



You only get one chance to maximise their potential

- Nettex Colostrum Gold, the colostrum supplement/replacer designed to maximise a calf's start in life and your farm's performance.
- High in colostrum fat, the best source of energy for calves.
- Contains naturally occurring hormones, growth factors, enzymes and other nutrients, nothing taken away.
- Provides essential energy and health support to benefit calf survival, health, growth, and long term performance.
- Sourced from high quality TB free Scottish herds.
- Reconstituted on farm, delivers colostrum to the calf as mother nature intended.
- Easy to store, mix and use.
- Vitamin E and Selenium help support vital systems.

The Importance of Maternal Colostrum

- Colostrum is more than just the "first milk". It's a complex biological liquid formed in the udder before calving and crucial in ensuring the calf gets the best start in life.
- A newborn calf needs energy in the first few hours of life to keep its body temperature up and to stand and suckle. Maternal colostrum is high in fat, a rich energy source best suited for the calf's needs.
- Calves are born with no circulating antibodies, the proteins which help fight infection and disease. Maternal colostrum is a rich source of these antibodies and vital in protecting the growing calf from infections such as respiratory and gut viruses.
- Maternal colostrum also contains other constituents such as growth factors, hormones, minerals and vitamins. These all aid in setting the calf on the way to maximising its production potential and contributing to your farms productivity targets.

For a calf to receive the maximum benefits of colostrum:

- The colostrum must be high quality and of sufficient quantity.
- 2 litres should be received by 2 hours post calving and a further 3 litres by 12 hours.

Unfortunately on farm this doesn't always happen:

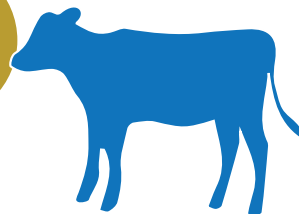
- Colostrum quality and quantity can vary widely from cow to cow.
- Calves often fail to suckle sufficiently in the key first 6 hours.
- For these reasons supplementing the cow's colostrum with a colostrum replacer is often beneficial.

Decreased
calf
mortality
rates

Decreased
incidence
of disease.

Receiving good quality maternal colostrum soon after birth has been shown to result in:

Increased
daily
liveweight
gain.



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How is Nettex Colostrum Gold Different?

Unlike other colostrum supplements which are based on skimmed colostrums, Nettex Colostrum Gold starts with full fat, high quality colostrum from Scottish farms.

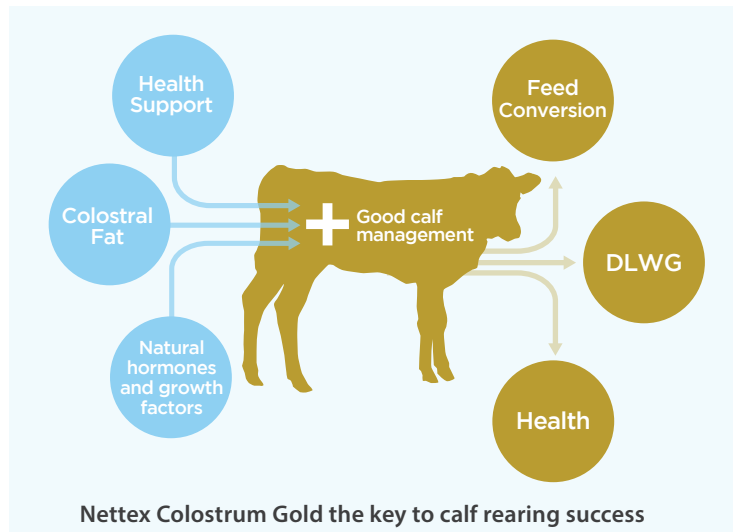
Our unique process creates a product which retains all of the important constituents of nature's original, is safe and effective, but is also convenient and available to use when you need it, at any time of day or night.

Colostrum Fat:

Colostrum fat is the best energy source for a newborn calf. Nettex Colostrum Gold is pure colostrum with nothing taken away so retains this essential colostrum fat helping the calf to stand and feed as soon as possible.

Proteins:

Proteins support calf health, growth and long term performance. Our production process ensures the potency and quality of this important part of natural colostrum.



When to use Nettex Colostrum Gold

Relying on the dam to provide for her calf could seem best, but remember:-

Calves need high quality colostrum

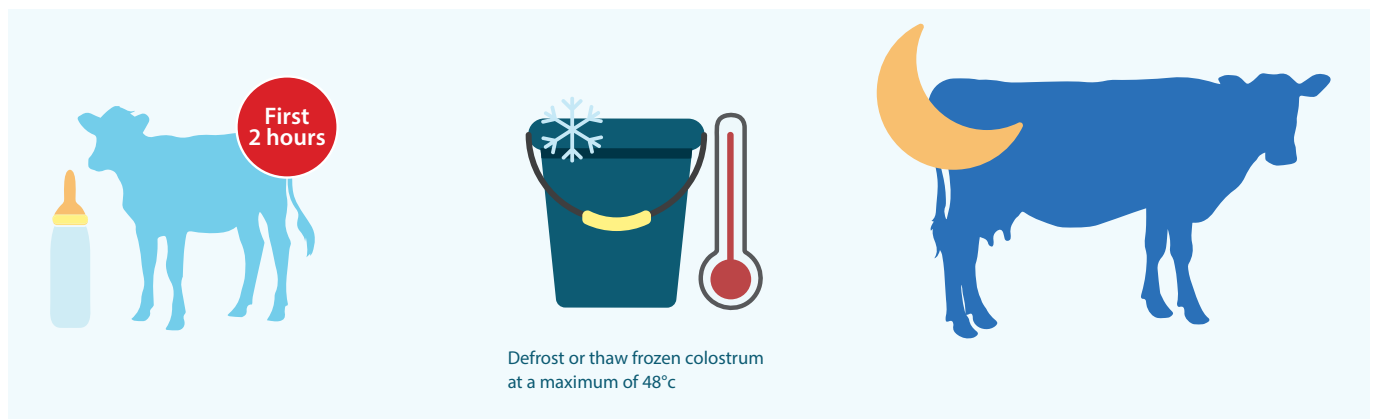
But quality varies from cow to cow. Only 30% of cows produce adequate quality colostrum.

Calves need colostrum in the first two hours of life

But many calves fail to suckle adequately. Frozen colostrum needs time to thaw.

Calvings often occur overnight

Time is limited to check whether a calf has suckled or the dam has sufficient colostrum herself.



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