



BENCHMARK
HORSE FEEDS FOR THE FUTURE

Benchmark Perfect Mash®

A transformational complete feed, naturally low in starch and sugar.

Rarely has a feed been embraced by the equestrian community like Perfect Mash®.

By using highly fermentable super fibres as an energy source instead of grains and grain by-products, we have acknowledged that fundamentally our horses are fibre fermenters rather than grain digesters and we have created a feed that is in tune with the natural way of things, making it an ideal ration for a wide variety of horses and ponies.

The real game changer has been the inclusion of Agrimos® and Yea-Sacc® in Perfect Mash. We believe that when you combine pre and probiotics with highly fermentable fibre, there is an enhanced effect, which can have a rapid and positive outcome on horses' gut health and overall wellbeing.

There are countless examples of this transformational effect reported by Benchmarkers.

Ingredients

Lupin hulls, Soy hulls*, cold pressed canola oil, salt, Benchmark's vitamin & mineral premix, Melofeed® (SOD), Alkosel 3000® selenium yeast, Agrimos® prebiotics & Yea-Sacc® probiotics. *The NZ Perfect Mash® formulation does not include soy hulls.

Nutrient Analysis (as fed)

Energy DE	MJ/kg	10.6
Protein	%	10.6
Fat	%	4.3
Crude Fibre	%	36
Dry Matter	%	91.2
Sodium	g/kg	5.5

Starch	%	0.9
Sugars (ESC)	%	4.5

Nutrients Levels in 1kg Essential Amino Acids

Lysine	g/kg	6.5
Methionine	g/kg	1.3
Leucine	g/kg	7.0



Vitamins and Minerals

Calcium	g/kg	3.8	Chromium	mg/kg	0.4
Phosphorous	g/kg	2.0	Vitamin A	IU	5001
Magnesium	g/kg	1.5	Vitamin B1	mg/kg	6.0
Chloride	g/kg	8.5	Vitamin B2	mg/kg	2.5
Potassium	g/kg	7.0	Vitamin B3	mg/kg	22.8
Zinc	mg/kg	294	Vitamin B5	mg/kg	9.0
Copper	mg/kg	114	Biotin (B7)	mg/kg	3.0
Manganese	mg/kg	53	Folate (B9)	mg/kg	2.4
Iron	mg/kg	280	Vitamin D	IU	120
Selenium	mg/kg	0.6	Vitamin E	IU	80
Iodine	mg/kg	1.2			

Pre & Probiotics & Antioxidants

Agrimos®	mg/kg	500
Yea-Sacc®	mg/kg	500
Alkosel 3000®	mg/kg	67
Melofeed® (SOD)	mg/kg	33.3

* YeaSacc contains a minimum 5 billion CFU/g

HOW TO PREPARE PERFECT MASH FOR YOUR HORSE.

BY VOLUME:

To 1-part Perfect Mash add 2-3 parts cold or warm water. Soak for 1-5 minutes before feeding.

OR BY WEIGHT:

To every 500gs of Perfect Mash add 1-1.5 litres of cold or warm water. Soak as above.

Perfect Mash should be introduced gradually over 7-14 days to allow your horse's gut enzymes to adjust to the new feed.

Dry Feeding Rates & Directions (kg/day)

PERFECT MASH®	Bodyweight (kg)		
	400	500	600
Idle/Spelling horses	0.5 - 0.8	0.8 - 1.2	1.2 - 1.4
Light Exercise	0.8 - 1.1	1.1 - 1.4	1.4 - 1.8
Moderate Exercise	1.0 - 1.5	1.5 - 2.0	2.0 - 2.5
Heavy Exercise	1.5 - 2.0	2.0 - 2.5	2.5 - 3.0

Light Exercise - up to 60 minutes walking or 30 minutes walking, trotting and cantering.

Moderate Exercise - up to 120 minutes walking and trotting, or 30 to 60 minutes trotting, cantering and some galloping.

Heavy Exercise - 30 to 60 minutes intense riding, skill work, short duration galloping, racing and endurance.