



Clinically proven and patented form of Vitamin C that is rapidly absorbed, plus citrus bioflavonoids for greater effectiveness

PATIENT BENEFITS

- Formulated with naturally derived lipid metabolites (fatty acids from vegetable waxes) to enhance absorption and retention
- Powerful antioxidant and free radical scavenger
- Provides immune defense
- Supports healthy vascular function
- Assists with iron absorption and red blood cell formation

UNIQUE PROPERTIES

Patient One Vitamin C supplies 1000mg of all natural C-lipid metabolites, along with 200mg of citrus bioflavonoids. As Vitamin C is a water soluble vitamin that the body does not make or store, our advanced formula uses a special delivery system that allows the vitamin C to be more rapidly absorbed and retained by the body. Ascorbic acid is combined with lipid metabolites, fat-soluble compounds that increase vitamin C's function in the body. Bioflavonoids, polyphenolic compounds found in plants such as vitamin C-rich citrus fruit, are included to complement the activities of Vitamin C.

Sufficient intake and retention is necessary to maintain vitamin C status in the body. Factors that increase the human requirement for this essential nutrient include stress, smoking, pollution, radiation and heavy metal exposure, and immune challenge. The Institute of Medicine has recommended an increase in Vitamin C requirements for smokers due to their exposure to toxins and oxidative elements in cigarette smoke.

ROLE OF VITAMIN C AND CITRUS BIOFLAVONOIDS

Vitamin C supports a diverse range of bodily functions, including immune stimulation and protection, vascular function and synthesis of collagen, carnitine, and neurotransmitters. It is used in the growth and repair of tissue throughout the body and is a powerful antioxidant that helps neutralize free radicals.

Vitamin C has been widely studied and is commonly known for its role in moderating the severity or duration of acute immune challenges. Its essential role in the formation of collagen makes it crucial in maintaining skin, gum, capillary, joint and skeletal health. Vitamin C is important in energy production, as synthesis of carnitine is dependent upon this nutrient. Because it is necessary for the conversion of dopamine to norepinephrine, Vitamin C assists in maintaining healthy mood and brain function. Vitamin C also plays a role in the deactivation of histamine.

Our formula includes citrus bioflavonoids, phytonutrients that are vital for proper absorption of Vitamin C. Studies have shown their ability to enhance and prolong the action of vitamin C.

RESEARCH

Comparative research studies in vitro and in humans demonstrate that this patented form of vitamin C is more rapidly absorbed and leads to higher plasma and cellular levels, having faster and more beneficial effects than ascorbic acid, calcium ascorbate and other ascorbate products. These benefits include better stimulation of neurite outgrowth, increased fibroblast wound healing activities, increased protection of the immune system from xenobiotic induced inflammatory mechanisms, and greater reduction of plasma levels of C-reactive protein and oxidized LDL, as well as more potent antioxidant and free radical scavenging capabilities. [Med Sci Monit 2007;13(3): BR51-58; Med Sci Monit 2007: 13(10) and additional unpublished studies]

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Supplement Facts

Serving Size: 1 Tablet

Amount Per Serving	% Daily Value*
Vitamin C [from proprietary formulation of ascorbic acid USP combined with lipid metabolites (fatty acids) from vegetable waxes]	1000 mg 1111%
Citrus Bioflavonoid Complex [50% total bioflavonoids]	200 mg †

† Daily Value not established

* Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie per day diet.

Other Ingredients: stearic acid, microcrystalline cellulose, calcium palmitate, croscarmellose sodium, silica, food glaze

Free of: milk, egg, fish, peanuts, crustacean shellfish (lobster, crab or shrimp), soybeans, tree nuts, wheat, yeast, gluten, or pork. Contains NO artificial sweeteners, flavors, colors or preservatives. This product is free of ingredients derived from genetically modified organisms (GMOs).

Suggested Use: Take 1 tablet one to two times daily, in divided doses preferably with meals, as a dietary supplement or as directed by a health professional.

Caution: If pregnant, nursing or taking any medications, consult your doctor before use. Discontinue use and consult doctor if any adverse reactions occur.

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