

PIG FEEDING GUIDELINES FOR DE HEUS FEEDS

ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT PART OF SWINE PRODUCTION IS IN KNOWING THE CORRECT WAY TO FEED PIGS. PRECISELY FEEDING YOUR PIGS, PIGLETS AND SOWS IS VERY COST EFFICIENT BUT IS DEPENDABLE ON THE INDIVIDUAL CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE SWINE FARMER. IN THIS DOCUMENT WE GIVE YOU THE GENERAL FEEDING GUIDELINES. TO BECOME A DETAILED PRECISE AND INDIVIDUAL ADVICE BASED ON YOUR INDIVIDUAL CIRCUMSTANCES YOU HAVE TO GET IN CONTACT WITH OUR SWINE SPECIALISTS.

GROWERS

GROWERS FROM BIRTH TO DELIVERY

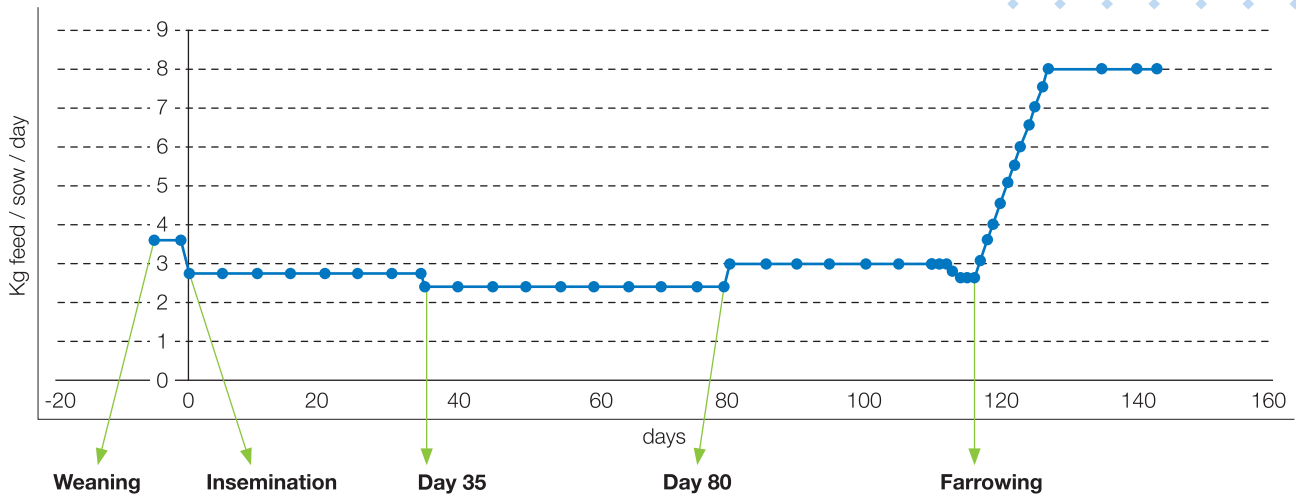
Advice feeding curve and moments to switch

DAY	FEED	QUANTITY (KG/HEAD/DAY)	TOTAL FEED INTAKE KG/WEEK	KG / PHASE	BW (KG) AT START
0-6	Starter	0	0	14.56	1.5
7-13	Starter	0.01	0.07		3
14-20	Starter	0.03	0.21		4
21-27	Starter	0.04	0.28		6
28-34	Starter	0.2	1.4		8
35-41	Starter	0.4	2.8		9
42-48	Starter	0.6	4.2		11
49-55	Starter	0.8	5.6		15
56-62	Grower	0.9	6.3		91
63-69	Grower	1.1	7.7	26	
70-76	Grower	1.3	9.1	32	
77-83	Grower	1.6	11.2	38	
84-90	Grower	1.8	12.6	44	
91-97	Grower	2	14	51	
98-104	Grower	2.1	14.7	58	
105-111	Grower	2.2	15.4	65	
112-118	Finisher	2.3	16.1	138.95	
119-125	Finisher	2.4	16.8		78
126-132	Finisher	2.5	17.5		84
133-139	Finisher	2.5	17.5		90
140-146	Finisher	2.5	17.5		96
147-153	Finisher	2.55	17.85		102
154-160	Finisher	2.55	17.85		108
161-166	Finisher	2.55	17.85		113
167-174	Finisher	2.55			118

- ▶ Provide starter feed from first week of age. Give small portions several times per day. Supply always clean and fresh water.
- ▶ Keep lights on during the first 24 hours after weaning. Keep the room temperature in the first week at 28 °C
- ▶ Ensure a gradual transition from starter- to grower feed. To achieve the best results, please mix both feeds for 1 week during the transition.
- ▶ Supply always unlimited clean and fresh water
- ▶ Supply starter- and grower feed always unlimited
- ▶ To improve slaughter quality excess feed intake should be prevented. If needed limit feed intake of castrates

SOWS

ADVISED FEEDING CURVE



FEED SCHEDULE GESTATING AND LACTATION

Give at least minimal 2,5 liter of fresh water per kg feed, but it is the best to give unlimited fresh water.

PERIOD	FEED	KG FEED / SOW PER DAY <small>Skinny sows till days 35 + 0.5 kg and from 35 till 80 Days + 0.25 kg)</small>	KG FEED / FIRST LITTER SOW PER DAY
From 5 days before insemination	Sow		3.2
Weaning till insemination	Sow	3.5 (unlimited)	
Insemination till day 35	Sow	2.6	2.2
Day 35 till day 80	Sow	2.3	2.3
Day 81 till day 107	Sow	2.9	2.9
Day 108 till day 112	Sow	2.9	2.9
Day 113	Lactation	2.7	2.5
Day 114	Lactation	2.5	2.0
Day 115 (day of farrowing)	Lactation	0 - 2.5	0 - 2.0
Day 1	Lactation	2.5	2.0
Day 2	Lactation	3.0	2.5
Day 3	Lactation	3.5	3.0
Day 4	Lactation	4.0	3.5
Day 5	Lactation	4.5	4.0
Day 6	Lactation	5.0	4.5
Day 7	Lactation	5.5	5.0
Day 8	Lactation	6.0	5.5
Day 9	Lactation	6.5	6.0
Day 10	Lactation	7.0	6.5
Day 11	Lactation	7.5	7
Day 12 till weaning (day 35)	Lactation	8.0	7.5

You may give from day 108 till gestation also sow feed (lactation feed is although advised). Do not use lactation feed before day 108!

FEED ADVICE LACTATING SOWS

Sows: 0.5 kg per piglet and 2.0 kg for the sow
1st parity sows: 05 kg per piglet and 1,5 kg for the sow
Supply always unlimited fresh water.

NR OF PIGLETS	MAX KG FEED	
	SOWS	1ST LITTER
4	4	3.5
5	4.5	4
6	5	4.5
7	5.5	5
8	6	5.5
9	6.5	6
10	7	6.5
11	7.5	7
12	8	7.5