

Brushes



Muddy Conditions



Having Friends



Walking long distances



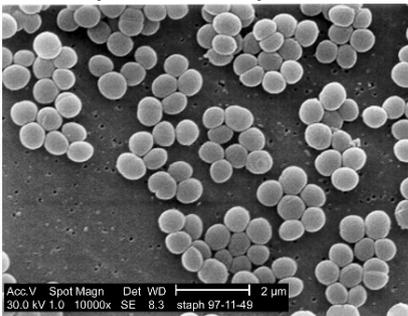
Walking on stones



Yelling/ loud noises



Mastitis: inflammation of the udder usually caused by bacteria.



Boredom

Feeding vices can be attributed to boredom following a too rapid satisfying of their nutritional needs. These include dropping feed, feed throwing and water lapping.



Dry Conditions



Social Hierarchy

Dominant cows may inhibit submissive cows from eating when being feed out food, drinking water, or lying down. Fresh cows, first-calf heifers and recently moved cows are often the submissive cows in a group. Larger cows, older cows and cows with more seniority in a group are often more dominant. Animals of similar rank lick each other more often than animals of very different ranks.



Treats (eg:Molasses)



Ruminating



Favourite Ryegrass Pasture (tend to overeat)



TETRAPLOIDS



'Tastes Okay' Ryegrass Pasture



DIPLOIDS



Shelter



Schedule

Cows like routine and don't really like changes. E.g. New cows, technology, routine and people.

