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# 'READY-TO-MILK' MODULAR PARLORS (BUILT FROM RECYCLED MATERIALS)

# PROJECT # 15 DUNCAN FAMILY FARMS

DBL. 8 GERMANIA PARABONE WITH LEGACY 7000 AUTOMATICS



Works Like New
Looks Like New
Guaranteed For 15 Months

AVAILABLE AT A REASONABLE PRICE....

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In the fall of 2004 D.J. & Loretta Duncan were milking 80 cows thru a 30-year old dbl. 5 Agway HerringBone, 38" cow-to-cow distance. The parlor had to be replaced and, looking forward to milking 150 cows within 3 to 5 years, D.J. decided to increase capacity to dbl. 8 - 70 cows/hr.

#### Change-over at a Slower than Usual Pace

The Project Team removed the first side, starting at 6:00AM Wednesday. 1st Module in place by lunch time. Substantial improvements to both the pit floor and cow platform were required. Milk on remaining side of old parlor that evening and Thursday morning. Take 2nd side out Thursday morning. 2nd Module in place by noon. Milk with 1st side of new parlor that evening. Both sides completed and milking by Friday night.

Working time 30 hrs, elapsed time 58 hours.



#### • A Dbl. 8 All-Stainless Germania ProTime

#### What We Installed...

- Germania all air, all stainless Legacy 7000 Chain TakeOffs with Flo-Sensor below Curb
- Germania Top Outlet Claws with DeLaval Delatron Pulsation
- 3" Lo-Line, 2" CIP Line with DeLaval under-thecurb CIP Cabinets, and
- All-air Cow Traffic Controls with (8) new 3" cylinders.



Auto Indexing, All Stainless Brisket Bar At What Cost?

Roughly \$68,000 for the (2) TechForAg Modules plus another \$25,000 for other work done by the local Dealer—update CIP system, vacuum system, add hot water heater, new air compressor, etc.

#### Where Did the Equipment Come From?

The stalls and Automatic TakeOffs came from the Bensen Dairy, Jerome, ID, where it was installed as a dbl. 40 ParaBone in 1996, milking 2,400 cows 3x. We removed it in 2002 when the dairy was sold. The new owner replaced it with a dbl 50 Parallel.

The rest of the Duncan equipment came from several other dairies in California, Washington and Kansas.

#### At TechForAg...

...we specialize in remanufacturing pre-owned parlors, mostly Germania. We then modularize these parlors, ship them cross-country on flatbed trucks and reinstall them in record time, typically in 22 to 24 working hours over a period of 36 hrs elapsed time. We supply parlors for both, new parlor projects and retrofits. Fastest Retrofit to date: exchanging a dbl. 6 Side Opener for a dbl. 14 HerringBone in 16 hrs start to finish.

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