

PRIMATE MEAL



A nutritionally-balanced vitamin, mineral and essential nutrient supplement for primates.

About Primate Diets

In the wild, primates eat a variety of leaves, fruits, nuts, insects and other sources of animal protein. Diets in captivity may lack diversity and nutritional value, particularly if animals are prone to selecting their favourite foods. This can lead to deficiency of vitamins, minerals and other essential nutrients, particularly in growing, breeding or geriatric primates.

Benefits of Primate Meal

Nutritionally Balanced: Provides a full range of vitamins, minerals, carotenoids, essential amino acids and fatty acids that may be lacking in the captive diet. **Scientifically Formulated:** Based on published nutrient guidelines for non-human primates (NRC, 2003). **Palatable and Versatile:** Can be blended with fruits or vegetables to form a highly palatable primate cake.

Preparation of Primate Cake

1. Puree 800g of mixed fruits or vegetables in a blender (e.g. apple, banana, sweet potato, carrot, leafy greens or other suitable foods).
2. Add 300ml of water to the puree and mix thoroughly at a slow speed.
3. Weigh 1200g of **Primate Meal** into a large bowl, then slowly work the fruit and veg puree into the meal to form a moist dough.
4. Flatten the dough into a tray at a thickness of about 1cm and then freeze. Once the cake is set it can be sliced into useable squares. Cake may be stored frozen up to 2 weeks.

Feeding Guidelines

Primate cake should represent from 20 to 40% of the diet.

Typical Analysis

Protein	22%
Fat	5%
Ash	7%
Moisture	7%
Energy	14 MJ/kg

Ingredients

Processed cereals & legumes (wheat, oats, rice, soy), meat meal, whey protein isolate, vegetable oils, omega-3 & omega-6 fatty acids, lysine, methionine, taurine, carotenoids, vitamins A, B₁, B₂, B₃, B₅, B₆, B₉, B₁₂, C, D₃, K, biotin, choline, calcium, phosphorus, potassium, sodium, magnesium, zinc, iron, manganese, copper, iodine, selenium, 1g/kg Actigen® dried yeast prebiotic.

Available in 20kg Packs

Manufactured by Wombaroo Food Products
Ph (08) 8391 1713 • www.wombaroo.com.au

WOMBAROO