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FENSPICE

Fenspice is our flagship bait and rightly so. It is a blend of four top quality fishmeals, refined milk proteins, pepperspice, mixed spices, prosecto, krill meal and liquid and other liquid products. If you are looking for an instant bait that works and goes on working forever then look no further!!

FENSPICE INGREDIENTS

Rennet casein,
Lactalbumin,
Salmon meal,
South American fishmeal,
North Sea fishmeal,
Pre digested fishmeal,
Pepperspice,
Prosecto Insectiverous,
Calf gold,
Maize protein,
Granular kelp meal,
Full oil Green Lipped Mussel powder/ Dessicated liver powder (10%)
Essential oils,
Red salmon oil,
Hydrolised krill liquid,
Exclusive spice blend,
Essential oils.

For more information about Fenspice click [here \(pdf\)](#)

As you can see from the ingredient profile of Fenspice there are 17 different ingredients and liquids plus eggs present in the recipe. This very successful combination of ingredients was arrived at through 25 years of experience using fishmeal products. Fenspice is a step on from our very successful Red Baron, testing was carried out from 2005 until its release in 2011. This testing was carried out on silty meres, windswept gravel pits and a very deep clay pit so a huge variety and types of waters. It proved to be an instant bait wherever it was tried catching from the off.

We first used the milk protein/fishmeal/birdfood combination way back in the early 1990's and have always been trying new products in this type of bait along the way. The refined milk protein content is high in protein and amino acids, the fishmeals add protein, taste and oils, the pre digested fishmeal is a very important part of the bait as it is 80% soluble. The spices are used to enhance the taste of the bait, also they contain various substances that are good for the carps health. Kelp adds taste alongside vitamins and minerals. The krill part of the bait is there because of its attraction properties, it again contains a large spread of amino acids and adds buoyancy to the bait. Our krill liquid is a highly stimulatory product. It is rich in taste and like its powdered counterpart is full of amino acids. We add Haiths Prosecto because carp like it!! Prosecto is rich in vitamins and minerals, and strangely contains insects!! The special part of the bait is the high level GLM/Liver combination. We have used these two products since the 1980's and make no

mistake they are at the top of the tree as far as big carp attractors go. Two very important things to be aware of with these products are the levels need to be at the optimum amount and most important the two of them need to be the highest quality available. You need not worry because we have taken care of these two very important points for you.

To finish the bait off nicely we add essential oils and our own spice liquid. A little red salmon oil is added as well to add a bit of energy.

To sum up Fenspice is an instant bait that works from the off in any water here and on the continent. It is an excellent food source for the carp and helps them with their well being which is very important for us.

DP1

DP1 is our most recent bait release. Although all of our freezer baits work all year round some of you do like a dedicated winter bait so we designed one for you. DP1 is the result.

DP1 INGREDIENT PROFILE

Rennet casein,
Calcium caseinate,
Calf gold,
Sweet milk powder,
Crushed tiger nuts,
Roasted peanut meal (human food grade),
Haiths CLO,
Haiths Prosecto Insectivorous,
Liver extract 100% water soluble,
DMPT,
Creatine ethel ester hcl,
N Butryc acid,
Fresh Pineapple flavour,
Our own exclusive Yeast powder complex (4 different yeasts),
Enzyme active liquid yeast.

For more information on DP1 [click here \(pdf\)](#),

As you can see from its ingredient profile DP1 is a very high quality bait. We have included fresh pineapple flavour, n butryc acid, yeasts and liver extract which are all proven winter carp attractors to make this bait our first dedicated cold water bait. Having said that it works just as well all year round!!

A strange quirk with DP1 is the incredible amount of commons that it produces both here and in France. We are assuming that this is down to the high levels of yeast that the bait contains. I remember using yeast based baits back in the 1970s that produced commons and I personally caught a lot of commons using baits with CSL and molasses added to them in the 1980s. So by looking back over a long period of time it certainly seems that commons are attracted to yeast type products. Our yeast powder complex contains high nucleotide yeast, cell walls, brewers yeast etc. This product is produced on our premises from yeasts supplied to us by a major yeast supplier to the animal trade. These yeasts are specifically made to induce animals to feed, to add taste and to increase biological value to feeds. They have been thoroughly tested on fish and have EU certification.

So if you are looking for a bait specifically designed for cold water fishing, or if your water contains a lot of commons then DP1 is the bait to use.

ORIGINAL NUT MIX

We added this great nut bait to our range in 2004 and it is still catching lots of carp today!! Testament again that our baits are long term carp catchers.

NUT MIX INGREDIENT PROFILE

Rennet casein,
Calcium caseinate,
Fresh crushed tiger nuts,
Roasted peanut meal (human grade),
Maize protein,
Calf gold milk powder,
Milkylac,
Haiths CLO,
Lactose,
Enzyme active yeast liquid,
Tiger nut juice,
English toffee flavour.

For more information on Nut Mix [click here \(pdf\)](#),

As we know carp love tiger nuts and peanuts so it makes sense to incorporate them into a boilie. Another important point is carp can become pre occupied on these two nuts if they are used in their nut form as a particle bait, both do not contain enough nutrients for a carp to survive on so it can be dangerous to introduce peanuts and tigers into a water in large amounts. To address this problem it is much better to incorporate them into a boilie then add milk proteins to dramitically increase the biological value of the bait making it an excellent food source for the carp.

Tiger nuts and peanuts can be problematic as raw ingredients with regards to shelf life. Tigers are fine when stored as a dry nut but can rapidly deteriorate when crushed down into a meal. To address this we buy our tigers from a health food supplier then get them crushed under pressure for us in small batches. Pressure crushing releases all of the liquids that the nut contains and certainly produces a different product to normal chopping or grinding. Our roasted peanut meal is obtained from a company which supplies nut products into the human food chain. It comes with spec sheets, batch numbers and a date stamp. So you can see we have gone a long way to ensure these two problematic products are as fresh as possible and pose no problems for the carp whatsoever

Unlike other nut mix baits ours is quite soft. It is specifically made like this for quick breakdown on the lake bed therefore releasing its complex attractors quickly. If you fancy a change from fishmeals then give this bait a try. It works instantly and is an excellent food source for carp.

RED BARON

Red Baron is what we would term as a 'classic' red fishmeal boilie. First formulated in 1992 by myself and a group of angling friends it just keeps on catching carp!! If you are looking for a great reliable bait that wont break the bank then look no further.

RED BARON INGREDIENTS

Rennet casein,
Lactalbumin,
South American fishmeal,
Salmon meal,
North Sea fishmeal,
Genuine Haiths Robin Red,
Genuine Haiths CLO,
Maize protein,
Calf gold milk powder,
Lactose,
Squid liver powder,
Blood cells,
Red Salmon oil,
Squid and Plum flavour.

For more information on Red Baron [click here \(pdf\)](#)

As mentioned Red Baron was first formulated way back in 1992 by myself and my angling friends of the day. Prior to this throughout the 1980's we had primarily used full blown milk protein baits. This was followed by milk protein/birdfood boilies. We then obtained some fishmeals and fish oils and rolled up a few test batches. What struck us at the time was how different the fishmeal bait was to all of the baits that we had used before, but the main thing was how the carp reacted to it. From the off our we were catching 5 or 6 times the amount of carp that we were doing on baits that we had used before proving that the carp had a liking for fishmeals. Another noticeable thing was the bait seemed to work better the more that we introduced which was a total change from the milk proteins.

Red Baron is basically a milk protein, birdfood, fishmeal combination with a few little extras to really bring it alive. It catches well here and on the continent and just keeps catching. As I said it is over 20 years since the recipe was first devised and the bait shows no sign of slowing down. If you are going to France it should be your first choice bait!!

RED NUT MIX

Red Nut Mix is similar in make up to our original Nut Mix but with a slight twist in its make up. We have added 10% Haiths Robin Red and our exclusive Chocolate Orange flavour resulting in a bait that tastes and smells like a Terrys chocolate orange!! Otherwise this bait is exactly the same as our Nut Mix.

RED NUT MIX INGREDIENT PROFILE.

Rennet casein,
Calcium caseinate,
Fresh crushed tiger nuts,
Roasted peanut meal (human grade),
Maize protein,
Calf gold milk powder,
Milkylac,
Haiths CLO,
Haiths Robin Red (10% inclusion),
Lactose,
Enzyme active yeast liquid,
Tiger nut juice,
Chocolate Orange flavour.

ULTRA NUT MIX

Ultra Nut Mix has been designed as a step on from our Nut Mix bait. We have taken some of the thinking behind Fenspice and incorporated some of the products into Ultra Nut Mix. This produces a very different nut type bait to anything else that is currently available.

ULTRA NUT MIX INGREDIENT PROFILE.

Rennet casein,
Calcium caseinate,
Crushed tiger nuts,
Roasted peanut meal,
Maize protein,
Calf gold,
Milkylac,
Haiths CLO,
Pre digested fishmeal,
Granular kelp powder,
Full oil green lipped mussel extract,
Enzyme active yeast liquid,
Our own exclusive ultra nut flavour,
Tiger nut liquid.

For more information on Ultra Nut Mix [click here \(pdf\)](#)

Ultra Nut Mix is a very high quality digestable nut based boilie. It utilises part of our Fenspice recipe in its make up so it is a nut bait with fish and shellfish extracts alongside liquid yeast and granular kelp powder. This produces a superb nutritional bait for the carp. We then add our own Ultra Nut flavour that is produced to our specification to give the bait a musky taste and smell.

Ultra Nut Mix is a very different bait, if you are looking for something unusual then you should take a look at it. The bait works well all year round and is responsible for carp captures to mid 40s in the UK and 70lb on the continent.

INFORMATION AND TIPS ON USING AND GETTING THE BEST FROM OUR FREEZER BAITS.

Here is a little information on using and getting the best from our freezer baits.

All of the baits in our range are very high quality freezer baits. We do not sell any shelf life baits at all with the exception of our Fenspace fluros. In our opinion preservatives have no place in carp baits, I personally feel preservatives change the taste and quality of the foods that we eat so we will not use them in our bait range. All of our baits are designed, tested and rolled by us on our premises. We do not use or obtain any bait from any other companies, in other words we do not bulk buy boilies from other bait companies and sell them on!! In fact apart from the products that we sell from FeedStimulants none of our ingredients or liquids are obtained from the bait industry. We buy them either from companies that supply the human or animal food chains. We obtain spec sheets with each order that we receive, these give a breakdown of what is contained in the product plus a use by date which is very important to us. We have 100% control over the quality of our products and can answer any questions that you may have about them.

All of our baits are designed and tested to work all year round in any conditions. We cannot see any reason to swap your bait just because the water is getting cold!! If you need to swap bait then there is something wrong with the bait you are using. Our Fenspace has a total of 17 ingredients and liquids, Ultra Nut Mix has 14. These baits have been put together to provide the carp with all the nutrients it needs and to produce the ultimate amount of underwater attraction whatever the water temperature. We also tell you what ingredients are contained in each bait. We have provided this information since the day Custom Bait Services was formed. How many other bait firms can claim that and how many other bait firms include this amount of ingredients in their baits? Our freezer baits are made to benefit the fish and help you the angler to catch more. Used correctly they become part of the lakes food chain.

Our baits work instantly so there is no need for pre baiting with them. I am often asked what to do if a lake is being fished by bait teams who are using the same bait. My answer is not to worry, carp will always recognise a good food source so just get one of our baits in the right place and you will catch. If you start your fishing early in the year which a lot seem to do these days then I would just start introducing small amounts of bait into either likely looking spots or known feeding spots then increase baiting levels as the year progresses. We know using a lot of bait is expensive but on a personal level I think bait is the most important part of fishing, not rods, reels and bivvies like some seem to think. If you use our baits you can easily create you own feeding areas, this is how I fish myself. Just keep the bait going in on the same spots for a few weeks and it will start producing. It is important to bait 2 or 3 times a week to get the best from this type of fishing, this keeps the fish visiting the spots looking for food. So buy bait not new rods, bait will catch you fish, rods wont!!

Another problem anglers seem to struggle with is air drying bait. If you read up on it mould is caused by moisture, therefore to produce a mould free bait all of the moisture needs to be driven from the bait using air circulation. I would say air dry bags are not good for air drying as they do not allow proper air circulation. Myself I use buckets, use the ones that base mixes are supplied in and put no more than 5 kilos of boilies in each one. Keep turning the baits each day and keep the lid off to allow air circulation. It is very important to turn the baits as mould can form on the touching edges. So a step by step guide to air drying is to take 5 kilos from the freezer, spread them on one of the cardboard vegetable trays that you can get free from supermarkets (this dries the baits out) then when they are thawed and dry put them in your bucket and keep turning them. After 5 days you will have a hard bait that is air dried and will not go mouldy. Other ways to air dry is to add a few handfuls of pellets to the drying boilies. This draws out moisture quicker and gives you the edge of pellets smelling the same as your boilies. Another way which is my favourite is to put 25mm of sea salt in the bottom of a bucket, slowly introduce 5 kilos of frozen boilies into the bucket then turn them so they are all covered in the salt. This produces boilies that have a good salt content which increases taste and attraction and you have the salt acting as a natural preservative as well. This is a top method for fishing in France. For normal 48 hour sessions all of our baits are fine to use without air drying. This information is only for French trips or longer sessions. Air circulation and keeping them moving is the key to successful air drying.

Another question I am often asked is what bait to take for that all important trip to France? Our recommendation is either Red Baron or Fenspace. Both of these baits work brilliantly in France, lots of anglers take them over and we supply French fisheries with them as well. As mentioned before they work instantly, they air dry very well and they catch lots of fish. DP1 is another bait from our range that anglers are starting to take to France as well. It is our newest bait but is producing well over there already.

If you need any more information about our baits then do not hesitate to [contact us](#)