

Hormonal growth promotants available in NSW

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Introduction

Hormonal growth promotant (HGP) products are registered for use in NSW by the APVMA (Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority).

At a national level the APVMA is responsible for the control of supply of HGPs. Oversight of HGP controls is under the National HGP Control & Monitoring system managed by AQIS (Australian Quarantine and Inspection Service) since 1993.

Registered sellers/suppliers

HGP sellers/suppliers must be registered with the APVMA and must renew their APVMA registration annually to legally sell or supply HGP products.

Records of supply of HGP products must be made within two weeks of the end of each calendar month. In NSW the originals of these records are sent to the NSW Department of Primary Industries and the seller retains the carbon copy.

These records are kept by both NSW DPI and the supplier for at least two years after the transaction date.

Records of interstate purchases are reported to the relevant state.

Availability in NSW

HGP products are available through some 70 rural supply companies such as Elders and Landmark and independent rural supply merchants. In some cases a branch of a larger company can obtain and supply HGPs at other sites as an agency even if the branch is not itself registered as a supplier.

Enquire at your local rural outlet to find out if they sell HGPs or can obtain them as an agency from a parent outlet which does.

Buying HGP products outside NSW

There is no law that restricts the purchase of HGP products to the NSW location of the cattle – HGPs can be purchased interstate for use in cattle in NSW. Note that all HGP purchases are reported back to the owner's state.

HGPs available in NSW

The table on the following pages lists HGPs available in NSW as at 31 June 2008.

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The product trade names in this publication are supplied on the understanding that no preference between equivalent products is intended and that the inclusion of a product name does not imply endorsement by NSW Department of Primary Industries over any equivalent product from another manufacturer.

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Components	Trade name	Brand	Pack sizes	Full product name	Claim
oestradiol benzoate (10 mg/Imp) + progesterone (100 mg/Imp)	Synovex C	Fort Dodge	40 implants	Synovex C calf growth promotant	For improved weight gain in heifer and steer calves.
oestradiol benzoate (20 mg/Imp) + progesterone (200 mg/Imp)	Progro S	Pro Beef	20 implants 100 implants	Progro S growth & finishing implants for steers	For improved weight gain in steers.
oestradiol benzoate (20 mg/Imp) + progesterone (200 mg/Imp)	Synovex S	Fort Dodge	100 implants	Synovex S steer growth & finishing implants	For improved weight gain.
oestradiol benzoate (20 mg/Imp) + testosterone propionate (200 mg/Imp)	Progro H	Pro Beef	20 implants 100 implants	Progro H growth & finishing implants for heifers	For improved weight gain in heifers.
oestradiol benzoate (20 mg/Imp) + testosterone propionate (200 mg/Imp)	Synovex H	Fort Dodge	100 implants	Synovex H heifer growth & finishing implants	For improved weight gain.
oestradiol (21.1 mg/dose)	Compudose 100	Elanco	20 implants 100 implants (5x20 implants)	Elanco AH 0351 Oestradiol Compudose 100	Growth promotant implants for steers, spayed heifers and vealer heifers.
oestradiol (25.7 mg/dose)	Compudose 200	Elanco	10 implants 100 implants (10 x 10 implants)	Elanco AH 0323 Oestradiol Compudose 200	Growth promotant implants for increased rate of weight gain in pastured steers including suckling steers and in spayed heifers and vealer heifers. For improved feed efficiency and increased rate of weight gain in lot feeding.
oestradiol (43.9 mg/dose)	Compudose 400	Elanco	10 implants 100 implants (10 x10 implants)	Elanco AH 0343 Oestradiol Compudose 400	For increased rate of weight gain in pastured steers including suckling steers and in spayed heifers and vealer heifers. For improved feed efficiency and increased rate of weight gain in lot fed steers and spayed heifers.
trenbolone acetate (140 mg/Imp)	Progro T-S	Pro Beef	100 implants (5 x 20 implants)	Progro T-S growth & finishing implants for steers	For increased rate of weight gain and improved feed efficiency in steers.
trenbolone acetate (140 mg/Imp) + oestradiol (28 mg/Imp)	Progro TE-S	Pro Beef	100 implants	Progro TE-S growth & finishing implants for steers	For increased rate of weight gain and improved feed efficiency in steers.
trenbolone acetate (140 mg/Imp) + oestradiol (28 mg/Imp)	Revalor-S	Intervet	20 implant 100 implant (5 x 20 implants)	Revalor-S steer growth promotant & finishing implants	Hormonal growth promotant for improved growth promotion and finishing of steers.

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trenbolone acetate (200 mg/Imp) + oestradiol benzoate (28 mg/Imp)	Synovex with Trenbolone Acetate	Fort Dodge	100 implants	Synovex with Trenbolone Acetate growth & finishing implants for steers & heifers	For improved weight gain and feed conversion efficiency in steers and heifers fed in confinement for slaughter under feedlot finishing conditions.
trenbolone acetate (200 mg/Imp) + oestradiol (20 mg/Imp)	Progro TE-H	ProBbeef	20 implants 100 implants	Progro TE-H growth & finishing implants for heifers	For improved growth promotion and finishing of heifers.
trenbolone acetate (200 mg/Imp) + oestradiol (20 mg/Imp)	Revalor-H	Intervet	20 implants 100 implants	Revalor-H growth promotant & finishing implants	For improved growth promotion and finishing of heifers & steers.
trenbolone acetate (60 mg/Imp) + oestradiol (12 mg/Imp)	Compudose-G	Elanco	20 implants 199 implants (5 x 20 implants)	Elanco AH 0359 Compudose-G growth & finishing implants for steers & heifers	For improved growth promotion in pasture fed steers and heifers.
trenbolone acetate (60 mg/Imp) + oestradiol (12 mg/Imp)	Revalor-G	Intervet	20 implants 100 implants	Revalor-G growth promotant for grass fed heifers & steers	For improved growth promotion in grass fed heifers and steers. One implant will normally produce significant liveweight gains when measured at 400 days.
trenbolone acetate (80 mg/Imp + oestradiol (16 mg/Imp)	Revalor - I	Intervet	20 implants 1000 implants	Revalor -I growth promotant for non breeding cattle	For improved growth promotion in non-breeding cattle.
zeranol (36 mg/dose)	Ralgro	Coopers	24, 240, 720 dose	Coopers Ralgro cattle growth promoter	Increases rate of growth and improves efficiency of feed utilisation in steer cattle.