

Table 7.1: Chronology of development of mandibular teeth; based on study of intra-oral radiographs of 869 cattle (from Brown *et al.* 1960: 19; table 5).

Age	dP2	dP3	dP4	P1	P2	P3	M1	M2	M3
Birth	Beginning to erupt (at 0-2 weeks)	Beginning to erupt (at 0-2 weeks)	Almost fully erupted				Crown formation complete (at 2-3 months)	Crown formation starting (at 1 month)	
½-1 year					Crown formation begins	Crown formation begins	Emergence into oral cavity	Crown formation completed	Crown formation begins
1-1½ years				Crown formation begins	Crown formation completed		Roots fully extended	Emergence into oral cavity	
1½-2 years	Root resorption	Root resorption	Root resorption	Crown formation completed		Crown formation completed			Crown formation completed
2-2½ years		Shed			Emergence into oral cavity			Roots fully extended	Emergence into oral cavity
2½-3 years	Shed		Shed	Emergence into oral cavity		Emergence into oral cavity			
3-3½ years				Roots fully extended	Roots fully extended	Roots fully extended			Roots fully extended