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Cowherd Nutrition 365® by QLF

by Chelsey Saevre, MS, Cow/Calf Product Manager

Reproductive performance is the largest determinant of income in a livestock enterprise. In the U.S. cow/calf industry, embryonic and fetal deaths during pregnancy account for over 35% of the total number of fertilized ova resulting in a loss of a pregnancy, a decrease in dam productivity and reduced profitability.

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Grazing Cattle on Corn Stalks and Changing Corn Stalk Quality

by Mike Jarosz, Ph.D.

Cornstalk residue has been a major forage resource especially for cow/calf producers in the heavy farming areas of the United States. Even from 1990 to 2013 the amount of corn residue increased an estimated 105 million tons (Watson et al., 2015). Not only has the amount available changed over time, but in general it appears the nutrient content of the corn stalk residue has changed as well.

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Treating Forages with QLF Liquid Supplements

by Chelsey Saevre, MS, Cow/Calf Product Manager

For an increasing number of cattlemen, treating forages with QLF liquid supplements has become an effective response to the limitations provided with low-quality forages harvested this summer. QLF liquid supplements applied to forages increase palatability, improve nutritional value and reduce forage waste.

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Pen Maintenance Tips

by Scott Roskens, Beef Technical Manager

Many feedlot operations consider pen maintenance to be a summer event when we scrape, shape and smooth the dirt portions of the pens. It is also the time we haul in fill behind aprons and pen edges where the cattle traffic along with drainage has caused low areas. What gets forgotten is that proper attention to pen maintenance through the fall to the summer period can save time and money by minimizing an entire rebuild annually.

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