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Kendamil Organic Toddler Milk from 12 months - Powder

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

Dietary suitability
Suitable for vegetarians
Halal approved
Allergens
Cows' milk

Macronutrients	prepared milk	Source	whole (full fat) cows' milk*	Source
Energy kcal	65		63	
Fat g	2.8 Sunflower oil, coconut oil, rapeseed oil, whole milk fat, single cell oils		3.6	Milk fat
Carbohydrate g	8.0	Lactose,	4.6	Lactose
of which lactose g	7.5	oligosaccharides	4.6	
Protein g	1.8	Cows' milk	3.4	Cows' milk
whey:casein ratio	20:80		20:80	
Vitamins				
Vitamin A μg	63.1		38	
Vitamin D μg	1.5		0.03	
Vitamin E mg TE	1.4		0.06	
Vitamin K μg	4.1		0.49	
Vitamin C mg	11		2.0	
Thiamin B ₁ μg	80		30	
Riboflavin B₂ μg	140		230	
Niacin B₃ mg	0.71		0.2	
Vitamin B ₆ μg	50		60	
Folate μg DFE	26.3		8.0	
Vitamin B ₁₂ µg	0.25		0.9	
Biotin μg	2.2		2.5	
Pantothenic acid mg	0.49		0.58	

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Minerals	Per 100ml prepared mill	(Per 100ml whole (full fat) cows' milk*	whole (full fat)			
Sodium mg	25		42	42			
Potassium mg	103		157	157			
Chloride mg	51		89	89			
Calcium mg	118		120	120			
Phosphorus mg	66		96	96			
Magnesium mg	6.4		11				
Iron mg	0.96		0.02	0.02			
Zinc mg	0.56		0.5	0.5			
Copper µg	40		Tr				
Manganese μg	9.0		Tr	Tr			
Selenium µg	2.5		1.0	1.0			
lodine μg	15		31	31			
Relative cost of this milk							
Cost per 100ml		23p	For 7p comparison: Whole (full fat) cows' milk				

Notes

This milk has enhanced amounts of some nutrients but is also lower in iodine, calcium 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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