

Testimonial

Bono Farm of Bono Placido, Giacomo & Sons (Calcinato - BS - Italy)

Farm Characteristics

Type of animal	Dairy cows
No. of animals	300 lactating cows
Housing type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> cubicles/stalls with bedding <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> loose yards/bedded packs
SOP products used	SOP GOLD PRO COW

Mr. Bono told us,

*“The cubicles are **much drier and more compact**. Before, the slurry under the slats was full of crusts and now it is **fluid and can be pumped out without any problems**.*

*Before, the **SCC** was an average of about 300k, now it's only 170/200k.*

*The cases of **mastitis are less serious** and easily resolved and, whilst before we used to have more cases during the change of seasons, this doesn't really happen anymore. Now, we only have a few cases a month and often we don't have any for more than 15 days. Anyway, on average, about 4 or 5 a month.*

To keep these results going, it is important to keep up good barn management.

*The cases of **dermatitis are less serious** compared to before and there has been a reduction of about 50%.”*

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