

BEC RUMENSIN[®] 20 PREMIX

PRODUCT INFORMATION

INDICATIONS

Improved feed conversion efficiency in feedlot cattle. Control of coccidiosis in goats. Also for use in lactating dairy cattle to increase milk production under some conditions and to aid in reducing the severity of sub-clinical ketosis.

COMPOSITION

20 g / kg monensin sodium.

Carrier: Prebase™

DIRECTIONS

Mix thoroughly and evenly into feed as follows:

BEEF CATTLE

Complete feed

Mix 1250 g premix per tonne of complete feed from introduction to lot OR use step up programme: 500 g / tonne for the first seven days then 1650 g / tonne.

Supplement

2.5 to 18 g of premix per head per day.

DAIRY COWS

Feeds and supplement

Add to feed or supplementary feed such that each cow will consume 10 to 12.5 g of the premix per head per day. This provides 200-250 mg monensin per head/day.

GOATS

Complete feed - 250 to 1000g of premix per tonne of feed.

Supplement - 375 to 1000mg of premix per head per day.

DISCUSSION

RUMENSIN[®] improves the efficiency of ruminant digestion by modifying the ratio of volatile fatty acids (VFA's) produced by ruminal fermentation. The result is an increase in propionate and a reduction in acetate and butyrate resulting in an increase in the total available energy.

Where RUMENSIN[®] is incorporated into loose mix feeds, separation of the RUMENSIN[®] from the other constituents

may lead to uneven dosage. It is recommended that PELLETTED RUMENSIN[®] is used under these conditions to improve the evenness of in feed distribution.



WITHHOLDING PERIOD

Meat and milk nil.

Colostrum and milk from cows receiving RUMENSIN[®] should be withheld from human consumption until 72 hours after calving.

SCHEDULE

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LIMITATIONS

Do not feed in supplements if cattle are fed less than 500 g / head / day of the supplement.

Do not feed to goats producing milk for human consumption.

Not to be fed to dogs, horses or other equines, may be fatal. Do not feed this product to animals treated with RUMENSIN[®] ANTI-BLOAT CAPSULE within the previous 100 days. Do not exceed the recommended rates of use. Excessive intake of monensin may reduce feed intake and may result in poor growth, disease and death.

Feeding monensin to dairy cows may result in decreased milk fat percentage but there is no effect on total fat yield. Enhanced performance in response to monensin administration is unlikely to occur if nutrient intake is severely restricted.

STORAGE

Store below 30°C (Room Temperature). Protect from moisture.

EXPIRY AFTER MANUFACTURE

2 years

PACK SIZES

1 x 20 kg

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