

# QUICK START GUIDE

## Automatic calf feeder

### 1.8 Animal management

This document provides a brief overview of how to enter new transmitters to the system, register and cancel calves.

#### 1 Animal Management



animal management



- ▶ register
- cancel
- transfer
- transmitter

- ▶ Register a calf /calves and get them fed according the chosen settings
- ▶ Cancel a calf from the automatic calf feeder
- ▶ Move a registered calf from one feeding group to another
- ▶ Register and store transmitter to the system of the calf feeder

#### 2 Transmitter registration

Enter and store new transmitter (ear tag or neck band) to the system



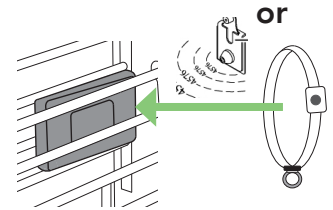
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▶ transmitter



▶ new



new	
accept?	
no. F:	123456
animal no.:	1
source:	all
no.:	continuous
next:	1

- ▶ Confirm transmitter registration based on the adjustments below
- ▶ Transmitter actually read
- ▶ Animal management number given to the above shown transmitter nr.
- ▶ Antennas activated to read in the transmitters at registration process
- ▶ Link transmitter to a random or an automatically created number
  - ↳ [continuous] = Random animal management numbers are proposed to be linked to a read in transmitter. Mostly used with neck bands.
  - ↳ [automatic] = A part of the complete transmitter number is taken as animal management number. Mostly used with ear tags.

Next proposed number

- ↳ [1] = next proposed number in combination with [continuous] transmitter management
- ↳ [4-1] = Part of the complete transmitter number that is taken as animal number (last 4 digits)  
In combination with [automatic] transmitter management

### 3 Animal registration

#### 3.1 manual registration



Chose if single or only few animals have to be registered



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register



animal



< 1 >	
register?	
group:	A
correct. days:	0
additive 1:	no
additive 2.:	no
weight:	50 kg
w. gain:	500 g

Animal management number to be registered according to the adjustments made below

Confirm registration of the chosen animal management number with the settings adjusted below

Feeding group calf will be registered to

Option to move calf forward on the feed plan

Option to administer medicinal additives

Housing weight

Theoretical daily weight gain

#### 3.2 automatic registration



Chose if a bigger group of calves has to be registered at the same time with identical settings.



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register



automatic



Automatic registration with the adjusted settings (topic 2) when the transmitter is read for the first time by the antenna

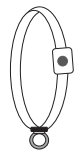


mode [available]

or



mode [all]



Use with neck bands after they have been registered to the feeder!  
Only known (registered) transmitter



Use for life ear tags in combination with setting explained in no. 2!  
All transmitters (known or unknown to the feeder)

### 4 Cancel animals

Cancel animals from the feeding group and from the automatic feeder



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cancel



cancel	
animal	
group	
feeding period over	
settings	

Cancel each animal individually form its feeding plan

Cancel a complete feeding group form the feed plan

Cancel all calves that have finished their feed plan, independently from their feed group.

Delete animal management number automatically when calves are cancelled.

Use when life ear tags are in use!

