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Cold Stress Management Guide

A cold stress management guide for cattle that outlines feed, shelter and water steps for protecting animals in cold, wet or windy weather. Print it and keep it handy where the work gets done.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

1. Watch forecasts for cold and wind
2. Raise feed to match cold stress
3. Provide dry bedding and wind protection
4. Keep water open and fresh
5. Check body condition more often
6. Protect newborn calves
7. Check cattle more often in storms
8. Ask your nutritionist about ration changes

YOUR NOTES

TIP Wet and windy weather is harder on cattle than dry cold, so plan shelter and extra feed before it arrives.