

## Suckler herd fertility assessment

Fill in the **yellow** boxes. Only enter accurate data. Remember: rubbish in / rubbish out!

ALL data relates to one calving period and the subsequent mating period

Farm	
Group	

TABLE 1

Calving period - most recent	Year	
	Cows	Heifers (1st calf this calving period)
Total number calved		
Total number calves born (include dead calves, twins etc)		
Date of 1st to calve		
Date of last to calve		
Total number calved in 1st 3-week period of calving*		
Total calved in 2nd 3-week period		
Total calved in 3rd 3-week period		
Total calved in 4th 3-week period		
Total calved after 4th 3-week period		
Still born calves		
Dead calves (birth-48 hrs)		
Dead calves (48 hrs - weaning)		

\*From date bull's put out to cows add 285 days and count 3-week periods from this date (include any early calving cows in figure for first 3 week period).

TABLE 2

Mating period - subsequent to above calving period	Year	
	Cows ( heifers in Table 1 are now cows!)	New heifers - not calved yet
Total number females mated		
Total number bulls run		
Date bulls put in		
Date bulls taken out		
Number barren at PD (if done) excluding aborted		
Number aborted after PD+		
Total number barren		

**Barren cow analysis - ALL data from most recent calving period & mating period analysed in Tables 1 & 2**

Remember that heifers in table 1 are now cows!

**TABLE 3**

Previous calving pattern from calving period analysed in Table 1*	Year	
	#barren cows	#pregnant cows
Total number calved in 1st 3-week period of calving*		
Total calved in 2nd 3-week period		
Total calved in 3rd 3-week period		
Total calved in 4th 3-week period		
Total calved after 4th 3-week period		

\*From date bull's put out to cows add 285 days and count 3-week periods from this date (include any early calving cows in figure for first 3 week period).

**TABLE 4**

Dystocia analysis (from calving period analysed in Table 1)	Year	
	#barren	#pregnant
No Assistance		
Assisted by stockman		
Assisted by vet		
Sectioned by vet		

**TABLE 5**

Age analysis (from mating period analysed in table 2)	Year	
	#barren	#pregnant
New Heifers - not calved yet		
Cows		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7+		