

SGT DAN
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Manufacturers of Quality Stock Feeds



High Performance EWE NUTS



The **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS** are a high energy grain based feed designed for feeding pre-tupping and pre-lambing and formulated especially for high performance ewes.

Strategic feeding of the **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS** pre-tupping will help ewes achieve a high level of body condition at mating. This has been shown to increase ovulation rate and improve lambing percentage.

When fed pre-lambing **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS** provide a concentrated source of energy helping to ensure adequate energy intakes when feed intake may be limited due to physiological and forage factors. Insufficient energy intake pre-lambing can lead to weight loss and pregnancy toxemia (twin lamb disease) in ewes as well as low lamb birth weight and poor survival.

Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS contain added iodine to aid fertility. Iodine also plays an important role in lamb survival. Added vitamin E and selenium are included to improve health and immunity of both the ewe and her lambs. The inclusion of a comprehensive trace mineral premix provides the zinc, cobalt and other trace minerals and vitamins required by sheep fed typical New Zealand pasture.

Added magnesium oxide is included in the **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS** as an aid in the prevention of grass staggers or hypomagnesaemia. When fed at 100g per ewe per day, the **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS** provide 1.6g of added magnesium oxide per ewe.

Manufactured in the form of a 10mm nut, **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWE NUTS** are practical and easy to feed.

Typical analysis *(Dry Matter Basis)*

Minimum Crude Protein (%)	12
Maximum Fat (%)	4
Maximum Crude Fibre (%)	10
Maximum Salt (%)	1
Minimum Magnesium (%) (of which 8.5kg is from magnesium oxide)	1.1

Ingredients selected from:

Wheat, Barley, Grain By-Products, Peas, Soyabean Meal, Canola, Vegetable Oils or Fats, Molasses, Limestone, Bentonite, Dicalcium Phosphate, Salt, Vitamins and Trace Minerals, Flavouring.

Recommended feeding rate >>>

See reverse for this information...



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- Feed **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWENUTS** in conjunction with *ad lib* pasture, silage or other forage.
- Always introduce **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWENUTS** gradually starting with 50g per sheep per day (i.e. 1 bag per 500 sheep) for the first week.
- Ensure adequate feeding space is provided for all animals to access nuts simultaneously to prevent over consumption.
- Exercise caution if high levels of other starchy feeds (e.g. wholecrop silage) are being at the same time.
- Ensure fresh clean water is available at all times.
- Feeding rates will vary depending on pasture or forage availability and ewe condition score.
- **Pre-mating**
 - For optimum results feed **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWENUTS** 2 to 3 weeks before mating starts.
 - Feeding rate are typically around 100g per head per day.
 - Where forage availability is low, animals are in poor condition or under extreme weather conditions feeding rates may be increased to 200g per head per day.
 - Manage feeding rates to maintain a level plane of nutrition for at least 3 weeks after the rams have been removed.
- **Pre-lambing**
 - For optimum results **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWENUTS** should be introduced to twin or triplet bearing ewes 6 weeks prior to lambing.
 - Typical feeding rates for twin and triplet bearing ewes re-lambing are around 200g per ewe per day.
 - Where forage availability is low, animals are in poor condition or under extreme weather conditions, feeding rates may be increased to 250g/head/day.
 - **Sgt Dan HIGH PERFORMANCE EWENUTS** can be offered to single bearing ewes in poor condition, where forage availability is low or under extreme weather conditions. Limit intakes to prevent excessive weight gain.
 - Do not allow ewes to become overfat. Target a BCS of 3 at lambing.



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