

# FABSTOCK

LIVESTOCK VITAMIN / MINERAL SUPPLEMENT



Fabstock's **Lactation Pasture Mix** is a loose lick formulation designed for both sheep and cattle and is designed to be used in any of the following grazing situations:

- **Calving/Lambing on green feed**
- **Calving/Lambing on grazing cereals**
- **Finishing stock on green feed and /or grazing cereals**

## The Challenge

Pregnancy and lactation are periods of nutritional strain for breeding livestock. The challenge with lush green feeds, whether they be pasture or grazing cereals is the imbalance between certain key macronutrients that can lead to increased susceptibility to metabolic disorders such as hypomagnesaemia (grass tetany) and hypocalcaemia (milk fever). These imbalances are all potential causes of parturition problems as well as increased stock mortality.

## The Product

Fabstock's **Lactation Pasture Mix** is a complete nutritional package that helps provides the nutrients needed for optimal animal production, on lush pastures and winter cereals, nutrients that are either found lacking or in excess. Elevated levels of sodium and magnesium, balanced with calcium assist in counteracting the negative effects of high levels of potassium found in such feeds, help to maintain appetite, reduce birthing difficulties and support milk production.

## Contents

**Salt, Magri-lime, Molasses, Vegetable Oil, Causmag, Di-Calcium Phosphate, Bypass Protein Meal, Magnesium Sulphate, Gypsum.**

## Trace Elements:

**Cobalt, Iodine, Selenium, Methionine, Zinc, Manganese, Copper, Biotin, Chelated Zinc, Molybdenum**

## Vitamins:

**Vitamin A, Vitamin B1, Vitamin D3 & Vitamin E**

## Analysis:

**Salt 28%  
Molasses 2%  
Calcium 16%  
Magnesium 8%  
Sulphur 3.3%  
Phosphorus 3.2%  
Potassium 0.25%**

***"When deciding whether or not to use a product, we need to ask ourselves not just will the benefits gained justify using that product, but what level of return on our investment can we reasonably expect. Just covering costs is NOT good enough."***

## *The Results*

Fabstock's **Lactation Pasture Mix** is trusted by producers to assist with overcoming the challenges posed by parturition and lactation in livestock.

Reduced dam and progeny mortality, reduced incidence of metabolic disorders and increased wool soundness in pre & post-partum ewes are just some of the benefits producers can expect from using Fabstock's **Lactation Pasture Mix**

## *The Rate*

The intake of loose licks depends on many factors including nutritional status and body condition of stock, feed quality and weather conditions. On average, expect sheep to consume 50g/head/day and cattle to consume 150g/head/day.

It is important that all stock in the mob have access to the product. When using small lick feeders, Fabstock recommend 1 per 20 cattle/50 sheep. If using specialist covered lick feeders (150kg cap.) allow 1 feeder per 40 cattle/200 sheep.

If stock have not previously been exposed to loose licks, place feeders initially near water sources. However, at times when stock may be getting the bulk of their hydration requirements from the available feed, place feeders near congregation points such as stock camps

It is important that feeders are not allowed to run out of lick, as this tends to encourage overconsumption.



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