

# RUMEVITE<sup>®</sup>

# LAMB STARTER PELLETS

## MEDICATED ANIMAL FOODSTUFF

*An introductory pelleted grain ration for starter lambs.*

### FEATURES & BENEFITS

- Higher roughage pellets to gradually introduce lambs to a grain based diet.
- Contains an acidifying agent to reduce the risk of urinary calculi (water belly).
- Appropriate levels of bypass protein.
- Contains balanced levels of calcium, phosphorus, trace minerals and vitamins.
- Contains 33.00 mg/kg DM Lasalocid (as Bovatec<sup>®</sup>) for the reduction of faecal shedding of coccidia (Eimeria spp.) in sheep maintained in confinement.

### FEEDING DIRECTIONS

- Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets is suitable for feeding to starter lambs in conjunction with unlimited pasture or conserved forage.
- Before starting to feed Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets, ensure that the appropriate animal husbandry procedures are completed - consult a veterinarian for advice. Lambs of similar size and age should be drafted into groups.
- Before starting to feed Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets, ensure all lambs have been fed with palatable hay to appetite for the first day
  - ensure all lambs are full with palatable hay.
- Start feeding lambs with Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets at a rate of 0.25 kg per 50 kg liveweight per day. Gradually increase the rate of feeding each day for the next 21 days up to the desired level of feeding, or up to 1.5 kg per 50 kg liveweight per day.
- After 21 days and/or the desired level of feeding is reached, lambs can be changed over to Rumevite Lamb Finisher Pellets.
- Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets can either be fed in self-feeders or troughs.
- When feeding Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets in a self-feeder or trough, ensure that pasture or hay is readily available, and that livestock are able to eat this forage to appetite at all times.
- When using self-feeders, adjust slide settings to regulate feed intake and achieve recommended feeding rates. The feeder slide should be set so that lambs have to lick the feed out from under the slide.
- When using self-feeders, lambs will require 2 – 8 cm of trough space per head, depending upon liveweight.
- If feeding by hand into troughs, split the daily allocation into two feeds.
- When using troughs, lambs require up to 15 cm of trough space per head.
- If you wish to seek further advice on feeding Rumevite Lamb Starter Pellets please feel free to contact our Customer Service Centre on 1300 666 657.



## ANALYSIS

ELEMENTS/NUTRIENTS/VITAMINS	NUTRIENT LEVELS IN 1 KG DRY MATTER AT 89%
Crude Protein (minimum)	16.9%
Urea (maximum)	NIL
Metabolisable Energy (ME) Ruminant (minimum)	12.0 MJ
Crude Fibre (maximum)	11.2%
Crude Fat (minimum)	1.7%
Calcium (minimum)	0.73%
Phosphorus (minimum)	0.34%
Magnesium (minimum)	0.22%
Salt (maximum added)	1.1%
Copper (added)	NIL
Zinc (added)	56.20 mg
Selenium (added)	0.11 mg
Manganese (added)	22.47 mg
Cobalt (added)	1.12 mg
Iodine (added)	1.12 mg
Iron (added)	16.85 mg
Molybdenum (added)	1.12 mg
Sulphur (minimum)	2,247.20 mg
Vitamin A (added)	6,742 IU
Vitamin D <sub>3</sub> (added)	562 IU
Vitamin E (added)	5.62 mg
Lasalocid (as Bovatec®)	33.70 mg

**PRODUCT CODE:** 102004 (bulk only)

**STORAGE REQUIREMENTS:** Store under cover in a cool, dry place, below 30°C and protected from exposure to direct sunlight.

**WARNINGS:**

- Medicated animal foodstuff - for animal treatment only. Use strictly as directed and keep out of reach of children.
- This feed has been formulated specifically for animals as described, and must not be used for other species of animals.
- This feed is unsuitable for human consumption.
- The manufacturer accepts no responsibility if this feed is used in quantities, conditions or in any way other than in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations.
- Withholding period: SHEEP
  - Meat: Zero (0) days
  - Milk: DO NOT USE in lactating ewes which are producing or may in the future produce milk that may be used or processed for human consumption.
- THIS PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN RESTRICTED ANIMAL MATERIAL.

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