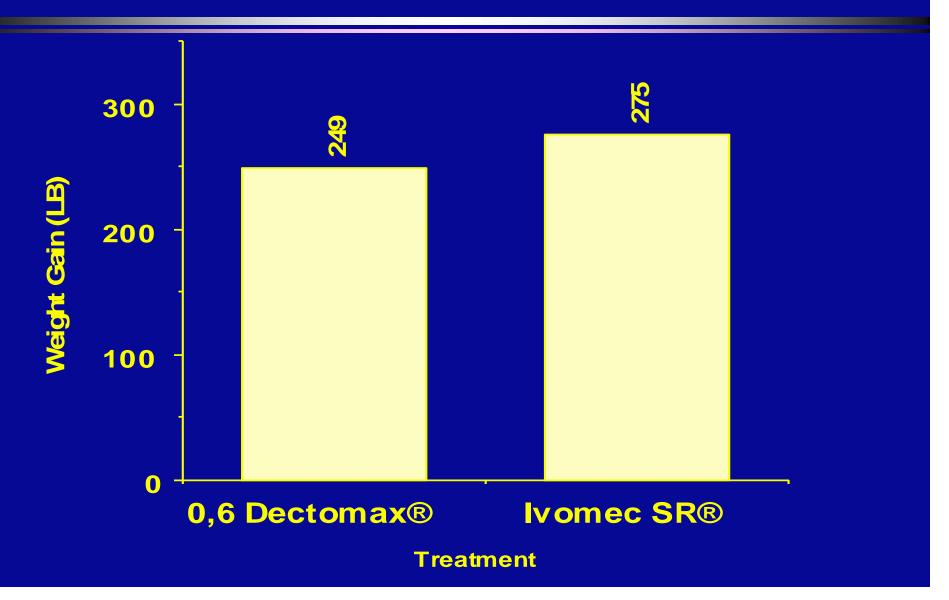


FIGURE 4. THIRD STAGE LARVAE FROM GRASS ANALYSIS.

Dewormers

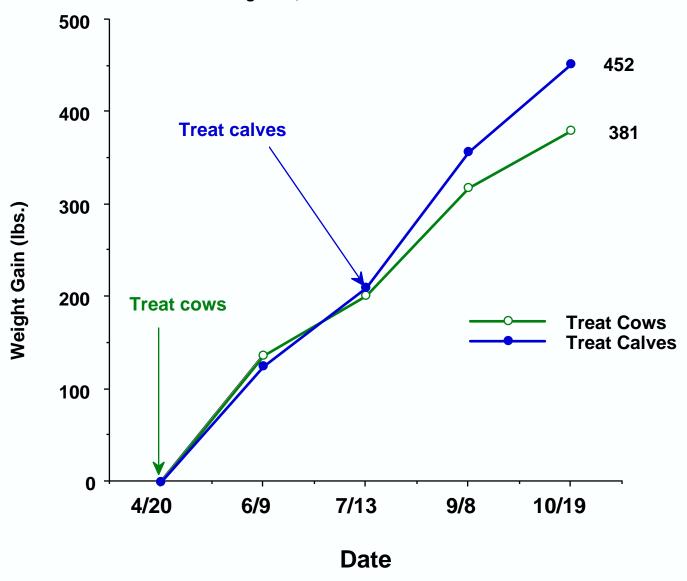
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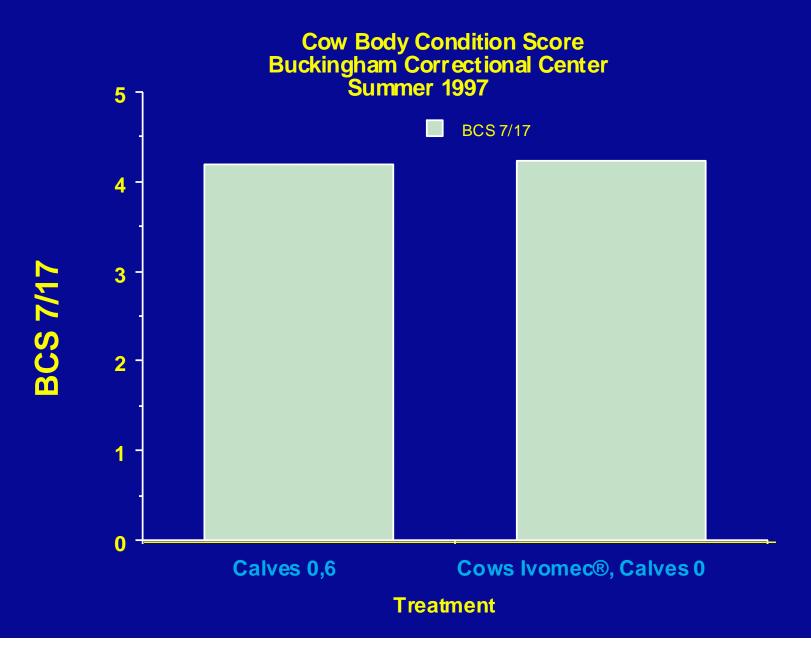


Y R	Treatments	Cow Wt. +/-
1- 88	Gp 1-Mature dams Start & Mid Gp 2-Calves only Mid Gp 3-2 yr.old dams Start & Mid, calves Mid	No difference
2- 89	Gp 1-Mature dams Start & Mid, calves Mid Gp 2-Calves only Mid Gp 3- Control, no treatment	On June 20- Gp1- 33 Kg Gp 2- 21 Kg Gp 3-23 Kg
3- 90	Gp 1-Mature dams Start, calves Mid Gp 2-Calves only Mid Gp 3- Control, no treatment	Gp 2 +177 greater than Gp 1 +158 greater than Gp 3 +141
4- 92	Gp 1-Mature dams Start, calves Mid ivermectin Gp 2-Calves only Mid ivermectin Gp 3- Calves only Mid fenbendazole Gp 4- Control, no treatment	No difference
5- 94	Gp 1-Mature dams Start Gp 2-Calves only Mid	No difference
6- 96	Gp 1 Deworm calves, Implant Mid; Gp 2 Dewo No Implant Mid; Gp 3 No Deworm calves, Implant Mid Gp 4 Nontreated control No cow treatment any group	N/A

Cumulative weight gains for calves when cows were dewormed in spring and fall or calves only were treated mid-summer (July 13).

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