

Key Weekly Information

2024/25	30-Apr-25 Standard	07-May-25	Change	30-Apr-25	07-May-25	nge	08-May-24
	Stondord						
	Staliluaru	Standard	Ch	Future	Future	Change	Whole farm
Grazing area available to milkers - ha	159.1	156.2	4	82.9	77.1	4	244
Winter & springer area - ha	37.7	40.6	1	19.1	24.9	1	46
Cows milking into vat	419	403	4	188	180	4	NA
Cows milkng NOT into vat - treated	6	3	-	2	3	4	NA
Total cows milking	424	405	$\mathbf{\Psi}$	190	183	4	528
Once a day milking cows	0	0	$\mathbf{+}$	0	0	+	NA
Stock Numbers Sick Cows	10	3	$\mathbf{\Psi}$	3	3	-	16
Dry cows on farm	5	5	-	3	3	-	84
Average BCS	4.7	4.7	-	4.6	4.6	-	4.7
BCS 4.0 or less (%)	16	16	-	21	22	-	10
Current Bulk milk SCC	120	117	-	167	171	1	163
Milk solids per cow	1.43	1.49	1	1.51	1.45	4	1.25
Protein:Fat ratio (%)	0.80	0.80	1	0.76	0.79	1	0.83
Milk Urea N	28.2	34.3	1	28.8	36.7	1	30.9
FEI	4.9	5.21	1	4.43	5.05	1	5.64
Average pasture cover (kg DM/ha)	2403	2222	4	2382	2402	1	2188
Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day)	16.2	15.0	1	17.2	16.6	1	14.5
0 (0)/	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	-	3.5
							0
							18
							2.2
			•			•	31
0							21
							3000-3500
			-				1800
		25	¥		48	т	38
		12 7 878					10.5 13
Rainfall season to date (mm)	871						1010
Soil conditions	ОК	ОК					Wet
Current Roster	6.2	6.2 0					
-							Ali oad
Farm System Description Standard herd: average BW Southland herd stocked at 3.2 cows/ha at peak, up to 180 kg N/ha and wintered on swedes Future herd: higher genetic merit herd (127 BW difference) stocked at 2.5 cows/ha at peak, up to 180 kg N/ha and wintered on baleage							
Key decisions/actions this week Dry mobs combined and following cows to tidy up residuals; 3rd group to be dried off on 8 May R2's now back at the support block and split into Future and Standard groups. Being rotated around pasture paddocks with baleage as required All writer and springer paddocks now ut of rotation 8 paddocks have been aerated in the last week Closing the gap on milk solids production deficit with more cows still in milk and producing on average 0.2 kg MS/cow/day more than the same time season Farm team to start trimming hooves of cows identified as needing a tidy up before winter. Approximately 60 animals to treat Starting to pull together winter mob details so they can be sorted before drying off - will be 5 mots on swedes and 3 on grass and baleage Standard herd Maintain inshed feeding and offer PKE in trailers on the laneways; baleage likely to be required as well based on pre-graze covers. Rotation length now 25 days and not likely to lengthen again this season Total feed allocation of 18.0 kg DM/cow/day Average pasture cover now on the target line but current demand is higher than budgeted with 45 more cows in milk than budgeted and fewer culls gr than planned 19 in milk surplus cows to go this week and remainder next week 15 cows identified for drying off this week Future herd Insheed feeding to be held at current rates Insheed feeding to be held at current rates Total feed							
	Cows milking NOT into vat - treated Total cows milking Once a day milking cows Sick Cows Dry cows on farm Average BCS BCS 4.0 or less (%) Current Bulk milk SCC Milk solids per cow Protein:Fat ratio (%) Milk Urea N FEI Average pasture cover (kg DM/ha) Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current Inshed feed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current PE In trailers - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current PE In trailers - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current Pasture demand - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Current Pasture demand - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) Residual (average for week past) Round length (actual) Soli temperature average (degree C) Rainfall season to date (mm) Soil conditions Current Roster Health and safety incidences Milking routine Standar herd: average BW Southland herd stocked at 3.2 or ture herd: higher genetic merit herd (127 BW difference) Seneral Ny mobs combined and following cows to tidy up residuals R2s now back at the support block and split into Future and Ul winter and springer paddocks now out of rolation spadocks have been aerated in the last week Closing the gap on milk solids production deficit with more e Rainfall season farm team to start trimming hooves of cows identifed as ne starting to pull together winter mob details so they can be so Standard herd Adintain inshed feeding and offer PKE in trailers on the lane Rotation length now 25 days and not likely to lengthen again cital feed allocation of 18.0 kg DM/cow/day Werage pasture cover now on the target line but current der and and dords in 61 8.0 kg DM/cow/day VPC currently 150kg DM above target and rotation length low residation length now 25 days and not likely to lengthen again cital feed ilocation of 18.0 kg DM/cow/day VPC currently 150kg DM above target and rotation length low residation length be held at current rates cital feed dilocation of 18.0 kg	Cows milking NOT into vat - treated 6 Total cows milking 424 Once a day milking cows 0 Sick Cows 10 Dry cows on farm 5 Average BCS 4.7 BCS 4.0 or less (%) 16 Current Bulk milk SCC 120 Milk solids per cow 1.43 Protein:Fat ratio (%) 0.80 Milk Urea N 28.2 FEI 4.9 Average pasture cover (kg DM/ha) 2403 Current Bay and theres (kg DM/cow/day) 16.2 Current Inshed fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 Current Inshed fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 Current Inshed fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 Current Resture demand - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 Current Resture demand - milkers (kg DM/raw/day) 0.0 Residual (average for week past) 1750 Round length (actual) 38 Soil temperature average (degree C) 12.6 Rainfall (mm) 4 Rainfall (mm) 4 Rainfall (mm) 302 Soil temperature average (degree C)	Cows milking NOT into val - treated 6 3 Total cows milking 424 405 Once a day milking cows 0 0 Sick Cows 10 3 Dry cows on farm 5 5 Average BCS 4.7 4.7 BCS 4.0 or less (%) 16 16 Current Bulk milk SCC 120 117 Milk solids per cow 1.43 1.49 Protein-Far tatio (%) 0.80 0.80 Milk Urea N 28.2 34.3 FEI 4.9 5.21 Average pasture cover (kg DM/na) 2403 2222 Current Salage fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 16.2 15.0 Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.0 Current Pasture fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.8 Current Pasture demand - milkers (kg DM/na) 43 39 Pasture growth rate 26 21 Pre-graze cover target (for week coming) 3000 2800 Residual (average for week past) 1750 1700 Round length (actual) 38	Ower milking NOT into vat- treated 6 3 - Total cows milking 424 405 4 Once a day milking cows 0 0 4 Sick Cows 10 3 4 Dry cows on farm 5 5 - Average BCS 4,7 4,7 - Der down farm 5 5 - Average BCS 4,7 4,7 - Current Buk milk SCC 120 1117 - Milk Solids per cow 1,43 1,49 ^ Protein-Fat ratio (%) 0,800 0,800 ^ Milk Urea N 282.2 34.3 ^ Current Reins (kg DM/cow/day) 162 15.0 ^ Current Rein trailers - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.8 ^ Current Rein trailers - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.8 ^ Current Rein trailers - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.8 ^ Current Rein trailers - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 <	Cover milking NOT into vat - irreted 6 3 - 2 Total coves milking 424 405 4 190 Once a day milking coves 0 0 4 0 Sick Coves 10 3 4 3 Dry coves on farm 5 5 - 3 Average BCS 4.7 4.7 - 4.6 Day coves on farm 5 5 - 3 Current Bulk milk SCC 120 1117 4 4.67 Current Bulk milk SCC 120 1117 4 4.67 Milk oligis per cow 1.43 1.49 7 2.8.6 FEI 4.9 5.21 7 4.4.3 Average pasture cover (kg DM/ma) 2.403 2.222 4 1.33 Current Siliagh fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.0 2.8 4 1.3 Current Siliagh fed - milkers (kg DM/cow/day) 0.0 0.8 4 2.3 Current Nather Ge-milkers (kg	Own milking Own milking	Cover milking 100 <

LEARN MORE AT southerndairyhub.co.nz