

## MERRICK BACKCOUNTRY BIG GAME RECIPE DOG FOOD

### GUARANTEED ANALYSIS:

Crude Protein (Min)	34.0%
Crude Fat (Min)	17.0%
Crude Fiber (Max)	3.5%
Moisture (Max)	11.0%
Taurine* (Min)	0.17%
Omega-6 Fatty Acids* (Min)	2.3%
Omega-3 Fatty Acids* (Min)	0.3%
Glucosamine* (Min)	400 mg/kg
Chondroitin Sulfate *(Min)	400 mg/kg

\*Not recognized as an essential nutrient by the AAFCO Dog Food Nutrient Profiles.

**Ingredients:** Deboned Lamb, Chicken Meal, Turkey Meal, Sweet Potatoes, Potatoes, Peas, Pea Protein, Chicken Fat, Natural Flavor, Venison, Beef, Flaxseed, Beef Liver, Dried Yeast, Tapioca, Potassium Chloride, Salt, Choline Chloride, Minerals (Zinc Amino Acid Complex, Iron Amino Acid Complex, Sodium Selenite, Manganese Amino Acid Complex, Copper Amino Acid Complex, Calcium Iodate), DL-Methionine, Taurine, Vitamins (Vitamin E Supplement, Vitamin B12 Supplement, Vitamin A Supplement, Niacin, Thiamine Mononitrate, Riboflavin Supplement, d-Calcium Pantothenate, Folic Acid, Menadione Sodium Bisulfite Complex, Biotin, Pyridoxine Hydrochloride, Vitamin D3 Supplement), Mixed Tocopherols for freshness. A278223

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Merrick Backcountry Big Game Recipe Dog Food is formulated to meet the nutritional levels established by the AAFCO Dog Food Nutrient Profiles for maintenance of adult dogs.

Goal Wt. (lbs.)	Calories/Day	Cups/Day (approx.)
3	139	1/3 cup
6	233	2/3 cup
10	342	1 cup
15	464	1 1/4 cups
20	575	1 1/2 cups
30	780	2 cups
40	968	2 1/2 cups
50	1144	3 cups
60	1312	3 1/4 cups
70	1472	3 2/3 cups
80	1627	4 cups
90	1778	4 1/2 cups
100	1924	4 3/4 cups

Using the chart below, divide the total cups per day by the total number of times you feed your dog per day to determine the portion size for each meal. Keep a clean bowl of fresh water available at all times. Every dog is a little different, so optimal feeding amounts may vary with age, size and activity level. Please use the information below as an initial recommendation only and adjust when needed. Dry and wet food in combination will help to increase the level of water in your dog's diet. If feeding with wet food,

reduce dry amount by 1/2 cup for every 6 oz. of wet food.

For dogs over 100 lbs.: add 1/3 cup per additional 10 lbs.

Gradually mix in the new food over a 5 - 7 day period, increasing the amount of Merrick Backcountry Big Game Recipe each day.

Calorie Content (calculated)(ME):

3690 kcal/kg

392 kcal/cup