

PURINA ONE – LARGE BREED PUPPY FEEDING GUIDELINES

PUPPY FEEDING INSTRUCTIONS

Start puppies on moistened Purina ONE as early as they will nibble at solid foods, generally 3 - 4 weeks of age. Allow your puppy to eat at will until fully weaned (6 - 8 weeks). After weaning, feed pups (to six months of age) all of the moistened or dry Purina ONE they will consume at intervals throughout the day. If water is added, use no more than one part warm (not hot) liquid to four parts Purina ONE, changing frequently to ensure freshness. If fed dry, this formula may be kept before pups at all times. For best results, develop a regular feeding schedule, such as three small meals a day for younger puppies. Gradually reduce to one feeding in the morning and one in the evening as your puppy ages. The routine should not vary.

Weight of Your Puppy When Fully Grown	Weaning to 3 months	4 to 5 months	6 to 9 months	10 to 11 months	1 to 2 years
51–75 lbs	3/4 to 2-1/3 cups	2 to 3-3/4 cups	1-3/4 to 3-3/4 cups	3-1/4 to 4-2/3 cups	3-1/2 to 6 cups
76–100 lbs.	1 to 3-1/2 cups	3 to 5-3/4 cups	4-1/4 to 6-1/2 cups	9 to 11 cups	7-1/2 to 10-2/3 cups
100–130 lbs.	3-1/2 to 4-3/4 cups	5-3/4 to 7 cups	6-2/3 to 7-3/4 cups	11 to 12-1/3 cups	10-2/3 to 12 cups
Over 130 lbs.	4-3/4 cups plus 1/3 cup for each 10 lbs of body weight over 130 lbs	7 cups plus 1/3 for each 10 lbs of body weight over 130 lbs	7-3/4 cups plus 1/3 cup for each 10 lbs of body weight over 130 lbs	12-1/3 cups plus 1/3 cup for each 10 lbs of body weight over 130 lbs	12 cups plus 1/3 cup for each 10 lbs of body weight over 130 lbs

THE IMPORTANCE OF IDEAL BODY CONDITION

Nestle Purina Research indicates that avoiding overfeeding of puppies may help their development. Maintaining ideal body condition is key to encouraging proper growth in all puppies, especially large breeds. The indicated amounts are only a guideline. If your puppy becomes overweight, a reduction of his daily food intake may be appropriate. You may wish to consult your veterinarian about a weight control program.

RECOMMENDED FOR GROWTH

This product is for growth of large breed puppies and maintenance of adult dogs - not for reproducing or lactating females. If you have a pregnant or nursing female, we recommend Purina ONE SMARTblend Healthy Puppy Formula.

FRESH WATER, PROPER DIET & VETERINARY CARE

Be sure to provide fresh water in a clean container for your puppy daily. Proper diet, exercise and veterinary care are the best ways to keep your puppy healthy. If your puppy hasn't had a check-up in the past year, please make an appointment today.