

# CALIFORNIA STATE SCIENCE FAIR 2007 PROJECT SUMMARY

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**Project Number** 

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**Project Title** 

**Moos in Motion** 

#### **Abstract**

## **Objectives/Goals**

The goal of my project was to determine if the age of a cow affects how active it is.

### Methods/Materials

To archive this I attached pedometers to cows of different ages for 24hr and recorded the number of steps. The cows ID tags were used to confirm their ages.

### **Results**

With the exception of very young cows, ages did not seem to have much of an affect on the activity level.

### **Conclusions/Discussion**

The age did not really affect the activity of the cows as much as other things in their environment. Things causing changes in activity level are; foot warts, weather, feeding times, milking patterns.

### **Summary Statement**

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### Help Received

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