

MERRICK HEALTHY GRAINS FREEZE-DRIED RAW-COATED PUPPY RECIPE DOG FOOD

GUARANTEED ANALYSIS:

Crude Protein (Min)	28.0%
Crude Fat (Min)	17.0%
Crude Fiber (Max)	4.5%
Moisture (Max)	11.0%
Docosahexaenoic Acid (DHA) (Min)	0.05%
Taurine* (Min)	0.17%
Omega-6 Fatty Acids* (Min)	3.4%
Omega-3 Fatty Acids* (Min)	0.5%
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 chicken, brown rice, chicken meal, oat meal, barley, chicken fat, natural flavor, salmon meal, dried egg product, turkey meal, flaxseed, dried yeast, sunflower oil, miscanthus grass, chicken giblets, salmon oil, potassium chloride, salt, alfalfa meal, choline chloride, apples, carrots, tapioca,

MINERALS [iron amino acid complex, zinc amino acid complex, zinc sulfate, sodium selenite, manganese amino acid complex, copper amino acid complex, copper sulfate, potassium iodide, cobalt glucoheptonate, cobalt carbonate], taurine, preserved with mixed tocopherols, yucca schidigera extract, **VITAMINS** [Vitamin E supplement, Vitamin B-12 supplement, Vitamin A supplement, calcium pantothenate (Vitamin B-5), thiamine mononitrate (Vitamin B-1), folic acid (Vitamin B-9), riboflavin supplement (Vitamin B-2), menadione sodium bisulfite complex (Vitamin K), niacin (Vitamin B-3), pyridoxine hydrochloride (Vitamin B-6), biotin (Vitamin B-7), Vitamin D-3 supplement], dried Enterococcus faecium fermentation product, dried Lactobacillus acidophilus fermentation product, dried Lactobacillus casei fermentation product, dried Lactobacillus plantarum fermentation product. C286024

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Merrick Healthy Grains Freeze-Dried Raw-Coated Puppy Recipe is formulated to meet the nutritional levels established by the AAFCO Dog Food Nutrient Profiles for all life stages, including growth of large sized dogs (70 lb or more as an adult).

RECOMMENDED DAILY FEEDING AMOUNTS

Weight at Maturity (lbs)	1-1/2 to 3 Months (cups)	4 to 5 Months (cups)	6 to 8 Months (cups)	9 to 11 Months (cups)	1 to 2 Years (cups)
2 - 12	1/4 to 1-1/4	1/3 to 1-1/4	1/3 to 3/4	1/3 to 3/4	Feed as Adult
13 - 20	3/4 to 1-1/2	1-1/4 to 1-2/3	1-1/3 to 1-1/2	1 to 1-1/3	Feed as Adult
21 - 50	3/4 to 2-1/3	1-1/2 to 2-3/4	1-3/4 to 2-1/2	1-1/2 to 2-2/3	Feed as Adult
51 - 75	1-1/4 to 2-1/2	3-1/4 to 3-3/4	3-1/3 to 4	2-3/4 to 4-1/3	2-2/3 to 3-1/3
76 - 100	1-1/2 to 2-1/2	3-1/4 to 3-2/3	3-1/3 to 4	4-1/4 to 4-3/4	3-1/3 to 3-3/4
101+	2-1/2 cups plus	3-2/3 cups plus	4 cups plus 1/3	4-3/4 cups plus	3-3/4 cups

1/4 cup for every 10 lbs over 100 lbs	1/4 cup for every 10 lbs over 100 lbs	cup for every 10 lbs over 100 lbs	1/3 cup for every 10 lbs over 100 lbs	plus 1/4 cup for every 10 lbs over 100 lbs
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Using the chart, divide the total cups per day by the total number of times you feed your puppy per day to determine the portion size for each meal. Keep a clean bowl of fresh water available at all times. Every puppy is a little different, so optimal feeding amounts may vary with age, size and activity level. Please use this information 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. Pregnant or nursing females may consume two or three times the recommended amount per day.

Transitioning: Gradually mix in the new food over a period of 7 - 10 days, increasing the amount of Merrick Healthy Grains Freeze-Dried Raw-Coated Puppy Recipe each day. This gradual transition will help avoid dietary upsets.

For your pet's health, see your veterinarian regularly.

Calorie Content (calculated)(ME):

3886 kcal/kg

495 kcal/cup