



Rex James Lead Feed

Rex James Lead Feed is specifically formulated feed for transition cows and heifers (pregnant cows or heifers three weeks prior to calving date). It contains a palatable blend of nutritious cereal grains, legumes, protein meal, specifically designed mineral and vitamin premix, Rumensin[®], anionic salts and yeast metabolite (Diamond V XPC[®]).

Crude Protein	Min 16.5 %
MJ ME/ kg DM	Min 12 MJ
Crude Fibre	Max 6%
Calcium	0.7%
Phosphorus	0.43%
Magnesium	1.2%
DCAD (mEq/kg)	-930
Monensin (mg/kg)	67

*Typical analysis at 88.2% dry matter

Lead Feeding facilitates a smooth transition through calving to lactation, it allows the rumen to adapt to a high grain diet prior to the commencement of lactation.

Benefits;

- A Rumen Buffer has been included to reduce the risk of digestive upset.
- Diamond V yeast metabolite has been included to improve rumen efficiency.
- A feed flavour is present to increase palatability.
- Balanced mineral profile, and low DCAD to balance the transition diet.
- Includes added organic chromium to increase insulin sensitivity.
- Rumensin[®] is included



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Directions of use;

To ensure the maximum success of your transition program it is advisable to sample and test the forage sources of the ration to establish an appropriate Lead feed rate, as it has been shown that forage sources vary significantly in the DCAD level which will affect the success of your transition program.

As a general guide feeding between 3-4 Kg of Rex James Lead Feed will give satisfactory results in most transition diets.

Benefits

The benefits of Lead feeding include; reduced clinical and sub-clinical milk fever incidences, reduced retained foetal membranes and assisted calving, reduced acidosis, ketosis and lameness in fresh cows, increased conception rates and increased milk production. Lead Feeding also has a positive effect on colostrum quality and calf health.

Sizes

25Kg bags, Bulka Bags and Bulk

Withholding periods;

Meat: Cattle– Nil

Milk: Cattle –Nil

Contraindications;

Dogs, horses and other equines **must not** be allowed access to this feed, as ingestion may be fatal. **DO NOT** feed to lactating cows or cattle treated with Rumensin anti-bloat capsules within the previous 100 days. ®



For More information about your transition program please contact a Rex James Stockfeed ruminant nutrition specialist.