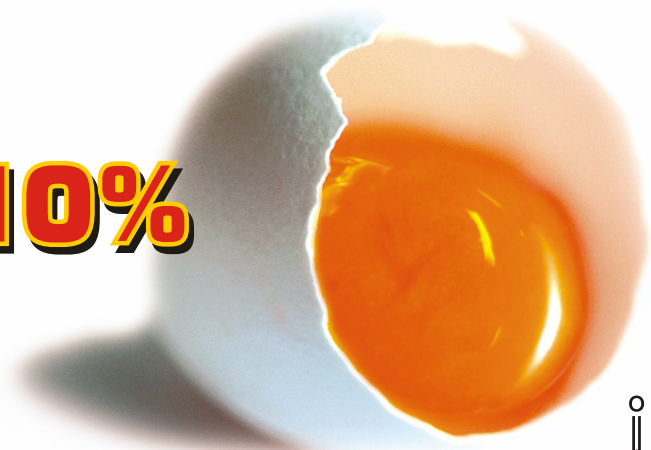


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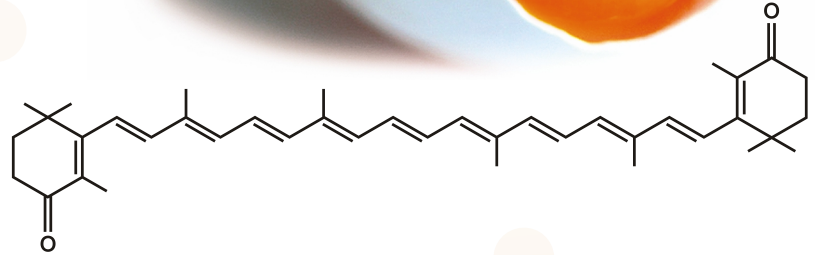
Data Sheet

Canthaplus®10%



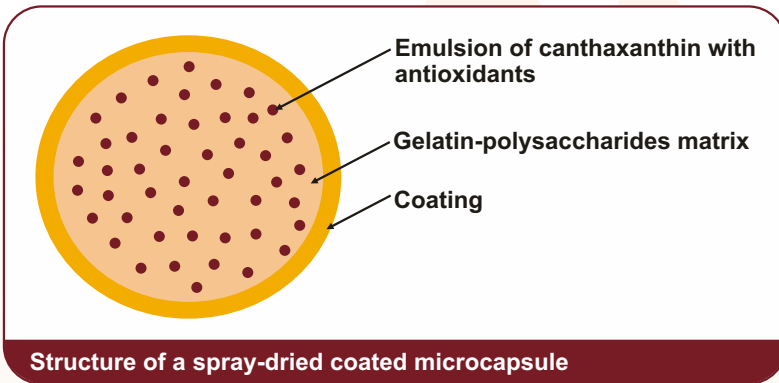
Product identification

Product code: 10101
 Chemical name: 4,4'-dioxo-β-carotene
 Synonyms: canthaxanthin, all-*trans*-canthaxanthin
 CAS number: 514-78-3
 EINECS: 208-187-2
 Molecular formula: C₄₀H₅₂O₂
 Molecular weight: 564.8



Description

Canthaplus®10% consists of reddish brown, free-flowing beadlets. Each individual beadlet contains canthaxanthin dispersed finely in polysaccharides-porcine gelatin protective matrix. Ethoxyquin and ascorbyl palmitate are added as antioxidants.



The product is manufactured by the spray-dried coating technology and the use of antioxidants protects the conjugated double bond structure of the canthaxanthin molecule from the very sensitive oxidative decomposition when exposed to air, heat and humidity. The protective matrix provides full protection against physical constrains occurring with high-speed mixer or during pelleting or extruding of feed.

Main benefits of the stabilized matrix during feed production

The new active matrix confers unique physical properties to carotenoids with the following advantages during the feed manufacturing process:

1. Handling of a free-flowing, fine micro-granular and dust free powder form.
2. Mixing of a matrix with stronger hardness which is less subject to abrasive mechanical forces that is responsible for the loss of active substances.
3. During conditioning and pelleting, the matrix is less subject to shear forces and injection of steam during pelleting or extruding processes.
4. Distribution of a homogeneous fine granular powder for even product potency in the feed.
5. Stability of the carotenoids with improved integrity characteristics for a sustained release and absorption in the digestive tract.

Specifications

Content	min. 10% canthaxanthin
Physical and chemical properties	
Appearance	reddish brown, free-flowing particles
Particle size (US standard sieve)	100% through no. 20 (Ø 0.85 mm) min. 95% through no. 30 (Ø 0.60 mm) max. 15% through no. 120 (Ø 0.13 mm)
Loss on drying	max. 8%

Uses

As a colourant used in feedingstuffs for salmonid fish, laying hens and other poultry.

Dosage

Salmon and trout

Maximum 250 grams Canthaplus®10% per tonne of feed.

Poultry

Maximum 250 grams Canthaplus®10% per tonne of feed.

Laying hens

The required dosage of Canthaplus®10% and ApoEplus®10% for layer feeds should be adjusted in according to the natural yellow xanthophylls content in feedstuffs and the desired colouration effect.

Natural yellow xanthophylls from feedstuffs (ppm)	Recommendation of Canthaplus®10% and ApoEplus®10% (grams per tonne of feed) for a desired value of the colour scale of:									
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
0 - 2	■ -- ● 20	■ -- ● 25	■ 5 ● 25	■ 10 ● 25	■ 15 ● 25	■ 25 ● 30	■ 35 ● 30	■ 50 ● 30	■ 60 ● 35	■ 70 ● 35
2 - 4	■ -- ● 15	■ -- ● 20	■ 5 ● 20	■ 10 ● 20	■ 15 ● 20	■ 25 ● 20	■ 35 ● 25	■ 50 ● 25	■ 60 ● 30	■ 70 ● 30
4 - 6	■ -- ● 10	■ -- ● 15	■ 5 ● 15	■ 10 ● 15	■ 15 ● 20	■ 25 ● 20	■ 35 ● 20	■ 50 ● 20	■ 60 ● 25	■ 70 ● 30
6 - 8	■ -- ● 5	■ -- ● 10	■ 5 ● 10	■ 10 ● 10	■ 15 ● 15	■ 25 ● 15	■ 35 ● 15	■ 50 ● 20	■ 60 ● 20	■ 70 ● 25
8 - 10	--	--	■ 5 ● --	■ 10 ● --	■ 15 ● --	■ 25 ● --	■ 35 ● --	■ 50 ● 10	■ 60 ● 15	■ 70 ● 15
10 - 12	--	--	■ 5 ● --	■ 10 ● --	■ 15 ● --	■ 25 ● --	■ 35 ● --	■ 50 ● --	■ 60 ● 10	■ 70 ● 10
12 - 16	--	--	--	■ 5	■ 15	■ 25	■ 35	■ 50	■ 60	■ 70
16 +	--	--	--	■ 5	■ 10	■ 25	■ 35	■ 50	■ 60	■ 70

■ supplement of Canthaplus®10% (grams per tonne of feed)

● supplement of ApoEplus®10% (grams per tonne of feed)

Stability and storage

The product is sensitive to air, heat, humidity and light. The product may be stored for 24 months from the date of manufacture in the unopened original packaging and stored in cool, dry place. Keep the packaging tightly closed. Once opened, use the contents quickly.

Packing

2 x 5 kg aluminium foil bag in paper box

20 kg aluminium foil bag in paper box

Safety

The product is safe for the intended purpose. Avoid ingestion, inhalation of dust or direct contact. Operators should use protective clothing, gloves, goggles and approved mask. For full safety information, please refer to the safety data sheet.

The information of this data sheet is based on our current knowledge and experience. The product is not to be used for any purposes other than those specified in this publication. It is always the responsibility of the user to take all necessary measures to comply with the local regulations. It does not relieve the users from carrying out their own studies and tests. The information describes the properties of the product only, it is not a guarantee of the product's properties.

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