

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET



GENDER HEALTH PROSTATE™

Supports amino acid metabolism and bladder function.

Prostate formula contains vital herbs and nutrients that support proper prostate and urinary function, while modulating optimal prostaglandin and prolactin metabolism in the prostate. We include saw palmetto standardized to contain 45% total fatty acids and 0.15% phytosterols from Euromed, whose parent company is the world famous Madaus GmbH of Germany, a leading European manufacturer of the highest quality botanical ingredients available. African pygeum, also from Euromed, is a 200:1 standardized extract containing 25% total sterols. We also include zinc, stinging nettle root, lycopene, Swedish flower pollen, pumpkin seed extract, pipsissewa and catechins from green tea extract. All our botanicals meet the highest standards in the industry being tested both qualitatively with thin layer chromatography (TLC) and high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC). **Prostate** is specifically formulated to support prostate function and health.

Supplement Facts

Serving size: 3 capsules
Servings per container: 30

Amount per serving		%DV
Vitamin B6 (as Pyridoxine HCl)	75 mg	4412%
Magnesium (as Magnesium Glycinate Chelate)	60 mg	14%
Zinc (as Methionate)	24 mg	218%
Saw palmetto (fruit) extract (<i>Serenoa repens</i>) (standardized to contain 45% total fatty acids)(Euromed®)	750 mg	*
Green tea (leaf) extract (<i>Camellia sinensis</i>)(75% catechins)	300 mg	*
Stinging Nettle (root) extract (<i>Urtica dioica</i>) (5% total amino acids & 0.8% b-sitosterol)	225 mg	*
African pygeum (bark) extract (<i>Prunus africana</i>)(200:1) (2.5% b-sitosterol)(Euromed®)	150 mg	*
Pipsissewa (leaf)(<i>Chimaphila</i> spp)	60 mg	*
Pumpkin (seed) extract (<i>Cucurbita moschata</i>)(4:1)	75 mg	*
Swedish flower (<i>Linnaea</i>)(Graminex® G63® pollen extract)	30 mg	*
Lycopene	5 mg	*

* Daily Value not established.

Other Ingredients: Vegetarian capsules (hypromellose, purified water), silica

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INGREDIENTS:

Saw Palmetto

Saw palmetto has been utilized for decades to support healthy prostate and urinary function. The ripe fruit of the saw palmetto contains volatile and fatty oils. Many saw palmetto products are standardized based on the fatty acid content. The most effective saw palmetto products seem to be whole berries or berry extracts prepared with lipophilic nonpolar solvents. In a JAMA meta-analysis involving 18 randomized controlled trials and almost 3,000 men, results suggest that saw palmetto provides important urologic support by promoting healthy urinary function (2). Its primary mode of action involves maintaining healthy testosterone metabolism.

African Pygeum

African pygeum bark extracts may support prostatic fibroblasts and epithelial cells. Preclinical research suggests that pygeum supports bladder contractility.

Swedish Flower Pollen (Graminex®/Cernitin®)

Swedish flower pollen has positive prostate cell metabolism qualities and influences healthy and normal urine flow. In a double-blind clinical study, Cernitin demonstrated support for urination variables and prostate health (3). Cernitin provides a healthy spectrum of nutrients including vitamins, minerals, carotenoids, flavonoids, nucleic acids, and enzymes.

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Lycopene

Lycopene is a carotenoid, but contains no vitamin A activity. It is the pigment that gives some fruits and vegetables, such as tomatoes, their color. Lycopene seems to support the prostate function. Lycopene tends to be concentrated more in healthy prostate glands.

Pumpkin Seed Extract

Pumpkin seed extract is rich in carotenoids, including lutein, carotene, and beta-carotene. The enzyme acyl-coenzyme A oxidase (ACOX) is present in the pumpkin seed. The ACOX enzyme catalyzes fatty acid oxidation, specifically the oxidation of fatty acid CoA esters with 4 to 10 carbon atoms (4). Research suggests pumpkin seed extract supports healthy bladder and urethral function.

Pipsissewa

The applicable parts of pipsissewa grow above ground. The component chimaphilin has a mild sensitizing effect. Pipsissewa promotes bladder integrity and supports normal urine flow.

Stinging Nettle Root

Stinging nettle root contains polysaccharides that that may support the immune system. In numerous clinical studies in Germany, stinging nettle root was shown to maintain proper sex hormone binding globulin (SHGB) activity.

Green Tea

Green tea is from the leaf bud, leaf, and stem. Green tea is different from black and oolong teas because it is not fermented. Polyphenols such as flavanols, flavandiol, flavonoids, and phenolic acids are abundant in green tea. Catechins from Green tea work with chemicals released by the body (5).

Zinc

Zinc concentration in the prostate is the highest amount of any organ in the male body. Zinc plays a critical role in the metabolism of androgens, which play a vital role in prostate health. A zinc deficiency is characterized by low sperm counts and delayed onset of puberty among other known deficiencies (6). Zinc inhibits the binding of androgens in the prostate and also inhibits 5-alpha-reductase. Zinc inhibits prolactin secretion and reduces the binding of prolactin in the prostate.

Magnesium

Magnesium is involved with more than 300 enzyme systems, including vascular contraction, neuromuscular function, and cell membrane stability and fluidity.

Vitamin B6 (Pyridoxine HCl)

Vitamin B6 is required for amino acid metabolism. It is also involved in carbohydrate and lipid metabolism. Pyridoxine is significant in hormone synthesis, nerve impulse transmission, and hemoglobin formation.

Patients: Consult with your healthcare professional for the proper use of this formula.

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