

# Saccharomyces Boulardii Powder and Capsules

A powerful yeast probiotic

# **Introduction**

Saccharomyces boulardii is a nonpathogenic, transient yeast. Since its discovery in 1920, clinicians worldwide have used S. boulardii to support normal bowel transit time, promote healthy immune and inflammatory processes in the digestive tract, and bolster gastrointestinal microbiota diversity, particularly in conjunction with antibiotic therapy. S. boulardii is also commonly used to safely and effectively displace undesirable yeast species.†

#### **Product features**

- Clean, hypoallergenic formulations
- 3 billion CFU in a cellulose base. Capsules suitable for FODMAP and vegetarian/vegan diets
- Pure S. boulardii powder with multi-dose (9-45 billion CFU) measuring scoop for titration protocol accuracy
- Heat-stable formula maintains potency when refrigeration is not possible

#### **Mechanisms of action**

- Promotes intestinal brush border membrane enzyme activity<sup>†</sup>
- Augments intestinal D-glucose and sodium absorption for improved hydration during occasional diarrhea<sup>†</sup>
- Interferes with cellular signaling pathways via toxin inhibition/cleavage and stimulates endogenous IgA to promote a healthy inflammatory response<sup>†</sup>
- Inhibits non-beneficial bacteria from binding to the digestive tract<sup>†</sup>
- Decreases pseudohyphae to diminish undesirable yeast adhesion and biofilm formation<sup>†</sup>

# Research

S. boulardii has a long track record of demonstrated efficacy in both animal experiments and human clinical trials to support gastrointestinal health.† As recently as 2016, the European Society for Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology, and Nutrition based their recommendation for use of S. boulardii on its quality of evidence.1

In 2014, a pooled data review of 22 qualifying studies concluded that S. boulardii is a safe and effective approach to reducing the frequency and duration of occasional diarrhea.<sup>12</sup> A more recent 2016 review suggests S. boulardii may promote these positive outcomes by acting directly on non-beneficial species or their toxins and by supporting host immune signaling cascades and innate and adaptive immune system responses.<sup>†3</sup>

In an additional 2015 meta-analysis of 11 randomized, controlled trials involving 2,200 subjects (including 330 children), administration of S. boulardii during triple therapy for a non-beneficial bacterium resulted in significantly improved outcomes and decreased adverse effects compared to controls.4

Use of S. boulardii to effectively compete with undesirable yeast species is also a common practice, based on its ability to inhibit adhesion and influence inflammatory response as demonstrated in in vitro studies by Murzyn and colleagues.<sup>5</sup>

In addition to promoting beneficial bacteria and yeast in the digestive tract, S. boulardii supplementation also has pronounced effects on digestive enzymes of the brush border membrane and has been demonstrated to enhance nutrient acquisition for the host.<sup>6</sup>

#### Conclusion

S. boulardii is a safe and effective tool to support gastrointestinal health and a balanced microbiota. Klaire Labs offer practitioners a variety of clean formulations, well-adapted to any desired protocol.

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#### **Formula**

#### Powder

**SUGGESTED USE:** Small Scoop:  $1 \operatorname{scoop}(1 \operatorname{mL}) 1-4 \operatorname{times}$  daily with water, juice, food, or as directed by a healthcare professional. Large Scoop:  $1 \operatorname{scoop}(5 \operatorname{mL}) 1 \operatorname{time}$  daily with water, juice, food, or as directed by a healthcare professional.

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Other ingredients: None

SBP-180 300 small scoops / 60 large scoops

# **How supplied**

300 small scoops or 60 large scoops per container.

# **Storage**

Store in a cool, dry place (59°F to 85°F) away from direct light. Keep out of reach of children.

# **Formula**

#### Capsule

**SUGGESTED USE:** 1 capsule twice daily with meals or as directed by a healthcare professional.

Supplement Facts		
Serving Size 1 Capsule		
Amount Per Capsule		% Daily Value
Probiotic Blend in a base of cellulose	320 mg	*
Saccharomyces boulardii	3 billion CFU	*
*Daily Value not established.		



 $Other ingredients: Vegetarian\ capsule\ (hydroxypropyl\ methylcellulose, water)\ and\ L-leucine.$ 

V776-06 60 vegetarian capsules

V776-12 120 vegetarian capsules

## **How supplied**

60 or 120 vegetarian capsules per bottle.

#### **Storage**

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