

Balanced Calcium Tablets

COMPOSITION: Calcium 300mg (as carbonate 750mg), phosphorus 11mg (as sodium Tripolyphosphate 44mg), cholecalciferol 1.6 microgram (vitamin D₃ 64IU).

ACTIONS: Calcium makes up about 2% of bodyweight. It is a mineral element required in macro quantities for normal bone and tooth development, regulation of membrane permeability and the normal functioning of all cells, neuromuscular excitability, blood clotting and milk coagulation and other function such as maintenance of the acid-base equilibrium. There is a very large store of calcium (99% of the body calcium) and phosphorus (80% of body phosphorus) in the bones which fluctuates under the influence of a regulatory mechanism dependent on calcium ingested, calcium excreted, the parathyroid hormone and the presence of vitamin D₃.

INDICATIONS: Calcium and vitamin D₃ supplement for dogs, cats and horses; aid in correcting the calcium to phosphorus ratio in meat and grain diets.

WITHHOLDING PERIODS: Racing : Do not use in greyhounds within 72 hours of racing.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:

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Table 1

Type of diet	Growing animals	Mature animals	Pregnancy, lactation
Meat only; ½ meat, ½ tinned; ½ meat, ½ dry	1 tab/100 g meat fed	1 tab/100 g meat fed	1 tab/100 g meat fed
Tinned only; ½ tinned, ½ dry	1 tab/5 kg BW	1 tab/5 kg BW	1 tab/5 kg BW
Dry food only (soaked)	1 tab/5 kg BW	1 tab/5 kg BW	1 tab/5 kg BW
Dry food only (small breeds)	0.5 tab/2.5 kg BW	0.25 tab/5 kg BW	0.5 tab/5 kg BW
Dry food only (large breeds)	1 tab/5 kg BW	1 tab/20 kg BW	1 tab/10 kg BW

PRESENTATION: Tablets (chocolate flavoured): 100's, 1,000's.

STORAGE: Store below 30°C (Room temperature).

POISONS SCHEDULE: N/A.

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