

Fine Wool Trading Lambs

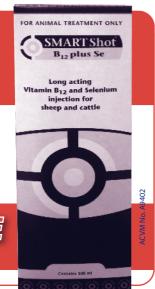
Replacement Ewe Lambs

Make life easy for yourself with long acting selenium and B12 injection.

SMART Shot long acting B12 and selenium restores deficiencies with the convenience of just one injection over a 6 month treatment period.

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LONG ACTING B12 AND SELENIUM



New Drench Families

Talk to our professional veterinary team about the strategic use of novel active drenches to improve the sustainability and productivity of your drench program.

Research has shown one strategic drench with Zolvix Plus or Startect in the Autumn will clean out any resistance and extend the effectiveness of other drenches.







Veterinary Centre Road Show is back!



- The Beef fertility equation. What is the ideal cow? Why are fertility aspects of beef cow production 10x more profitable than beef characteristics? What can you do about it?
- Veterinary Centre footrot research. A preliminary update on custom vaccine trials and fielding your questions.
- Autumn worm control. Monitoring and navigating drench resistance build up.

Ranfurly	Thursday March 18, 4.30pm	Lion Hotel Ranfurly
Middlemarch	Wednesday March 24, 4.30 pm	Middlemarch Bowls Club
Omarama	Thursday March 25, 2.30pm	Omarama Hotel
Kurow	Thursday March 25, 5pm	Kurow Hotel

Ram Soundness

Ensuring your rams are ready for the mating season is imperative and should be done at least eight weeks prior to putting the ram out. Rams should be checked to ensure they have no lameness and are not suffering from any other conditions that may impair their ability to mate. Ram palpations are a quick and cheap way to ensure that the chances of fertility problems due to the ram are minimised. Contact us to book your rams in for their annual visit. We can also vaccinate your farm dogs at the

If we have not been in contact with you to check your rams, then please get in contact

All prices and promotions in this issue valid until the end of the month or while stocks last

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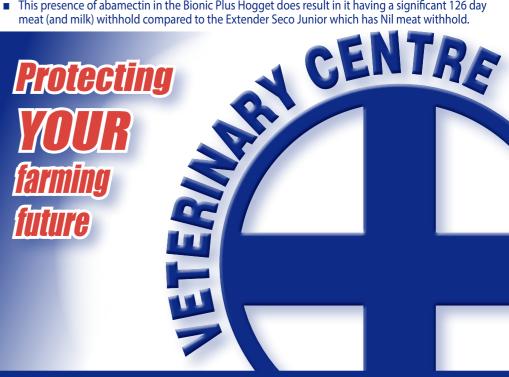


Sustainable Use

- Capsules used wisely can significantly boost profit.
- Every drench used selects for resistance.
- On certain farms there is an opportunity to use capsules strategically to boost production whilst mitigating the risks involved.

Comparison to Extender Junior

- The Bionic Plus Hogget is comparable to the Extender Junior Seco capsule. The important differences are that the Bionic Plus Hogget contains 2 drench actives giving it double
- This presence of abamectin in the Bionic Plus Hogget does result in it having a significant 126 day meat (and milk) withhold compared to the Extender Seco Junior which has Nil meat withhold.



Right Price

Right Product

Right Advice

by the Big Blue Cross

VETERINARY CENTRE WAIMATE

Abortion Vaccine Reminder

TOXOPLASMOSIS.....

must not be given closer than four weeks to tupping.

CAMPYLOBACTER.....

two doses, 4-8 weeks apart, given pre-tup.



Flexidine

Total Long-Acting Protection against Iodine Deficiency

Can you justify an investment in iodine?

Lamb survival is the biggest area of potential gain in sheep production.

For a 3000 ewe flock scanning at 160% and tailing at 130%, only needs to save an extra 20 lambs to get a return. That is only 0.5% increase required. If you close the lamb loss gap by 5% due to iodine supplementation that is another 150 lambs. At \$120/lamb that is another \$18,000 income from a \$2,400 investment.

There is enough evidence to show iodine is an issue in high country areas and when ewes are wintered on brassicas. Iodine deficiency has a part to play in the lamb birth weight and survival complex.

CONCLUSION

lodine can be justified financially very easily with less than 1% lift in lamb survival.

*Only available with veterinary prescription





VETUS D VETERINARY LIVESTOCK SURVIVAL DRENCH

A vitamin and mineral drench containing Vitamin A, Vitamin D, Vitamin C, Vitamin E, Iodine, Chromium and Selenium. Make your lambs hit the ground running!



Drenching Dairy Cattle in Autumn

- There is considerable trial work available both nationally and in our district showing that drenching lactating dairy cattle is likely to result in an increase in milk solids production.
- Cydectin pour on and Eprinex are 2 of the most effective anthlemintics, both having significant persistent activity against Ostertagia species of 4 weeks or more.
- Both Cydectin and Eprinex have nil meat and nil milk withholds making their use in lactating herds very easy to manage.
- Genesis cattle pour on is a premium abamectin product with 14 days persistent activity. It has 35 days meat withhold so needs to be managed carefully when making culling decisions.

Whatever your approach to autumn drenching of your herd we are always available to give professional advice on the products available that will optimise your herd performance.









20 Litre Herd Pack

28 days persistent activity against Ostertagia

NO FREEBIE / BEST PRICE

\$4.49 + G.S.T. PER 500KG COW DOSE