

Puffin Pellets

These diverse pellets are the by-products of the wood industry and produced on-site in the factory at the Boyndie Drome in Banffshire. Puffin Pellets are 100% sterile with no additives and a low dust level. Together with their excellent absorbing qualities and their ability to reduce odour levels, Puffin pellets are extremely versatile and can be used for many applications in the equine and animal industry. Using Puffin pellets can save stall cleaning time by up to 50% as they are light and so easy to handle and dispose of. Wastage is also low as the pellets have excellent absorbing qualities keeping wet areas to a minimum and odour levels down. 20KG bag £6.80 www.listonproducts.com

LR Comment:

Now we have been using the bed for a couple of months, we are delighted with the results. We have a variety of horses and find that this bedding is flexible enough to suit any application. We have found all the beds to be much cleaner with mucking out time and cost savings being huge. We take the wet out once a week. The horses are without doubt more comfortable and all of them are lying down in their stables. Rugs stay dryer and there is no more brushing shavings out of manes and tails. We have a broodmare who needed straw in her stable, but we have used a small layer of Puffin Pellets underneath to soak up the wet, so the straw stays dry and fresh. We also use the pellets in the lorry as it is fantastic as it catches all the urine and doesn't blow around. Customer service with Puffin is excellent, and they are always helpful and open to new usage ideas. Tested by Vicki and Adrian Evans.

Dressage rider and trainer David Ramsey has been using Puffin Pellets at his yard in Kent.

He wrote: "When my first delivery of bedding arrived I was surprised how little space was needed for storing two months worth of bedding. At first I was reluctant to use pellet bedding as I was concerned the horses may have eaten it. Debbie Vincent from Puffin Pellets was very helpful and demonstrated how best to activate and manage the bedding. It gives a generous warm bed that is much easier than straw to muck out and produces far less waste."

Puffin Pellets are completely dust free unlike similar products on the market. I want my horses to perform at their best and this is why it is so important to me they are stabled in the best possible environment. Puffin Pellets helps me do this."



Natures Best

The pellets are made from white softwood shavings, which have been reduced to a smaller granular size by a hammer mill and then pelletized. After pelletizing the pellet is sterile and contains less than 4% moisture. This makes the pellet denser and requires far less storage room than other types of animal and horse bedding materials.

Save Time and Money

Using Natures Best horse bedding means mucking out time is cut by two thirds as you only remove the manure from the bed with a fine tine fork. No more bedding on the muck heap which takes years to rot down.

Easy to store and handle

The 13.6 kg bags are easy to handle, no more back breaking bales to lump about. Natures Best animal and horse bedding is easy to store it comes on a standard pallet that can be stored outside until you need it and takes up less than half the space as bales of shavings or other products.

Superior Absorbency

Natures Best is so compressed that it will expand some four times its own volume to form fluffy white wood fibre animal and horse bedding. It is extremely absorbent and will soak up to four times its own weight. RRP: £5.99 www.naturesbedding.co.uk

LR Comment:

I would recommend trying this bedding. I have also been using this bedding for a couple of months and it is a big improvement on the traditional straw bed. The pony that I tried on this bedding was usually bedded on straw and was often found to be in damp wet smelly rugs in the morning due to poor absorbency. Since using this bedding the rugs have remained dry and the smell is certainly sweeter than before - therefore saving myself money on rug cleaning as well as bedding! The manure pile has also halved in size from the traditional straw one. The bags are slightly smaller than some of the competitors, but this could have an advantage when coming to storage. Tested by Karen Ede

