

#### **URBAN MilkShuttle | Benefits**

#### The benefits at a glance



#### **Electric drive**

provides an effortless transport of the milk even over inclines, rough terrain, steps or ice and snow.



#### **Easy dosing**

With the ergonomically shaped pump nozzle the milkforyour calves is dosed without effort. Three differentdosing quantities can be programmed.



#### Various volumes

Availableindifferentversions – from 100 to 250 litres holding capacity.



#### 2-stage agitator

For whole milk or milk replacer



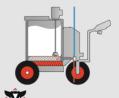
#### **Automatic stop**

Preventssuddensettinginto motion and ensures a safe parking position



#### **Extremelysmallturningcircle** With a radius of only 1.72

metres the MilkShuttle is highly manoeuvrable and also suitable for small stable buildings.



### Optional: Integrated pasteurisation function

For easily digestible milk feeds.





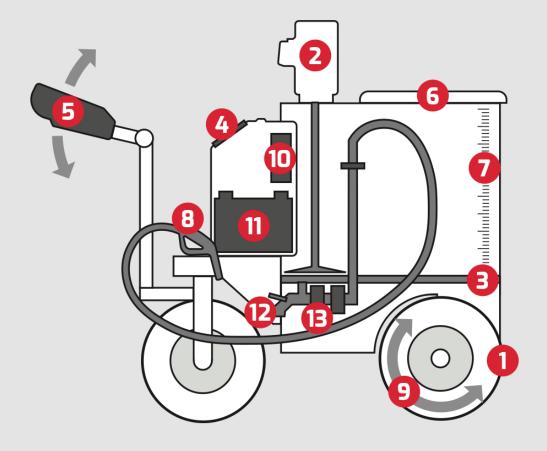
#### **URBAN MilkShuttle |** Components

# Components

## The following provides an overview of the most important components of the MilkShuttle

- 1 Three puncture-proof large wheels (diameter: 40 cm) for the necessary stability and excellent driving comfort.
- 2 Almost noiseless agitator motor
- 3 Built-in floor heating. Optionally, also a cooling unit can be installed.
- 4 Clear and simply structured control electronics/control panel
- **5** Ergonomically designed handle for easy handling, even on rough or sloping terrain.
- Cover with seal and closure keeps the milk safely protected.
- Practical quantity scale in the container to allow for easy preparation of the correct mixture.
- Pump nozzle with ergonomically designed handle for easy filling of buckets.
- 9 Steplessly variable electric drive forward and backward.
- Power electronics
- 11 Powerful 12 volt battery can be loaded comfortably via a 240V domestic power connection.
- 1.5" drain valve
- Pump (battery)





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**URBAN MilkShuttle I** Model variants

# **Model variants**

Providing a suitable MilkShuttle for each farm and every requirement - that was our goal. We have achieved it by offering four MilkShuttle sizes and variable equipment options.

#### **Container sizes**



MilkShuttle 100

MilkShuttle 150

MilkShuttle 200

MilkShuttle 250

From the smallest MilkShuttle with a holding capacity of 100 litres up to the XXL-version with a volume of 250 litres - our basic models provide the basis for a daily helper perfectly suited for your farm. We would be pleased to assist you in selecting the right solution.

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# OPTIONAL FEATURES



#### **Electric Drive**

Optionally, all basic models can be equipped with a factory-installed strong electric drive. The propelling drive is steplessly variable and has both a forward and a backward gear. Thus you will reach your calves without effort.



#### **URBAN MilkShuttle** | Features



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# **Features**

Our objective: Develop user-friendly and clearly designed helpers for daily work. Our MilkShuttle convinces by its simple structure and extremely robust components.

#### The control panel

The control panel of the MilkShuttle is clearly designed and very easy to operate. The various programmes can each be selected by just one push of a button. All relevant data, such as the battery level are shown in a transparent way



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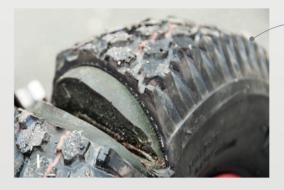


#### Fit for all terrains

Thanks to the compact three-wheel design, the MilkShuttle is extremely manoeuvrable and fit for all terrains. Given its turning radius of just 1.72 metres you can take the MilkShuttle into any corner without problem.

The built-in stop mechanism allows for safe parking even on a slope. The emergency stop button increases work safety: If someone is a trisk of being trapped, it will stop the Milk Shuttle and roll it back.





#### **Puncture-proof tires**

Our tires have a highly elastic plastic core. They are puncture-proof and maintenance-free.Inaddition,theindest-ructibletiresstabilizetheall-terrainMilkS-huttle by their own weight.





The milk can be tapped quickly and accurately in 0.1-litre-steps. Three pre-programmed dosing quantities are selectable.

Large containers can be filled via a special function



#### **Comfortable dosing**

By means of dosing pump and dosing nozzle, the calves get exactly the amount of feed they should receive. The desired quantity of milk can be pre-set and then filled-in using a button on the dosing nozzle or dosing arm.



Dosing nozzle withbuilt-incheck valve. Easy disassembly ensures convenient cleaning.



#### **URBAN MilkShuttle | Features**



#### 2-stage agitator

In order to obtain a homogeneous feed, the stages of the agitator can be selected manually and can thus be used with both whole milk and calf milk replacer. Use the low stage for gentle agitation of whole milk during warming—the interval timer prevents the milk from burning. The fast stage ensures lump-free mixing of the calf milk replacer.



#### Non-stop mixing

Helpstoensureoptimaldissolution of the powder.



#### Mixing table in the lid

Always the right mixture of water and milk powder for perfect feed concentration.



#### Quantityscaleinthecontainer

Allows to quickly read and check the current amount of fluid.





#### Semi-automatic rinsing programme

The water circulates through the hose, thus cleaning it reliably. Cleaning time and water temperature are individually adjustable.







**Additional cleaning nozzle**The lid of the MilkShuttle will automatically be cleaned too, saving an additional manual

#### **Drain valve**

ForeasyemptyingoftheMilkShuttle after feeding and cleaning.



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**URBAN MilkShuttle |** Options and accessories

# **Options and accessories**

Further technical equipment options allow you to adapt the MilkShuttle to the needs of your individual farm.





**Plug-inconnectorforadrencher**For attaching a cow drencher to the MilkShuttle.





Vacuum lid for easy filling with fresh milk

The milk is drawn from milk cans or milk tanks into the MilkShuttle.





#### **Swivel dosing arm**

Hight-adjustable - your hands are free for other things.



The optional headlight provides better visibility in dark environments.



#### **Insulation**

Keeps the milk at the desired temperature or a long time – saving energy!





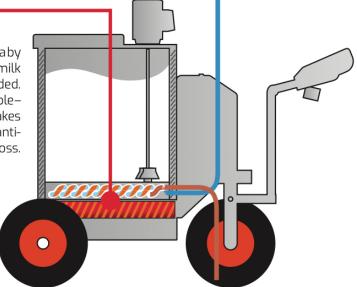
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#### **Pasteurisation function**

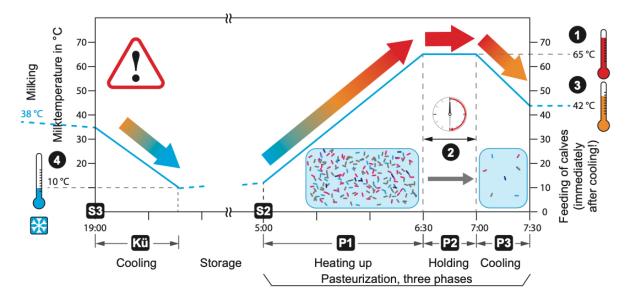
#### **Pasteurisation process**

Pasteurisation reliably kills germs and bacteria by heating the milk. Your calves can digest the milk more easily and diarrhoea problems are avoided. The holding temperature is individually adjustable evengentle pasteurisation is possible. Cooling takes place via the intermediate floor—also small quantities can be cooled, resulting in minimal energy loss.





#### The automated pasteurisation process







#### **URBAN MilkShuttle |** Options and accessories

#### Caddy - everything at one go

Taketeatbucketsandaccessoriesalong. This trailer providesspaceforupto24teatbuckets,milkcansandmany otheraccessories such as water, feed or medication. The teat buckets can be hung upside down on hooks to dry directly after cleaning.











#### **Abnehmbarer** Zubehörhalter

Handycarrierformilkcans, feedbowls or teat buckets.



With the trailer coupling you can easily attach a trailer - for





holder can easily be hooked into the special fixture and taken





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#### **Bucket carrier**

Up to 16 teat buckets can be transported with the bucket carrier and hung up to dry



#### **URBAN MilkShuttle |** Experience report



# **Optimally equipped**

# Why take a difficult approach when a simple one can be adopted-theWestrup-Kochdairyfarmswearsbythesophisticated

The Westrup-Koch dairy farm is locatedinavillagenearOsnabrückin Lower Saxony, Germany. The farm is run by five families who jointly manage 718 hectares of land and operate a 650 kW biogas plant and a 230 kW photovoltaic system. Together with eleven employees and two apprentices they take care of approximately 600 dairy cows and 600 young animals.

Over the years, in order to ensure optimum living conditions for the animals, thefarmwas adapted again and again to meet the needs of the animals, and continuously modernised. Westrup-Koch has been working with URBAN for several generations. In order to provide best rearing conditions for the calves, Westrup-Koch relies on URBAN products which are always one step ahead of technical progress. During their daily work with the calves they are mainly

supported by the MilkShuttle and the Alma Pro Duo. When feeding the calves the hard physical work is taken over by the MilkShuttle. Thanks to the Shuttle, the calves in the individual boxes can be fed convenientlywithoutcarryingheavy buckets. With the help of a mixing table in the lid even in experienced employees can prepare an adequate feed concentration of water and milk powder. In addition, a clear control panel on the MilkShuttle provides the opportunity











to automatically heat the milk to optimumtemperature, thus saving valuable time. The MilkShuttle facilitates the daily work, is easy to operate and also allows for efficient time management. The Alma Pro Duo is of importance to Westrup-Koch mainly at a later stagewithgroupcalfmanagement because it allows for feeding two different calf milk replacers to two or more groups. In their everyday work, the employees can rely on the system to constantly dispense the pre-set feed amounts to the individual animals. In case of irregularities regarding the drinking behaviour or the feeder, an employee will be informed by text message to the smartphone. This allows for keeping an eye on feeder and calves at all times.

#### FARM PROFILE

Name: Westrup-Koch GbR Location: Lower Saxony

**Size**: 735 ha

**Livestock**: 600 dairy cows, 600 young animals

Staff: 11 empolyees, 2 apprentices

- Thanks to three dosing levelseverycalfreceivesthe optimum quantity of milk.
- 2 The new calf scales collect all weight data and allow for even better monitoring of the individual animal.
- The data are sent to the feeder by the URBAN VitalControldevice.Thusall health data are stored centrally and can be accessed from anywhere at any time.
- With the MilkShuttle also long distances can be covered without problem.

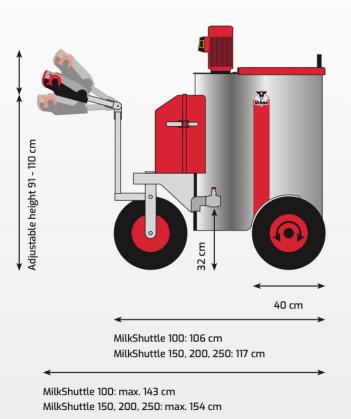
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#### **URBAN MilkShuttle |** Technische Daten

#### **MilkShuttle**

All measurements are given in cm.

#### **Lateral View**



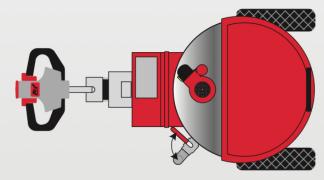
#### **Front View**

MilkShuttle 100, 150: 98 cm



MilkShuttle 100: 80 cm MilkShuttle 150, 200, 250: 82 cm

#### **Top View**



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