

# NO-CRIMP, GRAVITY FED FLUIDFEEDERS



## A Safe, Easy Way to Give Fluids to Baby Calves.

*Drench feeding cattle and small calves used to be a tough, risky job...but no more. Springer Magrath® fluidfeeders give cattlemen and dairymen a practical, easy-to-use tool that helps save cattle and baby calves. Scoured, dehydrated cattle – even those that won't eat or drink- get the supportive fluids and energy they need to recover fast.*

### EASY TO USE

- The Springer Magrath® esophageal probe inserts easily into the esophagus.
- The easy to handle 2 qt. tube makes using the fluidfeeder a simple one person operation. (See instructions on back).

### SAFE

- If used properly the probe's size and shape do not allow it to be inserted into the trachea, reducing the danger of getting fluid into lungs and drowning the calf.
- The check valve effect of the slits on the nipple attachment allows liquid to leave the bottle and keeps air out.

### EFFECTIVE

- Can administer quart quantities of fluids to calf in less than one minute if needed. (See instructions on back).
- Rate of flow is slow enough to cause the calf or cow to form saliva freely, which is the only source of the enzyme lipase, which is necessary for proper digestion.

### DURABLE

- Durable steel and plastic of esophageal probe resists burrs and can be used multiple times.
- 2 qt./ 1.9 liter tube can be re-used many times.
- Heavy duty material resists punctures and tears and remains flexible at 0° F/-18° C.
- Tube and probe are both easy to clean. Use warm soapy water and allow to air dry.



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## How to Use the Fluidfeeders:



**1.** Pour measured amount of drench feed product into 2 quart/1.9 liter tube.



**2.** Add correct amount of water.



**3.** Cover tube or jug opening with hand and shake to mix contents.



**4.** Screw probe assembly or nipple assembly onto 2 quart/1.9 liter tube.



**5a.\* (Probe Style Only).** Insert probe into calf's mouth guiding gently toward the calf's right side, staying on top of the tongue. The probe "finds its own way" to the esophageal opening. **Note:** Keep fluid out of probe during insertion into mouth and esophagus.



**5b. (Nipple Style Only).** Secure calf between your legs and put nipple in calf's mouth. Squeeze nipple between your finger and the calf's tongue until the calf starts to suck the nipple.



**6.\*** Elevate the bottle, allowing fluid to enter the probe and to subsequently the esophagus and stomach of the calf. **Note:** Allow gravity to empty fluid from bottle. This usually takes about 3 minutes.

### Do not squeeze bottle while feeding.

\*Please consult your veterinarian for proper instruction on how to drench feed.

Item #	Description	Bovine Weight (lbs)	UPC	Item Dims. L x W x H (in.)	Product Wt. (lbs)	Cubic Feet
50PLNSFF	Gravity Fld Fdr Plastic Probe	Newborn Calves	659276900752	23.5 x 9.5 x 4	0.41	0.517
50PLNSFFNA	Gravity Fld Fdr Plastic Probe & Nipple	Newborn Calves	659276900905	23.5 x 9.5 x 4	0.45	0.517
101NA	Nipple Attachment		659276911642	4 x 2.25 x 2.25	0.045	0.012