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Table 1. Feeding schedule for calves up to 6 months

Age of calf	Approx. body weight (kg)	Quantity of milk (kg)	Quantity of calf starter (g)	Green grass (kg)
4 days to 4 weeks	25	2.5	Small qty.	Small qty.
4-6 weeks	30	3.0	50-100	Small qty.
6-8 weeks	35	2.5	100-250	Small qty.
8-10 weeks	40	2.0	250-350	Small qty.
10-12 weeks	45	1.5	350-500	1-0
12-16 weeks	55	-	500-750	1-2
16-20 weeks	65	-	750-1000	2-3
20-24 weeks	75	-	1000-1500	3-5