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This milk currently falls outside any compositional regulations, and for healthy children it is not needed.

Dietary suitability

Suitable for vegetarians
Kosher

Allergens

Cows’ milk

Macronutrients

Per 100ml prepared milk | Source | Per 100ml whole (full fat) cows’ milk* | Source
---|---|---|---
Energy kcal | 67 | 63 |  
Fat g | 3.3 | Sunflower oil, coconut oil, canola oil, whole milk fat, fungal oil, algal oil (single cell oils) | 3.6 | Milk fat
Carbohydrate g | 7.3 | Lactose, oligosaccharides | 4.6 | Lactose
of which lactose g | 7.1 | | 4.6 | |
Protein g whey:casein ratio | 1.9 | 20:80 | 3.4 | 20:80 |

Vitamins

Vitamin A µg | 69 | 38 |  
Vitamin D µg | 1.5 | 0.03 |  
Vitamin E mg TE | 1.8 | 0.06 |  
Vitamin K µg | 4.8 | 0.49 |  
Vitamin C mg | 13 | 2.0 |  
Thiamin B1 µg | 80 | 30 |  
Riboflavin B2 µg | 100 | 230 |  
Niacin B3 mg | 0.8 | 0.2 |  
Vitamin B6 µg | 70 | 60 |  
Folic Acid µg | 14 | 8.0 |  
Vitamin B12 µg | 0.14 | 0.9 |  
Biotin µg | 2.3 | 2.5 |  
Pantothenic acid mg | 0.6 | 0.58 |  

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Relative cost of this milk

Cost per 100ml 22p For comparison: Whole (full fat) cows' milk 7p

Notes

This milk has enhanced amounts of some nutrients but is also lower in iodine, potassium, phosphorus and riboflavin than cows' milk.

It is generally recommended that toddlers eat a good variety of foods to supply the majority of their nutrients, rather than relying on fortified milk products to supply them.

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