

# RM3 (E)

## DEFINITION

Complete extruded breeding diet for rats, mice and hamsters.

## PRODUCT PURPOSE

Diet for growing and breeding, pregnant and nursing animals.

To be used within the context of experimental protocols.

Does not contain soya, alfalfa and their byproducts.



Picture indicative only

## DIRECTION FOR USE

### DISTRIBUTION

#### Period

From birth onwards. A transition period to RM1 maintenance diet during weaning is recommended.

#### Method

- Ad libitum or rationed according to experimental protocols.
- Remove from the packaging and place directly in the cage feeder or on the cage floor.
- Keep fresh water always available.

### DAILY CONSUMPTION

Rats 18 to 25 g, mice 3 to 6 g, hamsters 8 to 12 g.

### STORAGE

Store in a clean, dry and cool place, protected from light.

### SHELF-LIFE from the date of production

Paper bag or plastic pouch = 12 months

Vacuum packed = 24 months

## IRRADIATION

Possible doses: Minimum 10, 25 or 40 kilograys.

## PRODUCT FORM

EXTRUDED PELLETS	Mean
Diameter	15 mm
Crushing resistance	8 kgf/cm <sup>2</sup>
Abrasion resistance	97 %
Specific mass	393 g/l
Average pellet weight	1 g
Average pellet length	16 mm

Also available powdered on demand.

## PRODUCT PRESENTATION

\*All SDS® diets are available with different packaging, irradiation and with analytical data on demand.

Selected solutions of the most sold items.

DIET	STANDARD PACKAGING	USUALLY AVAILABLE WITH IRRADIATION DOSE
SDS801066 00000	RM3 (E) 8kg	
SDS801067 00000	RM3 (E) FG 8kg	
SDS801192 00000	RM3 (E) PL 25kGy 8kg	Min. 25 kGy
SDS801070 00000	RM3 (E) PL 8kg	
SDS811181 00000	RM3 (E) SQC 8kg	
SDS811197 00000	RM3 (E) SQC PL 25kGy 8kg	Min. 25 kGy

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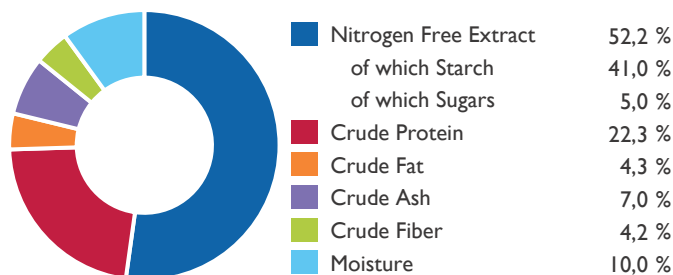
## INGREDIENTS

Wheat, wheatfeed, barley, maize gluten, fish meal, inactivated brewer's yeast, colza oil, pre-mixture of vitamins and minerals, dicalcium phosphate, whey powder, L-lysine, sodium chloride, calcium carbonate, L-tryptophan.

## CENTESIMAL COMPOSITION

Cereals	75,0 %
Animal Proteins	7,5 %
Vegetal Proteins	13,0 %
Vitamins & Minerals	2,7 %
Amino Acids	< 1 %

## NUTRITIONAL COMPOSITION



## ENERGY CONTENT

	MJ/kg	kcal/kg	%
ME Pig	14,2	3 404	
ME Atwater	14,1	3 367	
Energy from proteins	3,7	892	26,5
Energy from lipids	1,6	387	11,5
Energy from NFE	8,7	2 088	62,0

More information on energy calculation: [www.sds-diets.com](http://www.sds-diets.com)

For the welfare of animals, bedding, and environmental enrichment such as block gnawing logs and nesting materials should be available in the cage.

## ANALYSIS END PRODUCT

TOTAL PER KG

### AMINO ACIDS

Arginine	10 165 mg	Methionine	4 549 mg
Cystine	3 679 mg	Tryptophan	2 637 mg
Lysine	12 655 mg	Glycine	9 523 mg

### FATTY ACIDS

Palmitic acid	3 000 mg
Stearic acid	300 mg
Palmitoleic acid	100 mg
Oleic acid	8 300 mg
LA	12 000 mg
ALA	1 700 mg

### MINERALS

Calcium	9 500 mg
Phosphorus	7 200 mg
Sodium	3 200 mg
Potassium	9 000 mg
Magnesium	1 800 mg
Manganese	102 mg
Iron	188 mg
Copper	20,0 mg
Zinc	51,0 mg
Chlorine	5 300 mg

### VITAMINS

Vitamin A	19 900 IU
Vitamin D3	2 900 IU
Vitamin E	110 IU
Vitamin K3	4,1 mg
Vitamin B1	27,0 mg
Vitamin B2	10,6 mg
Vitamin B3	85,0 mg
Vitamin B5	40,0 mg
Vitamin B6	19,5 mg
Vitamin B9	2,0 mg
Vitamin B12	0,025 mg
Biotin	0,30 mg
Choline	1 600 mg

The values of the end products are given as indication only and have no contractual value. They are calculated averages of product analysis results before irradiation and autoclaving. Depending on production conditions, storage and analytical methods variations may occur. An analysis is performed on request.

Produced in France