

## Purina<sup>®</sup> UltraCare<sup>®</sup> Starter Mix

## A premix to manufacture diets for the mid-to-late nursery phases.

Purina® UltraCare® starter mix is a cost-effective premix that gives you the convenience and flexibility to manufacture complete Purina® UltraCare® starter feeds for pigs between 31 and 55 pounds.

Life Stage	Feed Type	Feed Format	Packaging
Starter	Premix	Meal	Bulk, bag*

<sup>\*</sup>may vary by location

Great starts depend on early and consistent feed intake. Use Purina® UltraCare® starter mix to create high-quality post-weaning diets without having to inventory multiple high-cost ingredients.

This supplement has a 100-pound inclusion rate and delivers the following ingredients to support pigs during weaning:

- ✓ Intake-enhancing technology to increase palatability and help create robust eaters
- Gut-optimizing technology
   to support gut health and digestive efficiency
- ✓ Yucca shidigera

  to support intestinal wellness and reduce
  ammonia levels in the barn environment
- Yeast probiotic
  to support immune system development
  and a balanced microbiome

Purina® UltraCare® starter mix is formulated to support optimal growth, providing pigs with the nutrients needed in the mid-to-late nursery phase.



Consistent feed intake supports immune system development during the weaning transition period, a time when pigs are exposed to multiple stressors and are particularly vulnerable to disease. A healthy, well-developed gut functions as a barrier to disease in the nursery and in subsequent production phases.



Robust feed intake is crucial to optimal growth post-weaning. End-of-nursery weights are a strong predictor of finishing weights. Research at the Purina Animal Nutrition Center indicates that every 1-pound difference at day 32 post-weaning correlates to a nearly 2.1-pound heavier pig at finishing.<sup>1</sup>

## Talk to your local Purina representative or visit purinamills.com/swine.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Summation of Purina Animal Nutrition trials: PS1041, PS1035, WF006, WF007, FT142N-15 and PMI Nursery-Grower Transition Pak research).