

# The only 100% HUMAN MILK-BASED preterm infant formula when mother's own milk is not available.







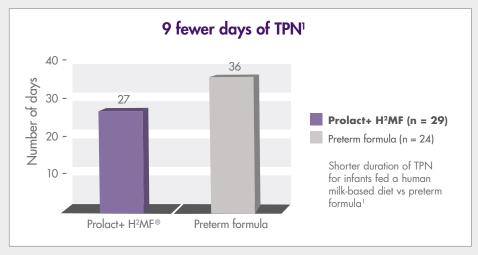


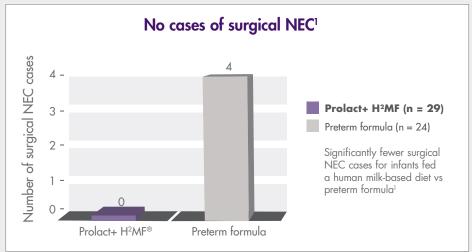


# Prolact RTF (Ready-To-Feed) offers neonatal intensive care units superior solutions for their extremely premature infants.

- Provides an easy, convenient, labor saving way to deliver an exclusive human milk-based diet when mother's own milk is unavailable.
- Easy to use, just thaw and feed; eliminates mixing errors and saves time.
- Once the thawing process begins, administer within 48 hours.
- Product standardization ensures consistent and predictable delivery of nutrients available in 24, 26 and 28 Calories per fluid ounce.

### Results from a second randomized clinical trial of an Exclusive Human Milk Diet (EHMD).\*





This multicenter, randomized, controlled trial compared an exclusive human milk diet vs preterm formula in extremely premature infants. There was a significant difference in median parenteral nutrition days (27 vs 36), in Prolact+  $H^2MF$  vs preterm formula groups, respectively (p=.04), and surgical NEC was significantly fewer (0 cases vs 4 cases) with Prolact+  $H^2MF$  vs preterm formula, (p=.04).

<sup>\*</sup>This study followed a 2009 publication (Sullivan et al.) which demonstrated significantly fewer surgical NEC cases while receiving an EHMD, including Prolact+ H<sup>2</sup>MF®, when compared with infants receiving cow milk-based fortifier or, when mother's own milk was unavailable, preterm formula.<sup>2</sup>



An exclusive human milk diet shows statistically significant reduction in late-onset sepsis, retinopathy of prematurity (ROP), bronchopulmonary dysplasia (BPD), and patent ductus arteriosus (PDA), as well as a decrease in number of ventilator days.<sup>3</sup>

This chart is based on an article reporting the results of a large, multicenter, retrospective cohort study (1,587 patients) comparing the outcomes of extremely premature infants (birth weight <1,250 g) who received a diet including cow milk-based products (BOV) versus infants who received an exclusive human milk-based diet (HUM).<sup>3</sup>

#### Outcomes: HUM group had significantly lower incidence of...

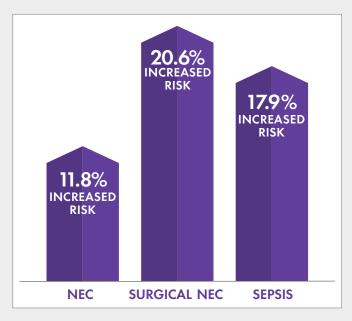
	BOV (n = 768)	HUM (n = 819)	p-Value
NEC (%)	16.7	6.9	<0.00001
Late-Onset Sepsis (%)	30.3	19.0	<0.00001
ROP (%)	9.0	5.2	0.003
PDA (%)	64.7	55.1	0.0001
BPD (%)	56.3	47.7	0.0015
Mortality (%)	17.2	13.6	0.04

- The primary outcomes, NEC and mortality, were statistically significant. The BOV group mortality rate was 17.2% (132/768), and the HUM group rate was 13.6% (111/819; p=0.04).
- For every 10 infants, one case of NEC was prevented with an exclusive HUM diet.
- Reduction of ventilator days from a mean of 32 days with a median of 17 days to a mean of 29 days with a median of 9 days (p=0.003).

This retrospective cohort study included data from infants at four hospitals representing different regions of the U.S. during four different time periods between 2006 and 2013.



## Greater morbidity in extremely preterm infants fed a diet containing cow milk-based protein products.



A combined analysis of two randomized clinical studies demonstrates a dose-response relationship that negatively affects patient outcomes. For every 10% increase in the volume of milk containing cow milk, the risk of NEC increases by 11.8%, surgical NEC by 20.6%, and sepsis by 17.9%.4\*

\*NEC 11.8% (95% confidence interval of 0.2% to 24.8%) Surgical NEC 20.6% (95% confidence interval of 4.2% to 39.6%) Sepsis 17.9% (95% confidence interval of 8.8% to 27.8%)

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