

Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet

(Available at www.mazuri.com or through a Mazuri® retailer.)

Formula Code – 562A

Description

A complete diet for small psittacines and passerines. This diet is specially formulated for non-breeding birds (young birds after first molt and up to breeding age, and for birds kept in non-breeding situations). This diet is not for growing chicks.

Features and Benefits

- **Specially formulated with balanced nutrition** - Use as the primary diet for non-breeding birds.
- **Nutritionally complete** - Requires no mixing or supplementation.
- **Better than pellets** - Less fines and increased digestibility.
- **Better than seeds** - Less waste (20-50% of seed weight is hulls).
- **Reduced diet preparation** - Less time chopping fruit and veggies.
- **Formulation allows for supplementation with species appropriate food items** - Can include up to 20% (by weight) of diet as produce, seeds, etc. to encourage natural feeding behaviors and for training and enrichment.
- **No artificial colors or flavors.**
- **Natural sources of pigments, antioxidants and Omega-3 fatty acids.**

Product Form

Extruded feed: 5/64" round particle.

- 25 lb. net weight paper sack

Catalog

3003273-703



Guaranteed Analysis

Crude protein not less than	14.5%
Crude fat not less than	5.0%
Crude fiber not more than	5.0%
Moisture not more than	12.0%
Ash not more than	8.0%

Ingredients

Ground corn, wheat middlings, dehulled soybean meal, corn gluten meal, flaxseed, glyceryl monostearate, dicalcium phosphate, soybean oil, calcium carbonate, wheat germ, brewers dried yeast, calcium propionate (a preservative), l-lysine, salt, dl-methionine, Lactobacillus acidophilus fermentation product dehydrated, l-ascorbyl-2-polyphosphate (stabilized vitamin C), choline chloride, Lactobacillus casei fermentation product dehydrated, Bifidobacterium thermophilum fermentation product dehydrated, pyridoxine hydrochloride, biotin, Enterococcus faecium fermentation product dehydrated, beta carotene, d-alpha tocopheryl acetate (form of vitamin E), menadione sodium bisulfite complex (source of vitamin K), preserved with mixed tocopherols (form of vitamin E), cholecalciferol, rosemary extract, folic acid, vitamin A acetate, citric acid, manganous oxide, riboflavin, tagetes (Aztec marigold) extract (color), calcium iodate, zinc oxide, calcium pantothenate, thiamine mononitrate, nicotinic acid, vitamin B₁₂ supplement, copper sulfate, l-tryptophan, zinc sulfate, cobalt carbonate, sodium selenite.

Feeding Directions

- This diet should be fed to non-breeding birds. Feed this diet to young birds after they have their first molt and until they reach breeding age. This diet should also be fed to birds which are not kept for breeding purposes. Any time a bird is not breeding or when raising young for periods of over one month, they should be fed Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet.
- To switch birds from seeds (or any diet they are currently being fed) to Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet, do a gradual changeover. Start with 90% seed (or current diet) and 10% Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet. On each succeeding day, reduce the amount of seeds by 10% while increasing the amount of Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet by 10%. On the 10th day, the diet should consist only of Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet.
 - Monitor the bird's weight and behavior carefully during the conversion period. Be specially attentive during the 10th to 12th day. If the bird is losing weight, or if the bird is not consuming the product, offer the bird a mix of 50% seed and 50% Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet and restart the conversion process from this point. If the bird is not eating, the excreta color will become dark green and the volume will decrease. If the bird is consuming the Mazuri® Small Bird Maintenance Mini Diet the excreta will be a brownish-green color.

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Approximate Nutrient Composition¹

NUTRIENTS

Protein, %	15
Arginine, %	0.76
Cystine, %	0.27
Glycine, %	0.60
Histidine, %	0.39
Isoleucine, %	0.62
Leucine, %	1.6
Lysine, %	0.75
Methionine, %	0.48
Phenylalanine, %	0.75
Tyrosine, %	0.47
Threonine, %	0.53
Tryptophan, %	0.15
Valine, %	0.71

Fat (Acid hydrolysis), %	5.0
Linoleic acid, %	2.1
Omega-3 Fatty Acids, %	0.40
Omega-6 Fatty Acids, %	2.2

Fiber (Crude), %	5.0
Neutral Detergent Fiber, %	15
Acid Detergent Fiber, %	3.7

Metabolizable Energy²,	
kcal/kg	3,150

MINERALS

Ash, %	4.7
Calcium, %	0.90
Phosphorus, %	0.67
Phosphorus (non-phytate), %	0.45
Potassium, %	0.54
Magnesium, %	0.17
Sodium, %	0.12
Chloride, %	0.24
Iron, ppm	225
Zinc, ppm	100
Manganese, ppm	90
Copper, ppm	12
Iodine, ppm	1.3
Selenium (added), ppm	0.20

VITAMINS

Thiamin, ppm	10
Riboflavin, ppm	11
Niacin, ppm	66
Pantothenic acid, ppm	17
Choline chloride, ppm	1,330
Folic acid, ppm	3.7
Pyridoxine, ppm	9.5
Biotin, ppm	0.64
Ascorbic acid, ppm	280
Vitamin B ₁₂ , µg/kg	31
Vitamin A, IU/kg	10,900
Vitamin D ₃ (added), IU/kg	1,710
Vitamin E, IU/kg	175
Vitamin K (as menadione), ppm	2.9
Beta-carotene, ppm	9.6

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 Determined based on data gathered in domesticated poultry.

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