



PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET

HEAT PAINT



Introduction

Heat detection is difficult. Visual observation is time consuming, and even the most careful observation will still miss some cows. The tail painting technique simplifies and adds accuracy to heat detection.

Tasman **HEAT PAINT** is specially formulated to heat detection. All you need is a brush and a can of Tasman **HEAT PAINT**.

Method of Use

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Ensure cows are clean and dry before painting.
2. Paint a strip 150mm x 50mm wide to the "head" of the cow's tail. Brush against the hair to ensure penetration.
3. The paint should last three weeks on non-cycling cows.
4. Cows on heat will have their paint rubbed off or broken by riding cow or cows.

PRE-MATING

1. Using one colour, paint the entire herd (eg. red).
2. After three weeks those cows with rubbed or broken paint have been on heat.
3. Repaint these cows with another colour (eg. yellow) on the day prior to mating, and renew red on non-cycling cows.

DURING MATING

1. Inspect the paint daily.
2. Cows with rubbed or broken paint have been on heat during the previous 24 hours and are ready for insemination. (If in doubt inseminate and repaint).
3. Cows exhibiting unbroken paint by the end of the insemination program should be set aside for veterinary examination.

POST-MATING

1. Repaint cows as they are inseminated (eg. blue).
2. Cows not conceiving and having returned to heat can be detected by broken or rubbed paint.

COVERAGE: 1 Litre will cover 8-20 square metres per coat depending on the porosity of the surface to be sealed.

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Packaging

- ◆ Available in four colours - **BLUE**, **RED**, **YELLOW** and **GREEN**.
- ◆ 1 Litre and 4 Litre cans.
- ◆ 500ml Aerosol and Applicator cans

Health Hazard Information

See separate Health and Safety Data Sheet, available on request.

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