

# Macular Support Formula<sup>†</sup>

Supports macular health<sup>†</sup>

## INDICATIONS

- Ages 18 and up
- Macula health and protection support<sup>†</sup>

## BENEFITS

- Supports macula health and protection<sup>†</sup>
- Helps maintain the health of the optical lens<sup>†</sup>
- Promotes the integrity and density of the macular pigment<sup>†</sup>
- May help moderate visual fatigue and improve light to dark adjustments<sup>†</sup>

## FEATURES

- Offers botanicals and antioxidants in standardized amounts
- Made with high-quality vegetarian ingredients backed by verifiable science

## VERIFIABLE SCIENCE

Macular Support Formula<sup>†</sup> is a combination of antioxidants and botanicals designed to protect and support the macula, the central area of the retina responsible for sharp vision. Since the macula is extremely susceptible to free radical damage, research emphasizes the importance of antioxidant supplementation in maintaining and improving macular health. N-acetyl-L-cysteine (NAC), a glutathione precursor, has been shown to protect against oxidative damage to the lens and to support healthy glutathione levels.<sup>1</sup> Glutathione is one of the natural antioxidants found in retinal tissues.<sup>2</sup> Bilberry, a rich source of flavonoids known as anthocyanidins, may help moderate visual fatigue and improve light to dark adjustments.<sup>3</sup> Grape seed extract provides polyphenols that also provide antioxidant support for the retina.<sup>4</sup> This formula is also enhanced with lutein and zeaxanthin, the only two carotenoids found in macular pigment. Lutein and zeaxanthin promote the integrity and density of the macular pigment, as well as help maintain the health of the optical lens.<sup>5</sup> These carotenoids and vitamin C provide antioxidant support for macular protection and ocular health.<sup>6†</sup>

## SUGGESTED USE

As a dietary supplement, take 2 capsules daily, with a meal.

## STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry place.

## WARNING

If you are pregnant or lactating, have any health condition or are taking any medication, consult your health professional before use.

## SOURCE

- Bilberry extract is derived from *Vaccinium myrtillus* fruit and standardized to contain 25% anthocyanosides (anthocyanidin glycosides)
- Grape seed extract is derived from *Vitis vinifera* and standardized to 92% polyphenols
- Lutein (FloraGLO®) is derived from marigold flower extract
- Beta carotene is derived from *Blakeslea trispora*
- Lycopene is derived from natural tomato concentrate
- Zeaxanthin is synthetic
- Reduced glutathione (free-form) is produced via glucose fermentation
- N-Acetyl-L-cysteine is derived from duck feather
- Vitamin C is derived from corn dextrose fermentation
- Ascorbyl palmitate is derived from corn dextrose fermentation and palm oil
- Each serving typically provides 15,000 mcg beta-carotene, 425 mcg lycopene, 850 mcg lutein and 170 mcg zeaxanthin

## NOTES

Size 00 caps

Bottle count 60, 120

Order codes MS26, MS21

Bottle size 190 cc, 290 cc

## REFERENCES

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## SUPPLEMENT FACTS

**2 capsules daily, with a meal.**

**Two (size 00) vegetarian capsules contain:**

Vitamin A (as beta carotene)	7,500 mcg
Vitamin C (as ascorbic acid)	800 mg
N-Acetyl-L-cysteine (free-form)	250 mg
Setria <sup>®</sup> glutathione (reduced)	50 mg
Bilberry ( <i>Vaccinium myrtillus</i> ) extract (fruit) (standardized to contain 25% anthocyanosides)	80 mg
Grape ( <i>Vitis vinifera</i> ) extract (seed) (standardized to contain 92% polyphenols)	50 mg
FloraGLO <sup>®</sup> lutein	10 mg
Zeaxanthin	2 mg
Proprietary mixed carotenoid blend (as lutein, lycopene, zeaxanthin)	1,445 mcg

Other ingredients: vegetarian capsule (cellulose, water), ascorbyl palmitate

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Macular Support Formula <sup>†</sup>	Quantity	Order Code
	120	MS21
	60	MS26

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