



*Western Canadian Cow-Calf Survey*

**2014 PRODUCTION INDICATORS BASED ON WCCCS SURVEY RESPONSES.**

**Producer:** WCCCS Aggregate Responses  
**Province:** BC to MB

**2014 REPRODUCTION PERFORMANCE**

	<b>COWS</b>	<b>HEIFERS</b>	
Breeding Season Start	<b>2-Jun</b>	<b>30-May</b>	
Breeding Season Length (d)	92	89	
Calving Span (d)	92	65	
	<b>COWS</b>	<b>HEIFERS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Conception Rate (# bred/# exposed)	93%	90%	93%
Calving Rate (# females calved/# exposed)	92%	86%	89%
Weaning Rate (# weaned/# live births)	95%	90%	95%
Calf Crop (# weaned/# exposed)	85%	81%	84%

<b>CALVING EASE</b>	<b>Cows</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>CALF DEATH LOSS</b>	<b>Born Dead</b>	<b>Post 24H Loss</b>
% Unassisted	95%	84%	90%	Percent	3.9%	3.4%

**GRAZING**

Pasture Days	193
Extensive Days	23
<b>Total</b>	<b>216 days</b>

Growth (weaning weight)	559
Open Cows	7%
Length of Calving Period	92
Death Loss on Calves	7.2%

**PHYSICAL PERFORMANCE INDICATORS**

% Females That Calved in First 21 d Cycle	55%	Mature Cow Weight	1374 lbs
Pounds weaned / female exposed	534	Cow:Bull Ratio	24.2 : 1
Wean weight as a % of cow weight	41%	Cull Rate	10.3%