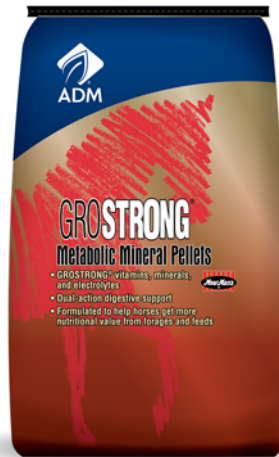


# GROSTRONG<sup>®</sup> Metabolic Mineral Pellet

A Pelleted Mineral, Vitamin, and Digestive Supplement for All Classes of Horses

Product Number: 80935AAA



GROSTRONG Metabolic Mineral Pellets are built upon the rock-solid foundation of GROSTRONG<sup>®</sup> Minerals (since 1925) with electrolytes and enhanced with direct fed microbials to boost foregut efficiency and Prospanse<sup>®</sup> brewers dried yeast, known to improve digestibility of forage components in the hindgut. The convenient pellet

form is formulated for a one pound per day feeding rate and can be fed alone or in combination with other Forage First<sup>®</sup> feeds and supplements. This proprietary formula enables horses to synergistically accelerate the digestive process in the stomach and small intestine where maximum absorption takes place. The dual-action benefits are:

- More efficient metabolism of nutrients from the entire ration – resulting in availability of more nutrients and cost savings.
- Less acidity in the hindgut with more efficient digestive activity - reducing the risk of digestive upset in the hindgut .

**An added bonus with GROSTRONG Metabolic Mineral Pellets is the corn-, alfalfa-, and molasses-free formula**, which allows “easy keepers” and starch-sensitive horses to receive needed nutrients without the extra calories and starch commonly found in traditional horse feeds. And, one pound of GROSTRONG Metabolic Mineral Pellets provides half the daily vitamin E required from natural-sources, the most bio-available form available.

## Product Description

GROSTRONG Metabolic Mineral Pellets are available in salty, apple-flavored pellets packaged in 40-lb bags.

### Features

### Benefits

Select ingredients, consistent formulation

Ensures product consistency and dependable nutrient sources.

Nutritionally balanced

Compatible with all balanced feeding programs.

Low starch (no molasses, corn, or alfalfa) formulation

Enables horses sensitive to starch to receive needed metabolic nutrients. The use of digestible fiber sources results in a lower starch content, which research shows helps decrease the risk of digestive disorders.

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Contains GROSTRONG® Minerals	Provides 28 major minerals, trace minerals, vitamins, and electrolytes (includes salt) in correct amounts and ratios to ensure horses receive needed nutrients.
Complexed organic trace minerals	Complexed mineral sources are more readily available for absorption compared with inorganic sources, which could be crucial to health challenged horses and may also provide health benefits such as skeletal growth, and hoof integrity.
Added Biotin	Support hoof integrity and hair health.
Provides direct fed microbials	Enables more efficient metabolism of nutrients from the foregut, resulting in better nutrient utilization of the entire ration.
Provides Prospanse® yeast	Studies have shown yeast enhances feed palatability, digestibility, and hindgut fermentation.
Portion of vitamin E is natural-source	Protects body tissues from oxidative damages. In this way, vitamin E is vital for protection during health challenges, and may be especially important for working horses as they are more prone to exercise-induced muscle damage. Research shows that natural-source vitamin E is more bio-available than synthetic vitamin E.
Apple flavored and pellet form	Readily accepted by horses; easy to feed and reduces waste.

## Recommended Consumption

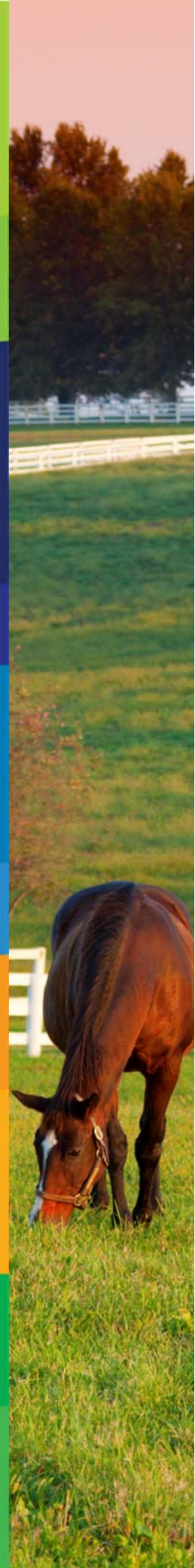
- 1 to 2 lb per 1,000 lb horse (see Feeding Directions).

## Product Form/Packaging

Pellet form in 40-lb bags (80935AAA25).

## Guaranteed Analysis

Crude Protein, Min .....	10.00 %	Zinc (Zn), Min .....	1000 ppm
Crude Fat, Min. ....	2.00 %	Vitamin A, Min.....	38,000 IU/lb
Crude Fiber, Max. ....	22.00 %	Vitamin D3, Min.....	3,400 IU/lb
Acid Detergent Fiber, Max. ....	28.00 %	Vitamin E, Min .....	650 IU/lb
Neutral Detergent Fiber, Max.....	40.00 %	Biotin, Min .....	6 mg/lb
Dietary Starch, Max.....	12.00 %	Lactobacillus acidophilus, Min .....	12,000,000 CFU/lb
Sugar, Max .....	3.70 %	Lactobacillus casei, Min .....	12,000,000 CFU/lb
Calcium (Ca), Min .....	2.50 %	Bifidobacterium thermophilum, Min ...	12,000,000 CFU/lb
Calcium (Ca), Max. ....	3.50 %	Enterococcus faecium, Min .....	12,000,000 CFU/lb
Phosphorus (P), Min.....	1.40 %	Contains a source of live (viable) naturally occurring microorganisms	
Copper (Cu), Min .....	300 ppm		
Selenium (Se), Min.....	3.00 ppm		
Selenium (Se), Max. ....	4.00 ppm		





## Ingredients

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Wheat Middlings, Soybean Hulls, Salt, Monocalcium Phosphate, Calcium Carbonate, Magnesium Oxide, Brewers Dried Yeast (*Saccharomyces Cerevisiae*), Manganous Oxide, Zinc Oxide, Copper Sulfate, Defluorinated Phosphate, Ferrous Sulfate, Potassium Iodide, Cobalt Carbonate, L-Threonine, Methionine, Biotin, Vitamin A Supplement, Thiamine Mononitrate, Vitamin E Supplement, Riboflavin Supplement, d-alpha Tocopheryl Acetate, Calcium Pantothenate, Niacin Supplement, Vitamin D3 Supplement, Vitamin B12 Supplement, Dried Whey, Sodium Selenite, Vegetable Oil, Sodium Propionate (A Preservative), Zinc Amino Acid Complex, Manganese Amino Acid Complex, Copper Amino Acid Complex, Cobalt Glucoheptonate,, Dried Lactobacillus acidophilus Fermentation Product, Dried Lactobacillus casei Fermentation Product, Dried Bifidobacterium thermophilum Fermentation Product, Dried Enterococcus faecium Fermentation Product, Extracted Citric Acid Presscake, Natural and Artificial Flavors.

## Feeding Directions

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Feed GROSTRONG® Metabolic Mineral Pellets at the rate of 0.1% to 0.2% of body weight (1 to 2 lb per 1,000 lb) horse along with 2.5 to 3.5% of body weight of good-quality hay (25 to 35 lb for a 1,000 lb horse) or pasture equivalent. Provide clean, fresh water at all times.

Feeding options include:

- 1) Feed alone with forage to overweight, starch-sensitive, and easy keeper horses.
- 2) Feed in combination with HEALTHY GLO® or MOORGLO® and good-quality forage to horses doing light to moderate work, or if additional calories are need to maintain body condition.
- 3) When feeding less than recommended amounts of JUNIORGLO®, PRIMEGLO®, POWERGLO®, SENIORGLO®, GROSTRONG *Ultra-Fiber*™, or Patriot Performance Horse Feeds, add GROSTRONG Metabolic Mineral Pellets for additional metabolic (vitamin/mineral, electrolyte, and digestive) support for maximum performance of any horse.

Consult with a veterinarian or ADM Nutritionist for a recommended diet. For more information, visit [www.ADMequine.com](http://www.ADMequine.com).

**WARNING:** This feed contains copper. Do not feed to sheep or other copper sensitive species. Follow label directions. Feeding added selenium at levels in excess of 0.3 ppm in the total diet is prohibited.

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