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Fact sheet

STEPS TO ACHIEVING A SUCCESSFUL MILKING

A successful milking requires proper preparation of the cow. Follow the steps below to achieve careful and fast milking.

COW PREP TIME

When prepping the cow, the teats are stimulated so the cow is letting down the milk. 60-120 seconds after the stimulation, the cow is ready for milking.

When milking twice a day:

The number of cows you prep at a time should match the individual cow prep time which is no less than between 60 to 90 seconds from you touch the udder the first time till you attach the cluster.

When milking 3 times a day:

The number of cows you prep at a time should match the individual cow prep time which is no less than between 90 to 120 seconds from you touch the udder the first time till you attach the cluster.

- Pre-milk with 3 squirts from each teat. Notice, if the milk has changed.
- Apply the disinfectant foam. Leave it on for at least 30 seconds. Foam works well for predipping. To get the full effect, choose a product with disinfectant which is not mixed with water.

- Dry the teats with a dry cloth. Use one corner of the cloth for each teat. Remember to also dry the teat ends.

ATTACH THE MILKING MACHINE

- Attach the cluster, letting only a minimum of air into the pipe
- Adjust the pipe so that the cluster is placed correctly below the udder

APPLY POST-DIPPING PRODUCT

- The whole teat must be covered in post-dipping product
- If the rear teats are placed closely together, they must not be dipped at the same time. Dip one teat at a time.



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