

# Mazuri® Timothy-Based Guinea Pig Diet

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Formula Code – 5E6A

## Description

Mazuri® Timothy-Based Guinea Pig Diet is a complete diet formulated to meet the nutritional requirements of guinea pigs during all life stages.

## Features and Benefits

- **Nutritionally complete – no supplements needed including vitamin C**
- **High Fiber to support chewing activity and healthy digestive system**
- **Contains vitamin C – required for Guinea pig’s overall health**
- **Contains live probiotics to help support gastrointestinal health**
- **Timothy hay helps support healthy digestion**
- **No artificial colors or flavors**



## Product Form

Pelleted feed: 5/32” diameter x 1/2” length.

- 5 lb. resealable poly bag

## Catalog #

3002737-245

## Guaranteed Analysis

Crude protein not less than .....	18.0%	Moisture not more than.....	12.0%
Crude fat not less than .....	4.0%	Ash not more than .....	9.0%
Crude fiber not less than .....	14.0%	Vitamin E not less than.....	75 IU/kg
Crude fiber not more than .....	18.0%	Ascorbic acid not less than.....	1,000 mg/kg
Total Microorganisms, min .....			270,000 CFU/g

(Lactobacillus acidophilus, Lactobacillus casei, Bifidobacterium thermophilum)  
Contains a source of live (viable) naturally occurring microorganisms.

## Ingredients

Ground Timothy Hay, Ground Soybean Hulls, Dehulled Soybean Meal, Wheat Middlings, Ground Oats, Ground Flaxseed, Cane Molasses, Calcium Carbonate, Soybean Oil, Salt, Dicalcium Phosphate, Dried Whey, L-Ascorbyl-2-Polyphosphate (Vitamin C), Magnesium Oxide, Ground Wheat, DL-Methionine, Choline Chloride, Dried Lactobacillus acidophilus Fermentation Product Dried Lactobacillus casei Fermentation Product, Dried Bifidobacterium thermophilum Fermentation, Product, Vitamin A Acetate, Dried Enterococcus faecium Fermentation Product, Menadione Sodium Bisulfite Complex (source of Vitamin K), Vitamin D3 Supplement, Yucca schidigera Extract, Folic Acid, Pyridoxine Hydrochloride, Calcium Pantothenate, d-Alpha Tocopheryl Acetate, Manganous Oxide, Zinc Oxide, Riboflavin Supplement, Ferrous Carbonate, Thiamine Mononitrate, Vitamin B12 Supplement, Nicotinic Acid, Copper Sulfate, Cobalt Carbonate, Zinc Sulfate, Calcium Iodate, Sodium Selenite.

## Feeding Directions

- Feed free choice to guinea pigs, along with plenty of fresh clean water.
- Supplemental food items may be provided, but should not make up more than 20% of the total diet.
- Care should be taken to choose appropriate supplemental food items. Mature guinea pigs may benefit from higher fiber, lower protein food items (e.g., grass hay), while growing, gestating or lactating guinea pigs may benefit from higher protein food items (e.g., alfalfa hay). Guinea pigs may be provided vegetables (predominantly dark leafy greens) and limited fruit (less than 5% of total intake) to provide enrichment.
- Thoroughly wash feeding and watering bowls on a regular basis. It is always good practice to wash hands thoroughly after feeding and/or handling pets. This diet is not for human consumption.

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## Approximate Nutrient Composition<sup>1</sup>

### NUTRIENTS

<b>Protein, %</b> .....	<b>18.0</b>
Arginine, %.....	1.12
Cystine, %.....	0.30
Glycine, %.....	0.73
Histidine, %.....	0.47
Isoleucine, %.....	0.80
Leucine, %.....	1.29
Lysine, %.....	1.01
Methionine, %.....	0.40
Phenylalanine, %.....	0.81
Threonine, %.....	0.68
Tryptophan, %.....	0.23
Tyrosine, %.....	0.57
Valine, %.....	0.74
<b>Fat (Ether extract), %</b> .....	<b>4.0</b>
Linoleic acid, %.....	1.44
Linolenic acid, %.....	0.77
Omega-3 Fatty Acids, %.....	0.77
Omega-6 Fatty Acids, %.....	1.45
<b>Fiber (Crude), %</b> .....	<b>17</b>
NDF, %.....	35
ADF, %.....	21
Starch, %.....	10

### MACRO MINERALS

Calcium, %.....	1.10
Chloride, %.....	0.50
Magnesium, %.....	0.40
Phosphorus, %.....	0.60
Potassium, %.....	1.31
Sodium, %.....	0.35
Sulfur, %.....	0.23

### TRACE MINERALS

Copper, ppm.....	16
Iodine, ppm.....	1.05
Iron, ppm.....	330
Manganese, ppm.....	118
Selenium (added), ppm.....	0.2
Zinc, ppm.....	100

### VITAMINS

Ascorbic acid, ppm.....	1,280
Biotin, ppm.....	0.18
Choline, ppm.....	1,758
Folic acid, ppm.....	4.7
Niacin, ppm.....	48
Pantothenic acid, ppm.....	29
Pyridoxine, ppm.....	7.5
Riboflavin, ppm.....	10
Thiamin, ppm.....	8.4
Vitamin B <sub>12</sub> , µg/kg.....	25
Vitamin A, IU/kg.....	34,218
Vitamin D <sub>3</sub> , IU/kg.....	2,921
Vitamin E, IU/kg.....	143
Vitamin K (as menadione), ppm.....	1.9
Beta-Carotene, ppm.....	2.6

## Storage Conditions

For best results, ensure polybag seal is fully closed during storage, or store contents of open paper sack in container with sealing lid. Store in a cool (75oF or colder), dry (approximately 50% RH) location. Freezing will not harm the diet and may extend freshness. Adhere to the “Best if used by” date or use within 1 year of bag manufacturing.

<sup>1</sup> Based on the latest ingredient analysis information. Since nutrient composition of ingredients varies, analyses will vary accordingly.

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