## Arthri Ease-GOLD®

#### **Powders, Soft Chews, and Tablets**



Formulated to provide support for pets in need of advanced joint care. Great for senior pets, and those recovering from joint related injuries or surgery; or when the most support is needed.

- + Increases activity\*\*
- + Clinically Tested!
- + Specifically formulated to support healthy hip & joint function
- + Assists in maintaining joint flexibility
- + Helps alleviate aches & discomfort associated with daily exercise
- + Helps support structural joint integrity and connective tissues
- \* Callender, K., Eli Data Consulting, LLC (2014)
  Efficacy and Safety of an Oral Nutraceutical in Dogs with Osteoarthritis: A Double Blind Placebo
  Controlled Study (Pace 2 and 3).
- \*\* In a 70 dog study, dogs on ArthriEase-GOLD had 2.6 greater odds of showing an increase in activity after 25 days of treatment, compared to dogs on a placebo.\* Results may vary.





### **Garmon Corp.**

- + Products manufactured in Temecula, CA, USA 📚
- + Federal Drug Administration (FDA) Audited FDA
- + National Animal Supplement Council (NASC) Audited
- + Third Party Audited By U.L. Labs (1)



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## **VET**CLASSICS<sub>®</sub>

## Arthri Ease-GOLD®

Hip & Joint Support





# The Efficacy and Safety of an Oral Nutraceutical on Dogs with Osteoarthritis: A Double-Blind Placebo-Controlled Study conducted at the University of Minnesota

#### **Objective:**

To assess the safety and efficacy of an oral supplement for the treatment of pain and decreased mobility in dogs with osteoarthritis in one or more joints.

#### **Methods:**

This was a randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled *in vivo* clinical trial that was conducted on 70 otherwise healthy dogs with clinical osteoarthritic symptoms at the University of Minnesota, St. Paul, MN. The environment was positive controlled, simulating realistic use of the supplement.

#### **Study Measurements:**

After enrollment, each dog was fitted with an accelerometer collar which monitored activity level, giving real-time, total activity, and intensity level updates every 60-seconds for the duration of the 49 day study period. The accelerometers used were previously validated for the use of monitoring activity in dogs with arthritis.



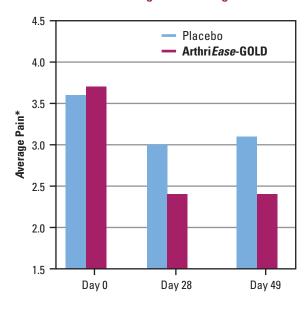
In addition, owners completed a validated osteoarthritis questionnaire (*Canine Brief Pain Inventory*) before enrollment and at each re-examination where they reported the pain of their dogs on a scale from 0 to 10, with 10 indicating most severe pain and 0 indicating no pain at all. Owners separately reported the worst pain, least pain, average pain, and current pain of their dogs at four different time points (see graph on opposite page). After 7 days of monitoring normal patient activity each patient was randomized to the treatment or placebo group. Patient exams and owner questionnaires were completed on day 0, 7, 28, and 49 of the study.

#### **Results:**

Dogs were evaluated as individuals for the analysis of the data. Activity for the first seven days was averaged to establish a baseline for each individual dog's level of activity. It was observed that dogs in the treatment group had significantly more activity during the study period compared to the placebo group.\*

- Dogs on ArthriEase-GOLD had 2.6 greater odds of showing an increase in activity after 25 days of treatment, compared to dogs on a placebo\* Results may vary.
- 2. Dogs on ArthriEase-GOLD showed a trending decrease in owner-reported average pain compared to dogs on the placebo 28 days following the baseline period.\* Similar patterns were found for owner-reported current level of their dog's pain, lowest level of their dog's pain, and worst level of their dog's pain.\* On day 49, the average pain for the dogs on ArthriEase-GOLD was over 30% less compared to the dogs on the placebo.\*
- There were no adverse events or product related safety concerns during the 70 dog study. Over one million doses have been administered since 1994 with no significant adverse events related to this product.

#### Clinical Study Pain Measurement Average Pain of Dogs\*



Clinically Tested Arthri*Ease*-GOLD was formulated by veterinarian Dr. Pedro Rivera, founder of the Oasis Wellness Center in Wisconsin. Arthri*Ease*-GOLD contains the highest quality active ingredients to help maintain joint flexibility which may help to alleviate aches and discomfort associated with daily exercise or activity.

What Sets Us Apart	Arthri <i>Ease</i> -GOLD°
Supported by Clinical Testing that showed an increase in activity after 25 days of treatment.*	+
We are the only company that has completed a randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled <i>in vivo</i> clinical study on 70 dogs.	+
The Clinical trial demonstrated 2,520,000 objective results in the first 25 days! Results based on statistical measurements with the accelerometer collar.	+
Trusted Joint Supplement since 1994.	+
Manufactured in a cGMP audited facility.	+
Contains Glucosamine, Chondroitin, MSM, Green-Lipped Mussel, <i>Boswellia serrata, Yucca schidigera</i> , Hyaluronic Acid, and antioxidants.	+
Finished product tested by independent labs to ensure label claims are met.	+
Science based formula.	+
Supported by science, our product is safe and effective!	+
Over one million doses have been administered since 1994 with no significant adverse events related to this product.	+

# Arthri Ease-GOLD® Superior Ingredients=Superior Product

Glucosamine HCI	500 mg	Helps support the structural integrity of joints, connective tissue and cartilage.	
Methylsulfonylmethane (MSM)	500 mg	MSM is the richest source of organic sulfur which is critical in the formation of collagen and glucosamine.	
Chondroitin Sulfate	200 mg	A structural component of cartilage and may help alleviate aches and discomfort.	
Green-Lipped Mussel	200 mg	A natural source of glucosamine and chondroitin sulfate, rich in Omega-3 fatty acids, and contains a variety of vitamins, minerals, amino acids, antioxidants, enzymes, and more, to help support joint health.	
Boswellia serrata	90 mg	Boswellia serrata combined with Yucca schidigera helps alleviate aches and	
Yucca schidigera	90 mg	discomfort associated with daily exercise.	
Calcium Ascorbate (Vitamin C)	60 mg	A combination of Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin C) and Calcium helps promote healthy digestion and helps support the immune system.	
Zinc Sulfate	7 mg	Helps support healthy tissue development and collagen formation.	
Hyaluronic Acid	5 mg	The primary component of synovial fluid that lubricates the joints to help maintain joint flexibility.	
Vitamin E	60 IU	An antioxidant that helps support the immune system and helps fight damaging free radicals.	
alpha-Amylase	290 SKBU	A protein enzyme that helps breakdown starch to maltose and helps support proper digestion.	
Lipase	27 LU	An enzyme that helps the breakdown of fats to fatty acids and helps support proper digestion.	
Cellulase	10 CMCU	A digestive enzyme that helps break down cellulose into glucose promoting a healthy digestive tract.	
Protease	2763 PU	An enzyme that helps break down proteins and peptides which is essential to a healthy digestive system.	
Probiotic ( <i>Bacillus coagulans</i> )	13 Million CFU	A form of beneficial bacteria that supports digestive health and promotes healthy gut flora.	



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