

MODULE 1B PART B TEACHERS NOTES SOURCES OF BEEF DAIRY HERD

INTRODUCTION

The aim of this unit is to describe the dairy herd as a beef source in Britain.

On completing the Unit, students will be able to:

- Recognize calf production cycle of the dairy herd
- Describe the different types of calves produced
- Discuss how changes in the system alters productivity

KEY WORDS

Dairy

Quality

Production system

RESOURCES

- Factsheet
- Resources on the Internet

TEACHING ACTIVITIES TO PROVIDE EVIDENCE THAT LEARNING HAS TAKEN PLACE

1. Measure the dairy herd's contribution to the beef industry (website game or spreadsheet)