

Infant formula suitable from birth (cows' milk or goats' milk based)

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Cow & Gate First Infant Milk - Powder

Composition	Complies with current regulations for infant formula composition		
Dietary suitability	Not suitable for vegetarians Halal approved		
Allergens	Cows' milk, soya, fish		
Essential Nutrients	Per 100ml prepared milk	Source	
Energy kcal	66		
Fat g	3.4	High oleic sunflower oil, coconut oil, rapeseed oil, sunflower oil, fish oil, fungal oil (single cell oil)	
-Linoleic acid mg*	453		
-Alpha-linolenic acid mg*	54		
-Docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) mg	16.5		
Carbohydrate g	7.5	Lactose, oligosaccharides	
of which lactose g	7.3		
Protein g	1.3	Cows' milk	
Whey:casein ratio 60:40			
Vitamins		Minerals	
Vitamin A µg	58	Sodium mg	21.4
Vitamin D µg	1.45	Potassium mg	74
Vitamin E mg TE	1.2	Chloride mg	52
Vitamin K µg	4.2	Calcium mg	53
Vitamin C mg	8.3	Phosphorus mg	39
Thiamin B₁ µg	70	Magnesium mg	6.6
Riboflavin B₂ µg	140	Iron mg	0.53
Niacin B₃ mg	0.43	Zinc mg	0.48
Vitamin B₆ µg	50	Copper µg	50
Folate µg	17	Manganese µg	3.0
Vitamin B₁₂ µg	0.15	Selenium µg	2.5
Biotin µg	2.1	Iodine µg	13
Pantothenic acid mg	0.61		

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Other essential ingredients

Choline mg	22
Inositol mg	8.0
L-carnitine mg	2.0

Permissible but not mandatory ingredients

There is no good evidence of any benefit for infants from the addition of these ingredients to infant milks and we therefore consider them to be unnecessary.

Oligosaccharides g	0.4
Arachidonic acid (AA) mg	16.5

Relative cost of this milk

Cost per 100ml	14p	<i>For comparison:</i>	10p
		Cheapest first infant milk currently available that meets all infant requirements/100ml	
		(based on a powdered formulation)	

The instructions for making up this milk comply with the latest NHS guidance available at: <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/pregnancy-and-baby/making-up-infant-formula/#close>

Notes

Values for linoleic acid and alpha-linolenic acid reflect the previous formulation. We will update this data when it becomes available.

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