



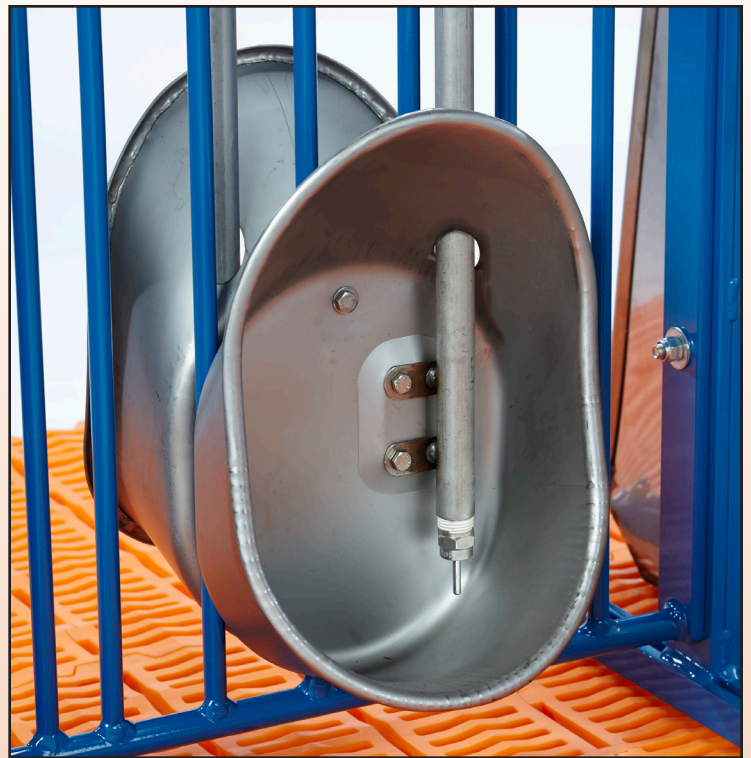
Farmweld Round Water Cup.

Durable. Productive. Versatile.

"The Farmweld cup appears to be the preferred cup for many of our clients. They feel there is substantially less water waste compared to nipple waterers, and Farmweld cups are easy to maintain."

- Dr. Paul Yeske, Swine Vet Center, P.A., St. Peter, MN

Farmweld Round Water Cups reduce water and medication waste and improve feed conversion. The fresh water reservoir naturally draws pigs to the cup, so pigs drink more, earlier. And the unique design, with recessed stainless-steel cup and downward positioning of the standard nipple valve, keeps water from being spilled down into the pit. Farmweld Round Water Cups are ideal for nursery, conventional finishing and wean-to-finish barns.



durable, conservative, cost effective

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Early-weaned pigs start faster because the round water cup's fresh water reservoir attracts pigs. Even the smallest pigs have no trouble working the cup's nipple.

The closed-cup design keeps water in the reservoir clean. The round water cup outperforms other watering devices in trial after trial in Europe for hygiene as well as water savings.

Enclosed nipple means fewer injuries and less trim loss compared to standard nipple brackets.



Cups feature the Edstrom™ nipple
(No screen or spring inside).

The recessed trough and downward positioning of the nipple keep pigs consuming water, not playing with it. Pigs disengage the flow of water as it reaches their nostrils. So there's no wasting – just drinking. And expensive medication is consumed, not splashed down the pit.

Farmweld Round Water Cups can cut medication costs in half.

Durable stainless steel construction for long-lasting life.

Farmweld Round Water Cups require no height adjustment during the feeding period. That means less labor compared to maintaining nipple waterers.



Nebraska Trial Results: Three Comparisons for Water Disappearance and Performance

Pigs: 40 to 250 pounds		Water Disappearance	Average Daily Gain	Feed: Gain
Drinker Type		(gallons/pig/day)	(lbs.)	(lbs.)
Test 1	Wet/Dry Feeders	1.19	1.72	3.05
	Conventional Nipple Bracket w/Standard Dry Feeder	1.60	1.68	2.96
p values:		<.05	<.05	<.005
Test 2	Swinging Nipple Waterer w/Standard Dry Feeder	1.36	1.66	3.06
	Conventional Nipple Bracket w/Standard Dry Feeder	1.53	1.65	3.09
p values:		<.05	>.10	>.10
Test 3	Swinging Nipple Waterer w/Farmweld Jumbo Feeder	1.33	1.83	2.55
	Farmweld Water Cup w/Farmweld Jumbo Feeder	1.00	1.81	2.49
p values:		.060	>.10	.095

According to University of Nebraska researcher Michael C. Brumm, p values >.10 are not significant for these types of trials.

Annual Savings for a 1,000-head grow-finisher:

Water (\$3.50/1,000 gal)	\$414
Medication (\$42/gal. w/dosage of 30g/128 gal. water)	\$232
Feed (214# gain at a cost of \$0.07 per # feed)	\$2,307
Waste Disposal (\$0.005/gal. disposal cost)	\$593

TOTAL: \$3,546

Farmweld Round Water Cups reduced water disappearance by 25 percent compared to the Ritchie WaterSwing® in a University of Nebraska trial. For a 1,000-head grow-finish unit, approximately 120,000 gallons would be saved annually. That's estimated to be \$414 in annual water cost savings and an additional \$593 in reduced disposal costs.

Farmweld cut medication costs in half. During the Nebraska trial, there was an outbreak of swine influenza. Pigs on Farmweld cups wasted 50% less water during the trial compared to pigs treated using the WaterSwing. Expensive medication is consumed, *not splashed down the pit.*

Researchers also demonstrated that Farmweld cups impacted performance results. Overall, the feed:gain ratio for pigs on the Farmweld cups was 2.493 compared to 2.548 for pigs on the WaterSwing. Both groups were fed with Farmweld Jumbo Feeders and demonstrated statistically-equal average daily gains. For a 1,000-head finisher with similar feed savings, that's \$2,307 in annual feed cost savings *with equal growth.*

Product Description:

- Wean-to-Finish Cup – Designed to handle pigs from 7 pounds to 280 pounds (3.18 to 127.3 kg). This cup can also be used for sows.
 - Includes a 47" (1,194 mm) stainless steel water pipe with 1/2" (13 mm) threads on both ends.
 - Includes an Edstrom wet feeder valve.
 - A stainless steel bracket to secure the water pipe to the gate is available.
- Recommended for 20 - 30 pigs per cup.

Contact us for more information on the Farmweld Round Water Cup or any of our other products.



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