

Calcium Grit

DESCRIPTION

This product is a complementary food for small granivorous passerine birds (canaries, wild European and exotic finches, etc.).

It is a calcium source highly concentrated and of slow release.

It is indicated to correct calcium deficiencies typical of seed mixtures and cover the higher demand of calcium that takes place during egg laying and growth periods. Birds are able to regulate the intake of calcium rich foods according to their needs.

Calcium Grit should not be confused with flint sand (like Silex Grit). The latter has a mechanical function at the gizzard which guarantees the correct functioning of the digestive system, but does not act as a calcium source.

FEEDING RECOMMENDATIONS

Calcium Grit should be freely available for birds in a separate feeder, allowing birds to ingest calcium voluntarily according to their specific needs at a given time.

Since grit is not a labile food, it can remain in the feeder for weeks without spoiling as long as the feeder is appropriate and it keeps it dry and clean.

It is recommended that birds have also Silex Grit available at all times, since Calcium Grit does not adequately cover the mechanical function in the gizzard.

DAILY INTAKE

Voluntary intake depends on calcium content of the diet consumed. Diets based on seed mixtures will require a regular consumption of Calcium Grit. However, diets based on Serinus complete foods will require an occasional consumption. Either way, its consumption will increase notably during egg laying.

As a guideline, Calcium Grit consumption may vary between 0 and a maximum of 2 % of the diet in specific moments.

NUTRITIONAL SPECIFICATIONS

COMPOSITION:

Oyster shell, calcium carbonate.

ANALYTICAL CONSTITUENTS:

Moisture 2.0 % - Crude Protein 0.0 % - Crude Oils and Fats 0.0 % - Crude Fibre 0.0 % - Ash 95.5 % - Calcium 45.6 %.

PACKAGING

1 kg bag.



1 Kg

