

Healesville Sanctuary Diets



HEALESVILLE SANCTUARY

DIET SHEET

<u>SPECIES:</u>	SUGAR GLIDER: <i>Petaurus breviceps</i>
<u>NATURAL DIET:</u>	Insects, pollen, nectar, sap, lerps.
<u>AD LIB:</u>	Water.
<u>DAILY DIET (per animal):</u>	1 Dog chow/Advance. 6g Fruit, chopped (1tbspoon). 3 ml Nectar mix.* 1g Fly pupae (¼ tea spoon). 5g Corn (¼ thin slice). 2g Sprouted seed.* 2 Mealworms.
<u>SUPPLEMENT:</u>	5 Pollen grains – once per week. 3 Sultanas – 3-4 times per week. 2 Sunflower seeds – once per week. 1g Pet Health Food (small cube) – once per week. 1 Almonds - once per week. Insects – 3-4 times per week (eg. moths). Acacia, eucalypts, other blossoms as available.

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* See Appendix.

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NECTAR MIX - To Make up:

Nectar Mix	2 Litres	4 Litres	6 Litres	8 Litres
Honey	700 ml	1.4 Litres	2.1 Litres	2.8 Litres
Hot Water	1.0 Litre	2.0 Litres	3.0 Litres	4.0 Litres
Eggs	3	6	9	12
Soluvet	20 g	40 g	60 g	80 g
Calcivet	20 ml	40 ml	60 ml	80 ml
Cold Water	250 ml	500 ml	750 ml	1.0 Litre
Cereal	70 g	140 g	210 g	280 g

Dissolve the honey in the hot water.

Blend together:

Eggs – hard boiled – shelled.
Soluvet
Calcivet
Cold water

Once blended, add mix to the honey and water, together with High Protein Baby Cereal.

It is essential that the vitamin supplements are thoroughly mixed to ensure even distribution throughout the mix.

This mix needs to be made fresh on a daily basis. Remaining contents of each day to be discarded.

The mix can be made up last thing each afternoon and placed in the fridge.

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