



To Canadian Lamb producers:

With the announcement of a stop sale directive for Deccox<sup>®</sup> by Health Canada on February 2, 2026 lamb producers may be seeking alternative options to help prevent coccidiosis in confined lambs.

Bovatec<sup>®</sup> 20 (lasalocid sodium) is an ionophore with a registered claim as an aid in the prevention of coccidiosis caused by *Eimeria ovinoidalis* and *Eimeria ovina* in lambs fed in confinement. For this claim, Bovatec<sup>®</sup> is fed to provide 36 mg/kg of lasalocid sodium in the complete diet.

This table contains information on weights of the lambs being fed and the concentrations of lasalocid needed:

Weight of lambs (kg)	Lasalocid sodium mg/head/day
10	10
25	25
50	50
75	75

Thoroughly mix the supplement in the total daily diet or in the complete feed (grain portion of the ration) before use. Feed continuously during periods of exposure to coccidiosis or when coccidiosis is likely to be a hazard.

Warnings and Cautions:

- Discontinue the use of this medicated feed at least two (2) days before treated lambs (sheep) are slaughtered for use in food.
- Keep out of reach of children (required on premix and supplement labels only)
- Do not allow horses or other equines access to lasalocid sodium, as ingestion may be fatal.
- Do not feed undiluted. Feeding undiluted or mixing errors resulting in excessive concentration of lasalocid sodium could be fatal to lambs (required on premix and supplement labels only)
- Compatible with bentonite, lignin sulfonate and Pel-Aid (Uniscope Inc.) when used as pellet binding agents (required on premix and supplement labels only)

Consult your feed nutritionist and/or veterinarian for advice on the use of Bovatec<sup>®</sup> in your lamb program.

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