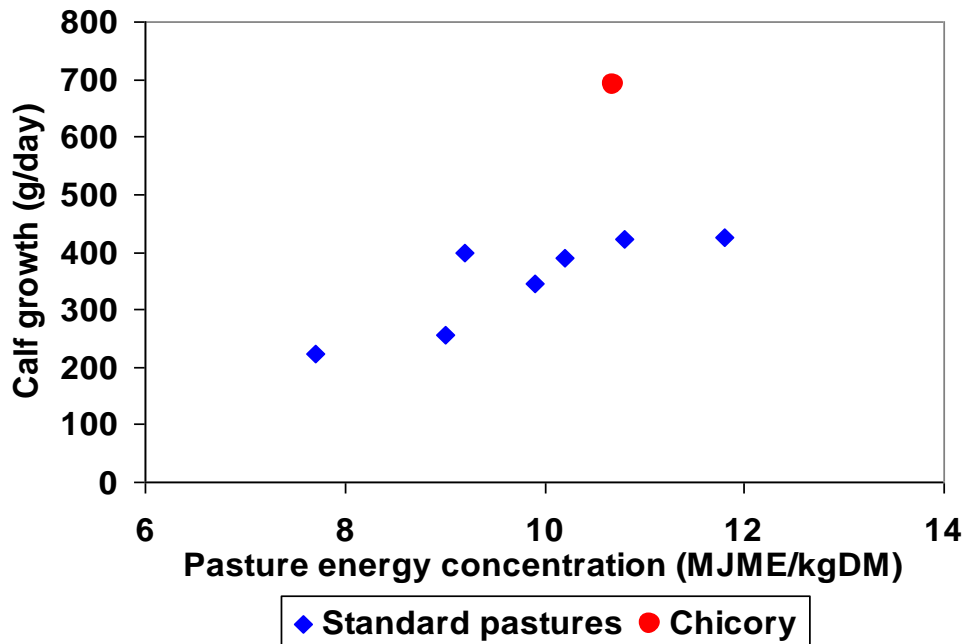


Impacts of feed quality on calf growth

Effects of pasture energy concentration (MJME/kg) in Jan-Feb on calf growth (g/d).



Even when calves are getting milk from the hind, the calf still grows faster if the quality of the feed on offer is higher.

The calf grows about 50 g/d faster if the pasture quality is increased by 1 MJME/kg.