LAYER FEED

1. Look at the feed label shown from a bag of layer pellets.

2. What is its protein content? Which food contents provide the protein?

3. Which food contents provide the carbohydrate?

4. Limestone is added to the diet of layers. It is very high in calcium. Can you suggest why limestone is added?



Activity 15

CHICKEN FEED

- 1. Look at the label shown from a bag of starter crumbles. Compare this with the label from the layer pellets. What changes are there in:
 - (a) contents
 - (b) percentage protein?

2. Why are there differences? (Think about what each type of bird produces)



MEDICATED CHICK SUPA-START

A complete feed for day old chicks growing to six weeks of age.

ANALYSIS
Min. Crude Protein 18.00%
Crude Fat 4.00%
Max. Crude Fibre 5.00%
Actual Salt 0.40%
Max. Fluorine 0.03%

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Wheat and/or Berley and/or Melze
and/or Sorghum and/or Wheaten Pollard and/or Lucerem Meal and/or Meat
and Bone Meel and/or Soybean Meal,
and/or Peanut Meal and/or Cottonseed Meal and/or Fish Meal and/or
Safflower Meal and/or Sunflower Meal,
Limestone, Saft, Potsasium Iodide,
Manganous Sulphate, Copper Sulphate,
Zinc Oxide, Iron Sulphate, Ethoxyquin, Vitamins A, D3, E, K, B12,
Choline Chloride, Riboflavine, Calcium
Pantothenate, Nicotinic Acid, Biotin,
Coccidiostat.

NET WEIGHT 40 kg

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Activity 16

FOOD NEEDS OF ANIMALS

- Make a list of the contents of your own diet. What similarity is there between your diet and that of the fowl?
- The fowl is a monogastric animal (one stomach) like us. Other monogastric
- animals include dogs, cats, and pigs. Write a sentence which describes the food needs of a monogastric animal.
- 3. How does the age of an animal change its food needs? (To answer this question review poultry growth, p. 50.)4. What would happen if an animal con-
- What would happen if an animal continued to eat the same diet as it grew older? (Review poultry development, p. 48.)