

Mazuri® CU Tortoise Diet Extruded C

Formula Code – 5M4L

Description

A high-fiber tortoise food designed for dry land herbivorous tortoises such as gopher, sulcate, and Galapagos tortoises. This food is suitable for other herbivorous reptiles as well.

This diet is equivalent to Mazuri 5M21.

Features and Benefits

- **High fiber level.**
- **Contains natural vitamin E.**
- **Extruded pellet form** - Minimizes waste and creates a more natural feeding environment.
- **Natural source antioxidants** - No ethoxyquin.

Product Form

Extruded feed: 1/2" diameter x 3/4" length.

- 25 lb. net weight paper sack

Catalog

3003477-703

Guaranteed Analysis

Crude protein not less than.....	15.0%	Calcium not less than.....	0.95%
Crude fat not less than.....	3.0%	Calcium not more than.....	1.45%
Crude fiber not more than.....	18.0%	Phosphorus not less than.....	0.60%
Moisture not more than.....	12.5%		

Ingredients

Ground Soybean Hulls, Ground Corn, Dehulled Soybean Meal, Ground Oats, Wheat Middlings, Cane Molasses, Dehydrated Alfalfa Meal, Wheat Germ, Dicalcium Phosphate, Soybean Oil, Brewers Dried Yeast, Calcium Carbonate, Salt, DL-Methionine, Choline Chloride, Pyridoxine Hydrochloride, D-Alpha Tocopheryl Acetate (Form of Vitamin E), Biotin, Cholecalciferol, Menadione Sodium Bisulfite Complex (source of Vitamin K), Calcium Pantothenate, Vitamin A Acetate, Folic Acid, Riboflavin Supplement, Gelatin, Preserved with Mixed Tocopherols (Form of Vitamin E), Rosemary Extract, Nicotinic Acid, Vitamin B-12 Supplement, Thiamine Mononitrate, Citric Acid, L-Lysine, Manganous Oxide, Zinc Oxide, Ferrous Carbonate, Copper Sulfate, Zinc Sulfate, Calcium Iodate, Sodium Selenite, Cobalt Carbonate.

Feeding Directions

- Feed approximately 1-4% of body weight.
 - It is not necessary to moisten pellets with water, though it may help acclimate animals to the diet.
- Feed consumption will vary with environmental temperatures, activity and life stage.
- Provide good quality grass hay or browse.
- If desired, feed fresh fruits and vegetables.
 - At most, 5% fruit and 20% vegetables by weight of total diet.
- Always provide animal with plenty of fresh, clean water. Proper humidity levels are also critical for health and proper growth of herbivorous reptiles.

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Approximate Nutrient Composition¹

NUTRIENTS

Protein, %	15
Arginine, %.....	0.86
Cystine, %.....	0.28
Glycine, %.....	0.53
Histidine, %.....	0.43
Isoleucine, %.....	0.65
Leucine, %.....	1.1
Lysine, %.....	0.89
Methionine, %.....	0.35
Phenylalanine, %.....	0.67
Threonine, %.....	0.55
Tryptophan, %.....	0.17
Tyrosine, %.....	0.47
Valine, %.....	0.69
Fat (Acid hydrolysis), %	4.9
Linoleic acid, %.....	1.8
Linolenic acid, %.....	0.22
Omega-3 fatty acids, %.....	0.23
Omega-6 fatty acids, %.....	1.7
Fiber (Crude), %	15
NDF, %.....	29
ADF, %.....	17
Metabolizable Energy²,	
kcal/kg.....	2,870

MACRO MINERALS

Ash, %.....	7.5
Calcium, %.....	1.2
Chloride, %.....	0.72
Magnesium, %.....	0.20
Phosphorus, %.....	0.66
Phosphorus (non-phytate), %.....	0.46
Potassium, %.....	1.0
Sodium, %.....	0.42
Sulfur, %.....	0.20

TRACE MINERALS

Copper, ppm.....	19
Iodine, ppm.....	1.8
Iron, ppm.....	385
Manganese, ppm.....	135
Selenium (added), ppm.....	0.30
Zinc, ppm.....	128

VITAMINS

Ascorbic acid, ppm.....	0.0
Biotin, ppm.....	0.5
Choline, ppm.....	1,468
Folic acid, ppm.....	2.6
Niacin, ppm.....	67
Pantothenic acid, ppm.....	39
Pyridoxine, ppm.....	9
Riboflavin, ppm.....	14.9
Thiamin, ppm.....	9.2
Vitamin B ₁₂ , µg/kg.....	31
Vitamin A, IU/kg.....	7,075
Vitamin D ₃ , IU/kg.....	2,844
Vitamin E, IU/kg.....	306
Vitamin K (as menadione), ppm.....	3
Beta-Carotene, ppm.....	1.2

Storage Conditions

For best results, store contents of open paper sack in container with sealing lid. Store in a cool (75°F or colder), dry (approximately 50% RH) location. Freezing will not harm the diet and may extend freshness. Use within 1 year of bag manufacturing.

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

² Calculated using adjusted Atwater's factors - 4 kcal/g carbohydrate, 9 kcal/g fat, 4 kcal/g protein.

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