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Securing Calf Rearing Milk Fact Sheet

If you have two vats on your farm, we want to help make sure you can clearly label and lock the second vat to prevent any accidental collection of calf rearing milk.

Why it's important to label and lock calf rearing milk

This is about food safety and the Co-operative's requirements for milk that is not intended for supply. If the Fonterra tanker collects milk because a vat isn't labeled correctly or isn't locked, you would incur downgrades and we would need to charge for Fonterra's losses, costs and damages. As a minimum you could be charged \$5,000 plus GST and you may be subject to liquidated damages of up to \$500,000.

If you believe that calf milk has been accidentally collected from your farm, call the Farm Source Service Centre on 0800 65 65 68 immediately. For further information see Section 8 of the Fonterra Farmers' Terms of Supply.

Applying a vat sticker

Apply the red 'Calf milk not for tanker collection' sticker 150mm, directly above the vat outlet valve (see example below).

Stickers are available from the Farm Source Service Centre on 0800 65 65 68.

Locking the vat

Have an approved vat lock on the vat outlet at all times. Approved vat locks are available for purchase at your local Farm Source store.

