

Beef Health

SweetPro products feature fermentation feed ingredients, rich in yeast and enzymes. Our patented products are higher in protein and fat than molasses lick blocks, to help you boost profits through improved feed efficiencies, labor savings and better animal health.

Here's how:

1. SweetPro blocks use Condensed Distillers Solubles with much higher protein and nearly 10 times the fat as molasses, plus improved aroma and palatability.
2. Improved overall digestion and feed efficiency of 25% or more is achieved from SweetPro's fermentation feed ingredients, rich in yeasts, enzymes and volatile organic acids that improve rumen fermentation.
3. Energy in SweetPro blocks comes from complex carbohydrates instead of the simple sugars of molasses, for less digestive disruption.
4. The safe, protein sources of SweetPro blocks include high rumen by pass ingredients to give calves and cattle an extra boost.
5. SweetPro blocks are fortified with Vitamins A, D and E, and a balanced blend of chelated trace minerals, to supplement lower quality hay, straw and stover.

Labor Savings SweetPro® is high tech nutrition dispensed by a simple, convenient lick block. One pound of SweetPro block replaces 3.5 lbs of range cake (Oklahoma trial) and blocks are only placed out every week to ten days, saving labor and fuel costs. This also eliminates the waste of range cubes fed on the ground, where stomping and overconsumption by "boss" cattle often prevent others from consuming their daily required amount.

Fly Control Blocks Available with ALTOSID® IGR Effective fly control for 3 ½ to 4 cents per hd/day. During horn fly season, without fly control, daily average gain may be reduced by 0.25 lbs per hd/day. But an Altosid IGR (Insect Growth Regulator) feed-thru fly control investment of \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cow/calf pair for a summer feeding season will yield returns from 6:1 to 10:1.

No Negative Associative Effect (NAE). Energy is from complex carbohydrates, not simple sugar, so it minimizes digestive disruption from digestion of starch (NAE) on the microbial populations which digest fiber in the rumen, keeping rumen pH high for improved health.



Download the SweetPro Beef – Dairy – Livestock 24 page brochure (PDF)

Other Benefits of SweetPro Blocks Include –

- Improved Herd Health Improved conception rates
- Calves up right away and vigorous
- Cows clean quickly
- Weaning weights improve (60 to 80 lbs heavier when fed year around)
- Calves are more thrifty with “growthy gain”
- Virtually all foot rot and sore eyes are eliminated
- Improved bull fertility
- Overall herd health improved
- Maximized economic performance
- More profit

Lick Blocks for Every Stage of Growth

KafStarter –

250 to 450 lbs – Light calves and receiving cattle (beef and dairy calves)

KafKandi –

450 to 650 lbs – Heavier calves, receiving cattle, starting stockers on grass

SweetPro 16 –

650 to 1,000 lbs – First calf heifers, stockers on grass, purebred operations

FiberMate 18 –

900 to 1,400 lbs – For average forage conditions, cows in stalks and stubble

FiberMate 20 –

1,000 to 1,450 lbs – For low consumption and tough forage conditions

FiberMate 28 –

1,000 to 1,450 lbs – For low consumption and toughest forage conditions

Magnum “The Stopper” –

Slows consumption in harsh forage conditions

Pasture Ranger –

Stocker cattle and brood cows on bloat prone wheat pasture and alfalfa

DiatoMate –

All natural supplement for first calf heifers, brood cows, stocker cattle

DiatoMate II –

Brood cows, stocker cows, stocker cattle

Dry Cow –

Anionic dairy dry cow and beef breeder block

Backgrounder –

Backgrounding and grass finishing of cattle (higher intake block)

Mineral EX –

Mineral block with EXtra punch from organic complexed trace minerals

Fresh Start –

A meal supplement for lactating animals, new born calves and show animals

Showin' Off –

A vitamin, mineral and digestive aid supplement for show pigs and show cattle