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Cervical Caring and Artificial Insemination in Cattle by Mobile Vision Gun

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Background Traditional AI Bovine video-assisted insemination system

Introduction

- The most recent technology in cattle artificial insemination.
- AlphaVision is a bovine video-assisted insemination system.
- Developed and manufactured in France by IMV Technologies.
- Before the insemination : check the cervical involution of your cattle or check for the presence of heat mucus.
- During insemination: it makes it easier to locate the cervix rapidly so as to conduct the procedure.
- After insemination: with its built-in application on the vision terminal provided, you can record the coupling of the animals as well as high definition photos of the cervix. The photo library accessible on the terminal also allows you to share the images with your veterinary surgeon to carry out any diagnostic required.

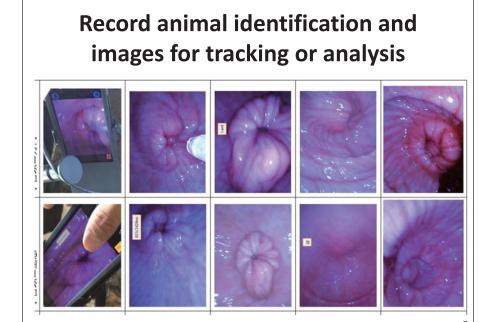


BEFORE INSEMINATION

- Check the involution of the cervix and quality of cervical mucus to determine if the female is fit to be inseminated
- Allow timely diagnosis of potential reproductive issues (i.e. metritis)
- Record animal identification and images for tracking or analysis



The vagina and cervix and quality of cervical mucus





DURING INSEMINATION

- Facilitate insemination in difficult-to-breed females
- Improve animal well-being by reducing trauma to the reproductive tract
- Reduce technician arm fatigue and animal discomfort by decreasing duration of rectal palpation



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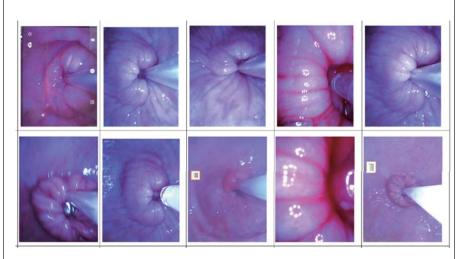
AFTER INSEMINATION

- Confirm quality of insemination
- Access recorded data and images for monitoring and traceability
- Share data for veterinary diagnostics or technician training





INSEMINATION in dairy farm



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Advantages of using video-assisted insemination system

✓ Easy

Lower down the operation difficulty than traditional Al.

✓ Efficiency

Improve pregnancy rate by better selection of females

✓ Comfort

Improve the well-being of the animal and user

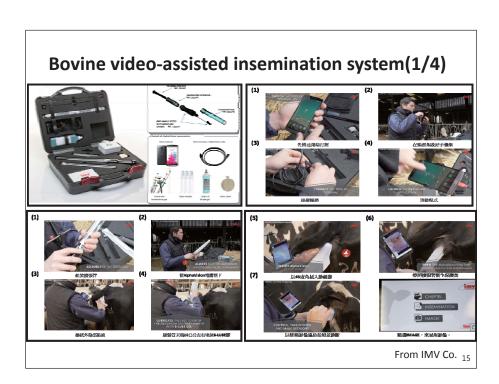
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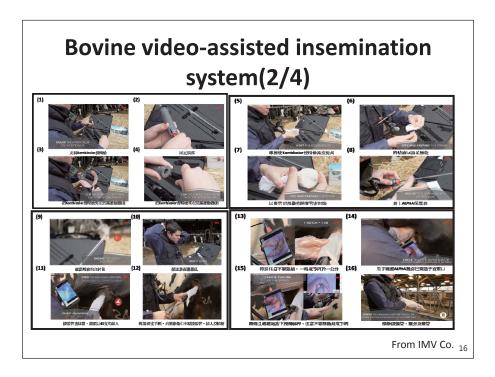
Make better decisions

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Bovine video-assisted insemination system(3/4)

1.Clean the animal's vulva by using the same protocol as a standard insemination. 清潔外陰

2.Place B-LUBE gel around the speculum for about 10 cm at its end. 在擴張管末端 10公分左右塗上膠



A. Gently insert the speculum, aligning it parallel to the vagina. 輕輕的將管子插入,與陰道平行進入





3. Part the vulva. Position the end of the speculum against the vulva. Point the camera upward at a 45° angle. 把擴張管末段朝向外除,鏡頭向上45度角

6. Insert the Kombicolor insemination syringe into AlphaVision.

將Kombicolor insem 授精槍插入



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Bovine video-assisted insemination system(4/4)

7. Push the graduated extension until the insemination sheath appears on the image at the entrance to the cervix. 雙推刻度手柄,直到影像中子宫頭人口處出现技術槍



8. Place the Alpha insemination sheath opposite the entrance to the cervix and insert it into the cervix while continuing to push the graduated extension.

新授精音接管置於子宮頭內口,推動刻度手柄使其插入子宮頭,特別注意不要強插,一格度等同於一公分



 Check the correct position of the end of the insemination syringe by rectal palpation. If the syringe is still in the cervix, move cervix over the syringe.

, 以直腸觸診方式確認授精槍末端已通過子噌幾達 正確授精位置,如還在子宮頸內則繼續深入 10. Inseminate by gently pressing the rod until it stops and be careful not to move the graduated extension. 輕輕 按下授精棒桿,注意不要移動刻度手柄

11. After fully emptying the straw, remove AlphaVision. 在完全注精完 單後取出 AlphaVision

12. Check the entrance of the cervix to ensure that no se- men flows back.檢查 外陰確定沒有精液倒流

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