

Quick Facts, Rabbits & Cavies

	Rabbits	Cavies
Birth Weight	30-80 grams	45-115 grams
Respiratory Rate	30-60 breaths/min	40-100 breaths/min
Heart Rate	130-325 beats/min	230-380 beats/min
Temperature (rectal)	101.3 – 104	99-103.1
Food consumption	5 g/100 g/ day	6 g/100 g/day
Water consumption	5-10 mL/100g/day	10 mL/100 g/day
GI Transit Time	4-5 hours	2 hours
Gestation length	29-35 days	59-72 days
Total teeth	28	20



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