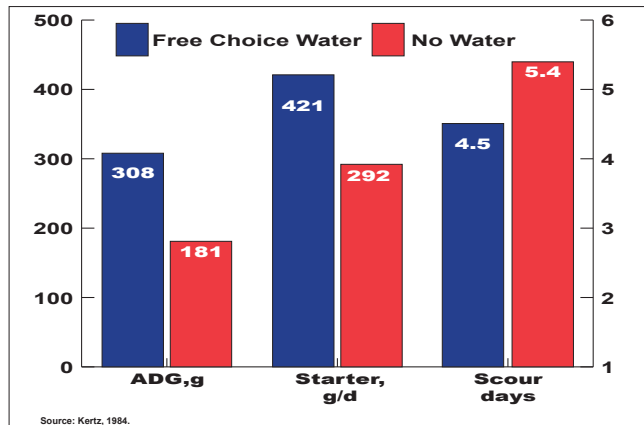


## Feeding Water Guidelines

### Water for Pre-Weaned Calves

Fresh, clean, water is crucial in raising healthy calves. When water was available, calves consumed more calf starter, grew faster and scoured fewer days.



### Feeding Water Guidelines

- Offer water starting at day 3.
- Offer water at least twice a day.
- Always offer fresh, clean water.
- Water should be free-choice (do not limit water intake).
- Rinse pail between milk and water feedings (water should not be cloudy).
- Keep pails free of foreign material (i.e. feces, grain).
- Keep water and grain pails separate.

### Feeding Water in Winter

- Use warm water.
- Offer fresh water for at least one hour after feeding.
- Remove pails after one hour to eliminate freezing.
- Offer a third feeding of warm water mid-day.

**Offering water is easy, simple and will have an immediate impact on calf performance. If you're not offering free-choice water, now is the time!**



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