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Net weight: 100g

Guaranteed Analysis	
Crude Protein (min)	16.00%
Crude Fat (min)	3.00%
Crude Fiber (min)	21.00%
Crude Fiber (max)	26.00%
Moisture (max)	10.00%
Ash (max)	10.00%
Calcium (min)	0.40%
Calcium (max)	0.60%
Phosphorus (min)	0.20%
Iron (min)	300 ppm
Zinc (min)	100 ppm
Copper (min)	18 ppm
Vitamin A (min)	19,000 IU/kg
Vitamin D3 (min)	900 IU/kg
Vitamin E (min)	190 IU/kg
Vitamin B12 (min)	13 mcg/kg
Ascorbic Acid (Vit.C) (min)	10,000 mg/kg
Niacin (min)	60 ppm
Calorie Content	
Metabolizable Energy	24 kcal/Tbsp

Critical Care

A nutritionally-complete, assist-feeding formula for herbivores

Critical Care Fine Grind is a premium recovery food that can be fed to herbivores with poor nutritional status resulting from illness or surgery. This specially-formulated product contains all the essential nutrients of a complete diet as well as high-fiber timothy hay and to support proper gut physiology and digestion. Critical Care Fine Grind is designed to be used through feeding tubes as well as through traditional methods.

Clinical Applications:

- Feeding tubes
- Gastrointestinal stasis
- Severe weight loss
- Dental disease
- Appetite stimulant
- Pre- & Post dental procedure
- Geriatric patients
- Pre- & Post-surgery
- Medication carrier
- Receiving protocols
- Gastric hairballs
- Small and young patients

Ingredients:

Timothy Grass Meal, Soybean Hulls, Soybean Meal, Wheat Germ, Xanthan Gum, Calcium Chloride, Cane Molasses, Salt, Potassium Chloride, L-Ascorbyl-2-Monophosphate, Soybean Oil, Papaya, Pineapple, Natural flavor, Oat Groats, Wheat Middlings, Yeast Culture (dehydrated), Limestone, Vitamin E Supplement, Choline Chloride, Zinc Sulfate, Ferrous Sulfate, Zinc Proteinate, Niacin, Copper Sulfate, Copper Proteinate, Selenium Yeast, Vitamin A Supplement, Manganese Proteinate, Folic Acid, d-Calcium Pantothenate, Riboflavin Supplement, Biotin, Thiamin Mononitrate, Manganous Oxide, Magnesium Sulfate, Vitamin B12 Supplement, Pyridoxine Hydrochloride, Sodium Selenite, Cobalt Carbonate, Vitamin D3 Supplement, Calcium Iodate.

Feeding Methods:

Assist-feeding:

Feeding Tubes

Prepare a thin paste in a mixing bowl. Scoop the paste into the syringe, from which the plunger has been removed. Replace the plunger and slowly administer the recommended dose through the feeding tube.

For more detailed information see Oxbow's How to place a feeding tube and delivery of Critical Care FINE GRIND by Angela Lennox, DVM Dipl. ABVP and Marla Lichtenberger, DVM, DACVECC

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Assist-feeding:

Syringe

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Papaya Flavor	
Size	UPC
100 gram	744845-701103

Adding convenience to care

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Suggested Storage:

Store in a cool, dry location. For best results, mix small amounts at time of feeding. Mixed product can be stored in the refrigerator for up to 24 hours. Discard any remaining mixed product after 24 hours. Unopened package has a two-year shelf life.

Directions for Use:

As a general guideline, divide dry product into 4-6 feedings unless specified by your veterinarian. Shake well before using. Prepare fresh at each feeding. Mix 1 part FINE GRIND with 3 parts warm water. The volume of water may be adjusted depending on feeding method.

Critical Care FINE GRIND is best utilized with feeding tubes, 5 French or larger, including nasogastric tubes. Flush the tube thoroughly with warm water after each use to prevent the product from hardening and obstructing the tube.

Dosage Guidelines:

These are meant as daily feeding guidelines. Individual needs will vary with species, age, genetics, activity level, nutritional condition and medical condition. Consult with a veterinarian for specific directions.

Mammal: Small Herbivore			
Weight		Dry Product	
lb	kg	Tbsp (dry product)	grams (dry product)
1.1	0.5	1.7	15.6
2.2	1.0	2.9	26.3
3.3	1.5	4.0	35.6
4.4	2.0	4.9	44.1
5.5	2.5	5.8	52.2
6.6	3.0	6.6	59.8
8.8	4.0	8.2	74.2
11.0	5.0	9.8	87.8

Reptile: Herbivore			
Weight		Dry Product	
lb	kg	Tbsp (dry product)	grams (dry product)
0.6	0.3	0.5	4.1
1.1	0.5	0.8	7.0
2.2	1.0	1.3	12.0
3.3	1.5	1.8	16.4
4.4	2.0	2.3	20.5
6.6	3.0	3.1	28.0
7.7	3.5	3.5	31.5
8.8	4.0	3.9	34.9

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