



## Primate LS Biscuit - Small

Mazuri® Primate LS Biscuit – Small (previously Primate L/S Biscuit – Banana) is formulated to provide a reduced-starch, high-fiber portion of a primate's complete diet. The banana-flavored biscuits are the smaller of the two Mazuri® Primate LS Biscuit offerings and are highly fortified to meet the needs of a variety of primates under managed care. The banana flavor has been tested for palatability in a wide range of primates.

### Features and Benefits

- **Less than 8% starch** – Lower starch more closely mimics the composition of wild food items.
- **Designed to be fed with supplementation** – Allows for natural feeding behaviors by the addition of species-appropriate food items.
- **Meets NRC recommendations for all nutrients** – Except protein, sodium, and chloride when fed at 50% of the diet.
- **High fiber** – Contains multiple sources of soluble and insoluble fiber.
- **Contains *Lactobacillus* cultures** – May promote GI tract health.
- **Fortified with additional B vitamins** – May benefit geriatric primates.
- **Vitamin E and vitamin C** – More bioavailable sources of these nutrients.
- **Contains flaxseed** – Source of Omega-3 fatty acids.
- **Contains beta-carotene and taurine.**

### Product Form & Packaging

Catalog #0043252 | Extruded Particle | 3/8" x 1 1/2" | 25 lb. (11.33 kg) net weight paper sack

### Guaranteed Analysis

Crude protein not less than.....	21.00%	Moisture not more than.....	12.00%
Crude fat not less than .....	5.00%	Ash not more than .....	8.00%
Crude fiber not more than .....	20.00%		

### Ingredients

Ground Soybean Hulls, Dehulled Soybean Meal, Corn Protein Meal, Dried Apple Pomace, Dried Plain Beet Pulp, Oat Hulls, Cane Molasses, Ground Flaxseed, Carrageenan, Ground Whole Aspen, Rice Flour, Soybean Oil, Wheat Germ, Dicalcium Phosphate, Soy Protein Concentrate, Sucrose, Fructose, Artificial Flavor, Potassium Chloride, Brewers Dried Yeast, Pyridoxine Hydrochloride, Salt, Taurine, L-Ascorbyl-2-Polyphosphate (Vitamin C), Choline Chloride, Calcium Carbonate, Dried *Lactobacillus acidophilus* Fermentation Product, Calcium Pantothenate, d-Alpha Tocopheryl Acetate (Vitamin E), Dried *Lactobacillus casei* Fermentation Product, DL-Methionine, Folic Acid, Zinc Proteinate, Dried *Bifidobacterium thermophilum* Fermentation Product, Cholecalciferol (Vitamin D3), Dried *Enterococcus faecium* Fermentation Product, Manganese Proteinate, Vitamin A Acetate, Copper Proteinate, Menadione Sodium Bisulfite Complex (Vitamin K), Nicotinic Acid, Riboflavin-5-Phosphate, Thiamine Mononitrate, Preserved with Mixed Tocopherols, Vitamin B12 Supplement, Citric Acid (a Preservative), Beta Carotene, Cobalt Proteinate, Ethylenediamine Dihydroiodide, Copper Sulfate, Rosemary Extract, Sodium Selenite, Biotin.

### Feeding Directions

- Mazuri® Primate Diets are designed to be an essential part of a total primate feeding system and may be used in conjunction with all other Mazuri® primate products.
- Primates generally consume 2% to 4% of their body weight in food each day on a dry matter basis (i.e., a 50 lb. animal will eat 1 to 2 kg of food per day, on a dry matter basis).
  - Mazuri® primate diets can be supplemented with fresh vegetables and fruit if this is desired to provide variety in the diet, as long as the dry matter of these items does not exceed 50% of the dry matter consumption. Using typical produce and non-toxic browse, a feeding program on an "as fed" basis might consist of 60% produce/browse and 40% Mazuri® primate products (i.e., a diet may be 6 lb. of produce/browse plus 4 lb. of one or a mix of Mazuri® primate products).
- Primates require ascorbic acid (vitamin C) in their daily diet. Mazuri® Primate Diets contain a stabilized form of vitamin C that is stable under appropriate storage conditions for at least 1 year from the date of manufacturing printed on the bag.
- Larger-sized Mazuri® Primate LS Biscuit – Large also available.
- Always provide plenty of fresh, clean water. Thoroughly wash feed and water bowls on a regular basis. It is always good practice to wash hands thoroughly after feeding and/or handling animals.
- This diet is not for human consumption.

### Storage Conditions

For best results, reseal the bag between uses or store contents of open paper sack in container with sealing lid. Store in a cool (75°F/24°C or colder), dry (approximately 50% RH) location free from rodents and insects. Do not offer moldy or insect-infested feed to animals as it may result in illness, performance loss or death. Freezing will not harm the diet and may extend freshness. Use within 1 year of bag manufacturing or "Best if Used By" date.