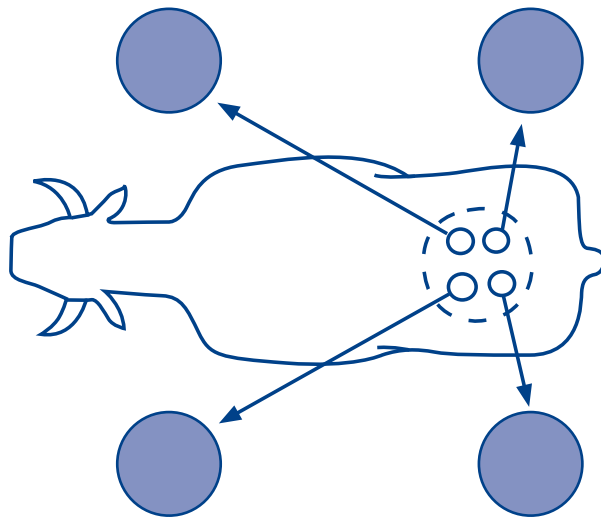


Instructions for use

Indicator paper for udder control

This indicator paper is used for the rapid detection of a disturbed secretion, which can often be interpreted as a first sign of a beginning udder disease. The paper contains four spots – corresponding to the four quarters of the udder – which are impregnated with a special indicator. From each teat a thin stream of the initial milking is applied to the corresponding indicator spot. For healthy udders, all spots assume the same yellowish-green color, while a disease is indicated by deviating colors of the individual quarters. Severely sick quarters are indicated by a blueish-green to blue color, while slightly infected quarters give green spots. Milk from fresh-milking cows can sometimes result in a quince-yellow color, even for healthy cows. The main focus of the evaluation should be directed on a comparison of the colors of the four spots i.e. whether they are equal, or whether an individual spot deviates from the others. The air in a milking parlour contains ammonia and may change the coloring of the test paper to light green – therefore keep the paper in a closed airtight bag outside the milking parlour.



25 sheets

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