



## Drinking plan for intensive calf rearing

Aim: 1000 g daily weight gain during milk feeding period

Weeks of life	Amount of drinking (liters per day)	Concentration	
1	7*	160 g/l	Ad libitum water and high quality hay  For weaning the calf should at least show a daily intake of 2 kg of concentrate feed
2	9		
3	10		
4	10		
5	8		
6	7		
7	6		
8	5		
9	4		
10	3		
11	2		
Amount:		appr. 70 kg MR per calf	

### Note

\* Changing from colostrum to milk replacer. During the winter months the volume of the milk meal should be increased to cover the calf's energy requirement.