



Feeding schedule Foal

Age	Litres milk per feeding	Gram per litre milk	Feed every
1 st - 3 rd day	Colostrum		
4 th day	0,25 - 0,5	75	2 hours
5 th day	0,25 - 0,5	85	2 hours
6 th day	0,5 - 0,75	100	2 hours
7 th day	0,75 - 1	100	2 hours
2 nd week	0,75 - 1,5	100	3 hours
3 rd week	1,5 - 2	100	3 hours
4 th - 6 th week	2 - 2,5	100	3 hours
7 th - 8 th week	2,5 - 3	100	4 hours
9 th - 10 th week	± 3,5	100	5 hours
11 th - 12 th week	± 4,5	100	6 hours
13 th - 16 th week*	± 4,5	100	12 hours

*weaning from week 12 depends on development foal and other feed.

This feeding schedule is a guideline; the optimal milk supply depends, amongst others, on the bodyweight of the foal.

Dissolving Sprayfo Foal

- Dissolving ratio is 1:10 (1 kg powder plus 10 litres of water makes 11 litres of milk)
- Dissolve the powder in half the water needed at a temperature of 65°
- Whisk up intensively
- Temperature is important. When it is warmer than 80°C, it will damage the dairy protein. Too cold water will negatively influence the dissolvability
- Add the rest of the (cold) water

Colostrum

Colostrum is very essential for foals. If there is sufficient colostrum available, give halve a litre every 2 hours during 2 à 3 days. As substitution for the colostrum of the mare there are a number of possibilities:

- Use frozen colostrum of the mare. Warm up this colostrum slowly "au bain marie" till 40°C.
- Use cow colostrum, preferably of own farm cows. This colostrum should be diluted in water because of the higher fat content. Ratio 1:3

