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## Dairy Performa Calf 18

A calf grower feed for calves from 3 months to 9 months of age

**Dairy Performa Calf 18** is a highly palatable calf feed for young calves from 3 months to 9 months of age.

Manufactured from a selection of cereal grains, legumes, protein meals, molasses, vitamins (including B-group vitamins), minerals (including organic trace minerals), Bovatec®, **Dairy Performa Calf 18** is designed to stimulate intakes and promote growth in young calves.

The protein sources used in **Dairy Performa Calf 18** have been selected to promote frame and muscle growth without excess fat deposition. This can result in more efficient growth and production when compared to traditional “least-cost” formulated products, which may include protein sources, such as DDG and PKE.

For optimum performance, offer **Dairy Performa Calf 18** on an *ad-lib* basis (after an initial introductory period) in conjunction with milk, a suitable source of effective fibre (eg. cereal straw) and clean, fresh water.

To encourage intakes in young calves it may be beneficial to offer **Dairy Performa Calf Muesli** and once calves begin consuming this, **Dairy Performa Calf 18** can be introduced gradually by initially mixing with the muesli and then slowly transitioning across.

To further encourage intakes, uneaten feed should be removed daily and replaced with fresh product.

**Dairy Performa Calf 18** contain Acid Buf® as a rumen buffer.

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

ME Ruminant:	12.0 MJ/kg
Crude Protein (CP):	18.0%
CP Equivalent:	1.00%
Lysine:	0.70%
Methionine:	0.25%
Fat:	2.50%
Starch (min):	35.0%
NDF (max):	25.0%
Calcium:	1.00%
Phosphorus:	0.40%
Magnesium:	0.20%
Salt (max added):	1.0% <sup>2</sup>
Urea (max added):	Nil <sup>2</sup>
Lasalocid sodium	60 mg/kg <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Dry Matter Basis at 88% Dry Matter

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

### Presentation

- Pellet or Grain Mix

### Feeding Guidelines

Offer to calves from 3 to 9 months of age. To encourage intakes replace uneaten feed daily. Ensure unrestricted access to clean, fresh water and a suitable source of effective fibre and suitable forage sources.

### Follow with:

- **Dairy Performa Calf 16**

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.

Our Mill is 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 D – a crucial vitamin involved in calcium homeostasis and immune function.
- Vitamin E – involved in many physiological functions including reproduction, immune function, muscle and nerve function. Vitamin E also acts as antioxidant in conjunction with Selenium.
- B-Group vitamins – usually produced in the required quantities by the rumen, supplemental B-Group vitamins can be beneficial in calf diets to reduce the risk of deficiency before the rumen is functioning.
- 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. **Dairy Performa Calf 18** contain:
  - 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 Copper - for healthy muscle and bone development. Copper is also beneficial for nerve and enzyme function;
  - 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.

#### **Bovatec®**

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

#### **Rumen Health**

- 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.



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### **Ingredients**

***Dairy Performa Calf 18* 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, Calcium Sulphate, Salt, Dicalcium Phosphate, Mono Dicalcium Phosphate, Magnesium Oxide, Magnesium Sulphate, Sodium Bentonite, Acid Buf®, Flavouring, Bovatec®, Betaine, Molasses, Vegetable Oil, Bredol, CPS Calf 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 this feed – ingestion of this feed may be fatal.

### **Packaging and Availability**

***Dairy Performa Calf 18* is available as a either a Pellet or a Grain Mix 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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