

## Feedlot Information using By-O-reg+ Products

### 1. Findings from University Feedlot trials vs negative control

- a. Increased live performance
- b. Similar G:F as Ionophore
- c. 21% ↓ respiratory disease treatments
- d. 5% ↑ F/G, lb
- e. 5% ↑ hot carcass weight
- f. 3% ↑ dressing %
- g. 15% ↑ Quality Grade – Choice %
- h. 6.7% ↑ Ribeye area, in<sup>2</sup>
- i. 4.4% ↓ cooking loss, %
- j. 8% ↑ TAC, U/mL
- k. Helps with heat stress

### 2. Holstein Steers (Texas):

- a. 5% ↑ gain, 8% improved F/G, ~3% ↑ yield

### 3. Iowa Feedlot:

- a. F/G on heifers (fed from 600-1300 lbs.) improved from 7:1 to 6:1 (on a dry matter basis)
- b. ↑ Yield ~2-3%
- c. ↓ Treatments for Coccidiosis, foot rot, and pinkeye
- d. ↑ % Grading Prime

### 4. SD Dairy Cross Calves up to Market:

- a. ↑ Yield ~3%
- b. **NO** treatments while on feed
- c. ↑ % Grading Prime (14 of 61 – never before seen)

### 5. NW IA Feedlot (Steers fed from ~900-1450 lbs.):

- a. ↑ ADG ~14% - 40 days sooner to market
- b. 16% better F/G – 11% ↓ feed cost
- c. Vet/Med cost ↓ \$3.25/cwt gain
- d. Overall ↓ cost/gain of .134/lb. (\$73.70/hd)

### 6. Ongoing By-O-reg+ Trial (Steers 900 lbs. to Market):

- a. To date 10 of 40 control steers treated for pink eye vs 0 of 160 steers on By-O-reg+

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### 7. Missouri Feedlot Trial:

a. Simmental crossed steers fed from ~940 lbs. to market on a complete pelleted diet

#### **i. By-O-reg+ Group:**

1. 30 lbs/hd heavier at close (live weight)
2. ↑ F/G by 5%
3. 34 lbs/hd ↑ carcass weight
4. 3% ↑ yield
5. ↑ Grade (100% choice vs 87%)
6. ↑ Meat quality and 6.7% ribeye

### 8. NW IA Feedlot Trial:

a. Cattle fed from 900 lbs. to market

#### **ii. By-O-reg+ Group (4 g/hd/day):**

1. 25 days sooner to market
2. .54 lb/hd/day ↑ ADG
3. ↑ F/G by 12%
4. ↓ Vet/Med of \$12.50/hd

### 9. Midwest Feedlot Trial (4 different on-farm field trials in the Midwest):

- a. Cattle all bought at different sales barns and commingled
- b. N=592 (live weight avg 1401.75)
- c. Yield (%): 63.69
- d. Quality Grade:
  - i. 23.79% Prime
  - ii. 41.98% CAB
  - iii. 31.45% Choice
- e. Only 66 head did not grade Choice or higher (11%)



\*These data come from university studies and on-farm trials.