

Sodium bicarbonate

Rumen function can be impaired by feeding high cereal rations or wet and acidic silages. This can lead to impaired digestion, reduced dry matter intake and lower milk yield. Sodium bicarbonate improves the buffering capacity of saliva which prevents drops in rumen pH. A healthy, functioning rumen leads to increased dry matter intake, better fibre digestion, improved milk yield and increased live weight gain and feed conversion efficiency.



