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## Sheep Performa BalancePro 100

A vitamin, mineral & protein supplement for lambs

**Sheep Performa BalancePro 100** is suited for mixing on-farm with cereal grain and legumes to balance protein levels, and to supplement the vitamin and trace mineral intakes of sheep and lambs fed in intensive feeding situations.

**Sheep Performa BalancePro 100** also contains a rumen buffer as an aid in reducing acidosis, a urinary acidifier to reduce the incidence of urinary calculi, and lasalocid sodium (Bovatec®) as a coccidiostat and to improve feed conversion efficiency.

Recommended inclusion rate is 100kgs of **Sheep Performa BalancePro 100** with 900kgs of cereal grains and legumes to make 1000kg of finished feed.

An example 16% grain mix suitable for use in a feedlot is:

Barley - 750kg  
Lupins - 150kg  
Sheep Performa BalancePro 100 - 100kg

If a protein source is unavailable, or if you mix contains another protein source please contact Counterpoint Stockfeeds for recommendations.

When introducing grain, or making significant changes to the diet, care must be taken to avoid digestive upsets. Stock must have access to a suitable source of effective fibre (eg palatable cereal straw) and clean, fresh water at all times.

While a flavouring is included for palatability, when used in self-feeders it may be necessary to gradually increase inclusion rate to avoid refusal, eg. include at a half rate (50kg/tonne), and gradually increasing over 7 days until the full inclusion rate is achieved.

Please note that adequate buffering may not be achieved until the full inclusion rate is used.

Feeders and water troughs should be inspected and cleaned a minimum of once a day to maximise feed intake.

### Calculated Analysis (per Kg)<sup>1</sup>

ME Ruminant:	9.0 MJ/kg
Crude Protein (CP):	20.0%
CP Equivalent (max):	6.25%
Lysine:	0.75%
Methionine:	0.30%
Fat:	2.00%
Starch (typical):	20.0%
NDF (typical):	20.0%
Calcium:	7.50%
Phosphorus:	1.00%
Magnesium:	1.50%
Salt (max added):	2.5% <sup>2</sup>
Urea (max added):	1.00% <sup>2</sup>
Lasalocid sodium	330mg/kg <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Dry Matter Basis at 89% Dry Matter

<sup>2</sup>As-Fed Basis

### Presentation

- Pellet

### Feeding Guidelines

Offer as a component of a grain mix to lamb in a feedlot.

Feed following an appropriate introductory period in conjunction with grains, legumes and with a suitable source of effective fibre. Ensure unrestricted access to clean, fresh water.

To encourage intakes, replace uneaten feed daily.

Counterpoint Stockfeeds is a locally owned, progressive stockfeed manufacturer located in the Murray River town of Barham, NSW. We manufacture quality pellets and grain mixes for the dairy, beef, sheep, pig, and poultry industries.

Our range of products are formulated by our qualified and experienced Nutritionists to cater for your individual needs.

All our sites are accredited under FeedSafe® - the quality assurance program of the SFMCA. This ensures the products you receive are of the highest quality and standard.



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### **Product Features:**

#### **Vitamins and Minerals**

- Vitamin A – an important vitamin to support healthy growth and development, Vitamin A can often be limiting on diets based on concentrates, hay and silage.
- Vitamin E – involved in many physiological functions including reproduction, immune function, muscle and nerve function. Vitamin E also acts as an antioxidant in conjunction with Selenium.
- Vitamin D – an important vitamin involved in absorbing and maintaining blood calcium levels.
- Vitamin B1 – normally produced in the rumen, this can be limiting in high concentrate diets, increasing the risk of polioencephalomalacia unless supplementation is offered.
- Trace minerals including Chromium, Cobalt, Iron, Iodine, Manganese, Selenium and Zinc.
- Macro minerals including Calcium, Phosphorus, Magnesium, Sulphur, Potassium, Sodium and Chloride.

#### **Organic Minerals**

- Supplementing animals with organic minerals has long been recognised to improve animal health and performance. **Sheep Performa BalancePro 100** contains:
  - Organic Selenium - beneficial as an antioxidant when used in combination with Vitamin E, and has also been shown to improve immune system performance;
  - Organic Cobalt - for increased availability in the developing rumen. Cobalt is essential for the production of B-group vitamins in the rumen;
  - Organic Manganese - for healthy skeletal development and enzyme function;
  - Organic Zinc - for general growth and metabolism; normal bone and cartilage development; maintaining the integrity of skin and mucous membranes, hair and hooves and in wound healing.

#### **Balanced Amino Acids**

- Methionine – a sulfur containing amino acid that can be beneficial for the production of keratin, which is found in the hoof and is also important in wool production. Methionine works well with biotin to increase the effectiveness of both nutrients.
- Lysine – important for metabolism, a healthy nervous system and for proper immune system function. Cereal grains are generally low in Lysine, where as legumes, such as lupins, are good sources of Lysine.

#### **Bovatec®**

- Bovatec® (Lasalocid sodium) is included as:
  - An aid in the reduction of faecal shedding of coccidia (*Eimeria spp.*) in sheep maintained in confinement;
  - An aid to improve liveweight gains and feed conversion efficiency in sheep.

#### **Rumen Support**

- Rumen buffering is achieved using **Acid Buf®**, a natural product that buffers the rumen against pH changes longer than traditional buffers such as sodium bicarbonate or sodium bentonite. Acid Buf® also supplies calcium and magnesium, reducing the amounts of macro minerals required to meet the desired mineral targets.

#### **Urinary Calculi**

- Protection against urinary calculi is provided by the inclusion of a urinary acidifier and balanced calcium and phosphorus levels.



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### **Ingredients**

**Sheep Performa BalancePro 100 is manufactured from a selection of the following ingredients:**

- Wheat, Barley, Oats, Maize, Lupins, Peas, Beans, Canola Meal, Soybean Meal, Almond Hulls, Grape Meal and products derived from these ingredients. Limestone, Salt, Dicalcium Phosphate, Mono Dicalcium Phosphate, Gypsum, Magnesium Oxide, Magnesium Sulfate, Ammonium Chloride, Ammonium Sulfate, Sodium Bentonite, Urea, Acid Buf®, Bovatec®, Flavouring, Betaine, Molasses, Vegetable Oil, Bredol, CPS Sheep Vitamin & Trace Mineral Premix.
- Ingredients may be altered based on availability.
- This product contains Lasalocid sodium (Bovatec®). Do not allow dogs, horses or other equines access to feeds containing Sheep Performa BalancePro 100 Pellet – ingestion of these feeds may be fatal. DO NOT FEED to lactating ewes where milk, or milk products may be used for human consumption.

### **Packaging and Availability**

**Sheep Performa BalancePro 100 is available as a pellet in:**

- **Bulk** – minimum 4000kg
- **Bulka Bags** – 1000kg
- **20kg Bags** – through selected retail outlets

**Counterpoint Stockfeeds** understands every customer has unique requirements and goals. We are specialists in custom feeding programs and happy to customise our feeds to meet your individual needs.

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