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DAIRY HOUSING CONCEPTS



# Meadow<sup>®</sup> Vista, Valley & Mesa

## Even softer, even more comfortable, and extensively tested

Comfortably resting cows; ruminating and producing milk. The ideal image for every dairy farmer. For the cow it is of great importance that the surface she lies on is soft and resilient, and provides sufficient grip when standing up. The Spinder Meadow cow mattresses offer her unprecedented high comfort, and provide many comfortable resting hours.

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**“Our comfort  
takes them to  
new heights!”**

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“Soft mattresses provide many comfortable lying hours”

### More rest, more milk; the importance of a soft cow mattress

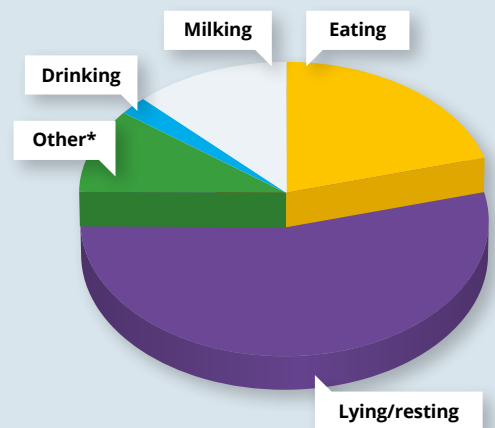
When it is up to the cow, she will spend more than half of her day resting; twelve to fourteen hours a day. When she rests, she produces milk. The cow mattress must invite her to actually spend these hours lying down. In this regard the experienced cow comfort is the key to success.

By resting enough, the cow stays in good condition. While lying down, her legs and hooves are not stressed, preventing or allowing recovery from claw and leg problems. The right mattress prevents pressure points, so blood circulation is not hindered and the cow can function optimally. A comfortable mattress contributes to the health and performance of the cow. Not only important for the cow, but also for the dairy farmer.



Watch our Meadow cow mattresses video for more information. Scan the QR code to watch the video

### The cow's ideal daily schedule



Activity	Hours/day
Eating	3 to 5 hours
Lying/resting	12 to 14 hours
Other*	2 to 3 hours
Drinking	30 minutes
Ruminating	7 to 10 hours
Milking	2.5 to 3 hours

\*Other: standing, walking, brushing, lounging

## Lying down and getting up safely

Weighing up to 700 kilograms, lying down and standing up is a special effort for a dairy cow. She moves her head forward as a lever. Almost her entire weight is then lifted up by one of her hind legs when standing up. For this, a firm surface with good grip is essential!

## 100% Latex foam sheets; soft and resilient

The Spinder Meadow Vista, Valley and Mesa latex foam sheets are soft and naturally conform to the cow's body. The sheets are also resilient; after the cow stands up, the mattress returns to its original flat shape. This provides years of comfort.

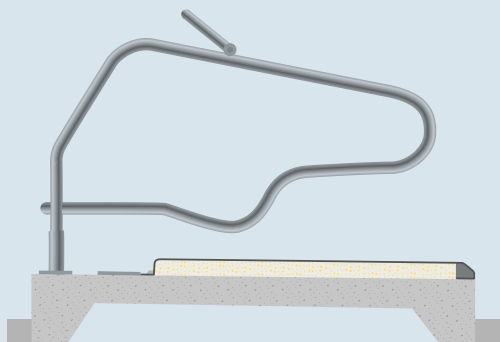
The foam sheets are 1 meter wide and are placed tightly side by side. Wrapped in plastic, so no friction between the foam sheets and the top cover will occur.



## Rubber top cover: stretch-free and hard-wearing

The 4 mm thick top cover has a strong nylon reinforcement. This prevents the top cover from stretching over time. The rubber is delivered on the roll and can be pulled seamlessly over the mattresses. The top cover is secured to the concrete floor on all 4 sides. This prevents dirt from getting under the mattress.

### Meadow Vista



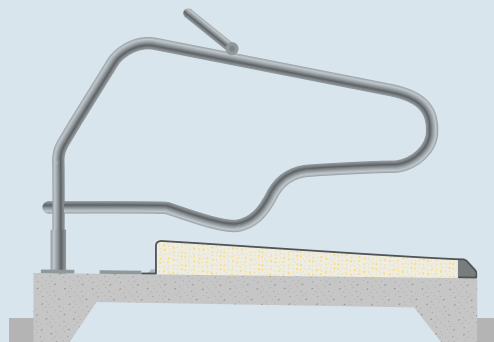
The Meadow Vista cow mattress has a flat latex foam sheet with a thickness of 4 cm. This type is also available for young stock and calves.

↕ **Thickness:** 4,4 cm for cows & 3,3 cm for young stock

↔ **Width:** 185 cm, 165 cm, 135 cm

🌀 **Length:** supplied in rolls, cut to length

### Meadow Valley



The Meadow Valley cow mattress is sloped; the foam sheet is 7 cm thick at the front and 4.5 cm thick at the back. Due to the slope, milk and urine run off the mattress. This makes the mattress even easier to clean.





↘ **Slope:** 7,4 - 4,9 cm

↔ **Width:** 185 cm

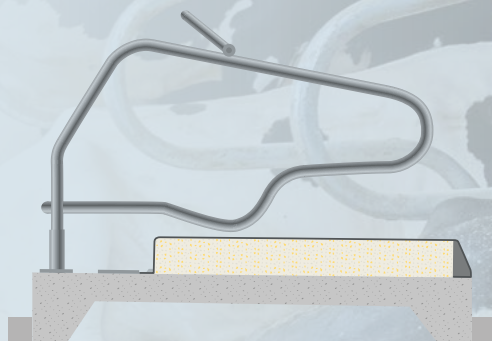
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"Since we have the Meadow Valley mattresses, our cows lie down immediately after milking. The mattresses are ideal for us because they are easy to keep clean. We only need to go over them once and no moisture remains."


- Family Vernooij-Bijstra, Hoonsterzwaag


 220 dairy and calf cows  12,800 kg  28 stall carousel  120 ha.


## Meadow Mesa



The Meadow Mesa cow mattress has a 8 cm thick latex foam sheet, which makes the mattress extra soft and springy. Thanks to its flat shape, the mattress is extra thick throughout. This ensures even support and optimal comfort across the entire surface.

 **Thickness:** 8.4 cm





 **Width:** 185 cm

 **Length:** supplied in rolls, cut to length



“From the moment we started using the Meadow Vista, our calves have been growing better. Because the mattresses are soft and springy, they love lying on them and learn from a young age to lie in a cubicle.”

- Geurt Kets, Rottevalle

 130 dairy cows  8,000 liters  2x15 side-by-side parlor  100 ha.



## Curious about the Meadow cow mattresses?

Scan the QR code and request a free sample!

We can tell you everything about the comfort of the Meadow cow mattresses, but the best way is to experience it yourself. Request a free sample today and discover the comfort!





## Evolution Spinder Meadow cow mattresses; matching the requirements of the modern cow and the modern dairy industry

For more than 20 years Spinder has supplied Meadow cow mattress; a foam sheet with rubber top cover. This mattress has been used in dairy barns in Europe and abroad for many years. During this period, dairy cows have become larger and heavier on average.

Also, the available materials have evolved. Spinder has incorporated this information and possibilities in the evolution of the Meadow cowmattress. Even softer, even more comfortable, and extensively tested!

In addition to cow mattresses, Spinder also sells Dual waterbeds. With waterbeds, your cows "float" on a layer of water. The unique waterbed with two compartments offers extra knee comfort when lying down.

- Soft, resilient and comfortable
- Hygienic and easy to clean
- Durable

### Meadow Vista:

- Also available for young stock

### Meadow Valley:

- Extra knee comfort
- Runoff of milk and urine

### Meadow Mesa:

- Extra thick and comfortable
- Even pressure distribution

