

## YOU **WON'T BE AT A LOSS** WITH **ULTRAVAC SCOURSHIELD.**

Calf scours is one of the most stressful and costly diseases to deal with. Productivity losses such as:







are hard to take. But it's the emotional losses that take the biggest toll on you and your family.

Managing sick calves for hours on end, extra stress added to already stressful workdays and less quality time with family and friends affects everyone. Serious scours outbreaks have even made some producers question their farming abilities.

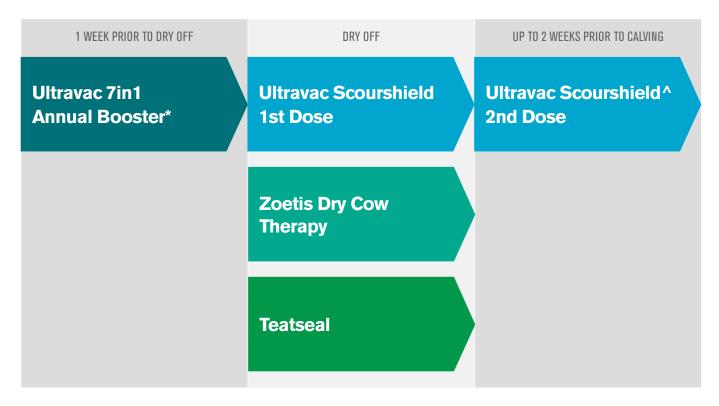
Ultravac Scourshield is the latest and most practical vaccine to aid in the prevention and control of calf scours in Australia. Ultravac Scourshield is a precalving vaccine for cows and heifers, which means calves receive protection via colostrum at the time they need it. The vaccine aids in the prevention of calf scours caused by bovine rotavirus and *E.coli*, and controls scours caused by bovine coronavirus. Research has shown Ultravac Scourshield can significantly reduce calf mortality rates.



Give the future of your herd the best start in life. Visit your vet and ask for Ultravac Scourshield. You don't need a consultation to start treating your cows but your vet will be happy to discuss ways of reducing the impact of scours.

## MANAGING DRY-OFF WILL CERTAINLY PAYOFF.

Ultravac Scourshield is a vital component to a successful dry-off program, along with Ultravac 7in1, Teatseal and intramammary antibiotics. With the ideal program in place, you'll help your cows perform at their best during lactation and ensure your calves have the best start in life.



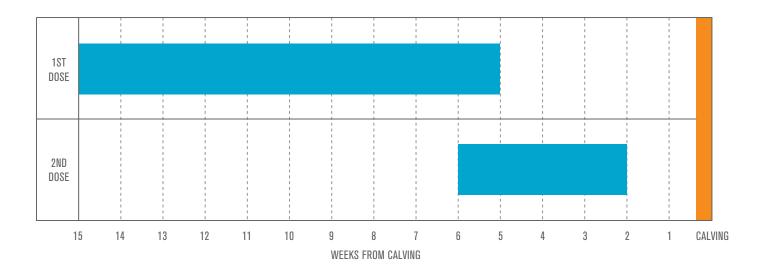
<sup>\*</sup>For animals not previously vaccinated with Ultravac 7in1, two doses are required 4–6 weeks apart followed by annual boosters

<sup>^</sup>An annual booster 2-6 weeks prior to calving is recommended.

# PREVENTING AND CONTROLLING SCOURS HAS NEVER BEEN EASIER.

Ultravac Scourshield has a flexible vaccination interval of 3–9 weeks between the first and second doses; this ensures Ultravac Scourshield fits in with your **current** management practices.

The second dose can be given 2–6 weeks prior to calving with the first shot being given 3–9 weeks prior to this. **To ensure that calves receive the highest possible protection,** plan your program around the timing of the second dose and work backwards from here.



## COLOSTRUM IS VITALLY IMPORTANT.

Similar to Ultravac 7in1 pre-calving vaccination, Ultravac Scourshield works by stimulating specific antibodies within cows. These antibodies are then transferred into calves via colostrum when they are born.

When calves suckle or are fed this colostrum within the first 12–24 hours after birth, the antibodies are absorbed, which helps protect them against the devastating effects of scours. The first few weeks of life is a critical period for calves and calf scours, so this protection from birth will help you and your calves sleep soundly.

Ultravac Scourshield delivers rapid, broad-spectrum and long lasting antibody responses via the colostrum, so it's vitally important that your calves get as much colostrum as they can. Dairy Australia recommends 10–12% body weight of colostrum is consumed in the first 12 hours after birth.

It's essential to correctly time the vaccination of cows and manage colostrum transfer effectively to maximise protection against calf scours.

#### FEATURES AT A GLANCE

- Aids in preventing calf scours caused by bovine rotavirus (serotypes G6 and G10) and enterotoxigenic strains of *E.coli* and controls calf scours caused by bovine coronavirus.
- > Flexible dosing interval to fit in with your farm management
- > Water based formulation
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### **KEY** FEATURES

- > Flexible dosing to fit in with other heifer and cow management practices
- Water-based formulation to minimise injection site reactions
- Administer under the skin or into the muscle according to your preference
- > Nil withholding periods

### STORAGE AND HANDLING

- Store between 2-8°C (Refrigerate, do not freeze. Protect from light)
- > Can be used for up to **63 days (9 weeks)** after first opening, provided handling and storage instructions are followed.
- >  $100 \,\mathrm{mL}$  pack  $-50 \times 2 \,\mathrm{mL}$  doses

For more information contact your vet or speak with your Zoetis Professional Sales Representative on 1800 814 883

