



Commodity Guide

Hominy Feed

Product Description

Hominy Feed (hominy) is a mixture of corn bran, corn germ, and non-extracted starchy portions of the corn kernel produced in the manufacture of pearl hominy, hominy grits, or table corn meal (for use as human foods). Dry milling of corn for human food is from select grain and is designed to produce a degerminated meal that is considered “more attractive” in appearance and has improved long term shelf life. Mechanically processing corn by grinding, sifting, and separation concentrates the desirable protein, fat and many other nutrients in hominy feed.

TYPICAL ANALYSIS*:

		DM	As Fed
Dry Matter	%	100.0	90.0
Crude Protein	%	11.5	10.3
Fat	%	7.7	6.3
Crude Fiber	%	7.0	6.3
ADF	%	13.0	11.7
NDF	%	25.0	22.5
NE _L (Rum) Mcal/lb.		0.91	0.82
NE _M (Rum) Mcal/lb.		0.96	0.86
NE _G (Rum) Mcal/lb.		0.64	0.57
NFC	%	53.0	47.7
Starch	%	48.0	43.0
Calcium	%	0.05	0.04
Phosphorus	%	0.57	0.51

*Listed data are average values only and not considered as guarantees, expressed, or implied, nor as a condition of sale. For guaranteed specifications refer to label.

Storage and Handling

Textural and storage characteristics of hominy are those of finely ground corn. Being drier than corn, it can be expected to keep as well as or better than ground corn in proper storage. For typical on-farm feeding practice, hominy can be fed off cemented sites (preferably covered or sheltered from weather).

Use and Application

Hominy feed, being previously milled, will require no further feed processing. It is a high energy feed and can replace corn in livestock and poultry rations. Hominy normally exceeds corn in protein and energy content for ruminants and is nearly equal to corn in energy value for swine. Because hominy is from corn processed for human consumption, it has been closely checked for quality and mycotoxin contamination.

TYPICAL DAIRY RATION

Ingredient	lb/cow/day
Corn Silage	33
Alfalfa Haylage	33
Ground Corn	8
Hominy	7
Soybean Meal, 48%	6
Mineral and Vitamin	1