

## Double up #5: (32 Unit)



### Dairy Statistics

- Farm location: West Gippsland
- Max. cows milked: 275
- Calving pattern: Autumn and Spring
- Dairy type: Herringbone Double up
- No. of units: 32
- Labour units employed: 1



### Automation Options

- ACR's
- Out of parlour teat spray
- Automatic drafting
- Rapid exit
- Electronic cow identification
- Milk metering
- Auto plant cleaning
- Auto vat cleaning
- Auto heat detection
- Integrated herd management software



### Dairy Performance

The following performance figures were calculated at peak lactation using CowTime's Milking Monitor:

- 180 Cows per operator per hour (cups on cups off)
- 2666 Litres per operator per hour (cups on cups off)
- 1832 Litres per operator per hour (total milk harvesting time)



### Dairy Builder

- Shed Design: Australian Design Builders
- Phone: No longer available



### Special or key features of this dairy

- The 3 metre wide pit not only makes milking in the dairy very comfortable, it also promotes good cow flow.
- The cow looks into a brightly lit and wide pit which, the farmer says, allows them to enter the platform enthusiastically.
- Cows enter the yard from the rear where several laneways converge.

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1. Yard Entrance  
(from track looking into yard)



4. Dairy layout / cow entry  
(looking from yard into dairy)



2. Holding yards  
(from end looking toward dairy)



5. Inside Pit  
(from holding yard end)



3. Holding yards  
(from dairy looking towards rear)



6. Cow exit  
(from outside shed looking into dairy exit)



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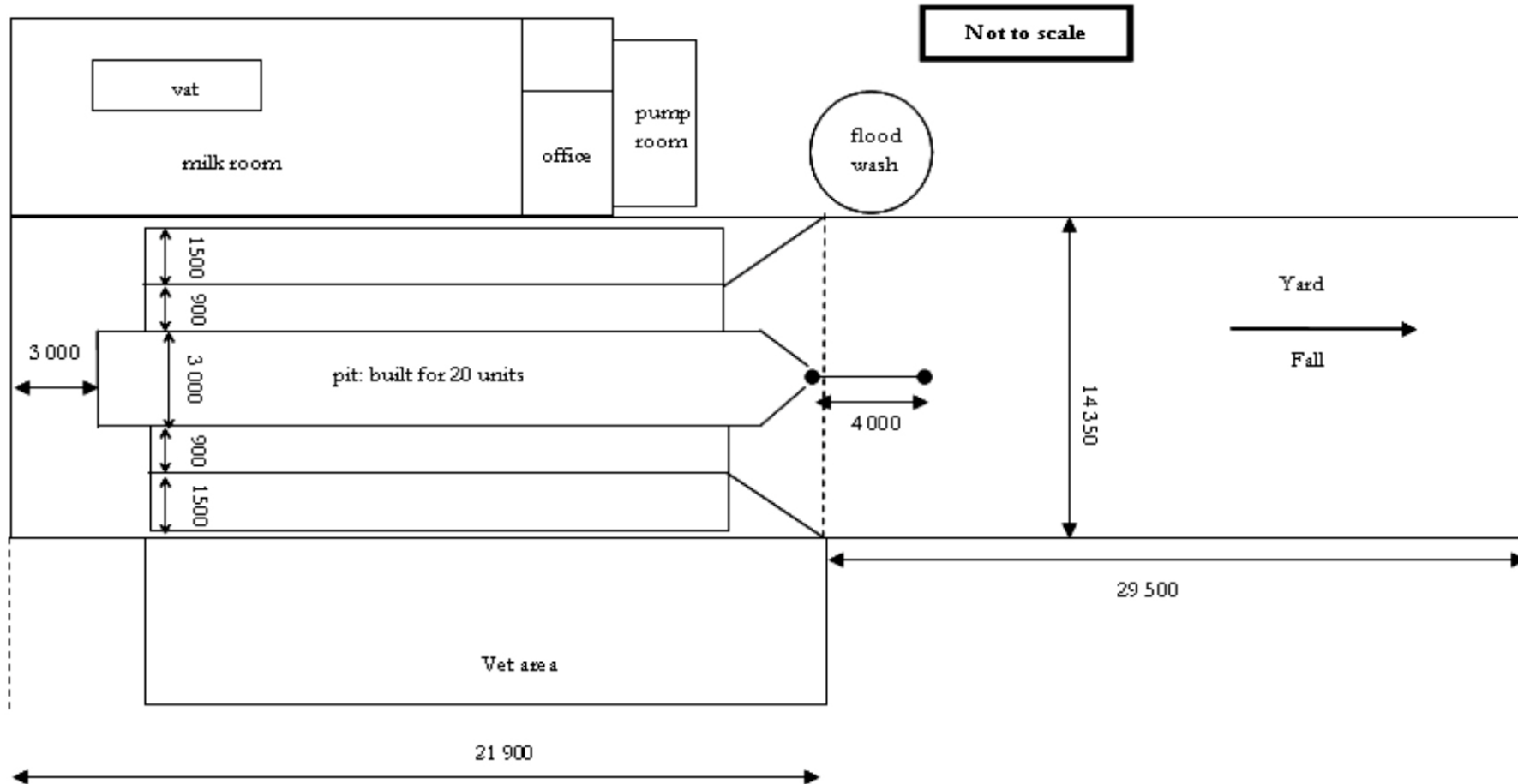


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Dairy Plan

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