

BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS

Feed Mill Process: Spray Coating BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS onto Extruded and Pelleted Feeds for Aquaculture

Please use the following instructions for spray coating BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS onto compound pelleted and extruded aquaculture feeds. Refer to species-specific user guides for recommended BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS dosages. For feeds that dissolve in less than 2 hours please see our Technical Bulletin for Coating Feeds using Xanthan gum.

Equipment

- a. Spray system with stirred container and spray nozzle
- b. Large mixer (e.g., conveying paddle mixer)

Ingredients

- a. BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS
- b. Aquaculture feed pellets (recommended pellet temperature for coating is $\leq 45^{\circ}$ C)
- c. Water
- d. Optional coating agents: Oil (vegetable or fish)

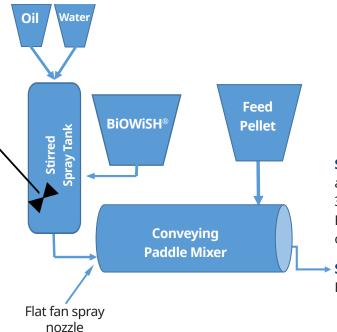
Coating Process per 1 Metric Tonne of Feed (See Process Flow Diagram)

- a. BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS may be coated onto aquaculture feed with or without oil, allowing the Feed Mill the option that best fits with their current practices.
- b. Add the species-specific recommended amount of BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS to water. If oil coating is used, the volume of water should be 10% of the volume of oil. If oil is not used, a minimum of 2L of water per tonne of feed is recommended. Mix the BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS and water for at least 2 minutes prior to the next step.
 - I. If oil is used:
 - i. Add oil, as per current recommended Feed Mill practice, to the mixing spray tank. Oil spray rates are not altered when adding BiOWiSH® to the process.
 - ii. Add the BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS and water mixture to the oil in the mixing spray tank and mix vigorously for 15 minutes prior to use.
 - II. If oil is not used:
 - i. Add the BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS and water to the mixing spray tank and mix for at least 2 minutes prior to use.
- c. Maintain continuous mixing of the coating mixture throughout the coating process.
- d. Load 1000 kg of feed, less the weight of the coating mixture, into the conveying paddle mixer.
- e. With the conveying paddle mixer running, spray the coating mixture onto the feed bed. Empty the coated feed pellets into an appropriate container.

Step 1: Add the species-specific recommended amount of BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS and water to the mixing spray tank. If oil is used, the volume of water should be 10% of the volume of oil, or a minimum of 2L of water if oil is not used. Mix oil and water mixtures for at least 15 minutes before use. For water only, mix for at least 2 minutes before use. Continue to mix during the spray-on process.

Step 2: Add 1000 kg of feed, less the weight of the coating mixture to the conveying paddle mixer and turn the mixer on.

Process Flow Diagram



Step 3: With the mixer running, and the BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS solution mixing, spray the BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS solution over the mixing feed bed.

Step 4: Empty Mixer (Coated Feed Ready for Use).

Notes

- After coating, store coated feed in a cool, dry location out of direct sunlight until ready to use. Storage of BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS and coated feed above 40°C (104°F) for extended periods is not recommended.
- For feed volumes other than 1 tonne, adjust the amount of coating mixture and BiOWiSH® MultiBio 3PS proportionally.

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