

## TRUSTED - STABLE - ACCURATE

ACCELERATE THE PUMP WITH HYDROMAX, THE INDUSTRY'S FIRST STABLE, HIGHLY CONCENTRATED FORM OF POWDERED GLYCEROL.





### **The Pioneer**

HydroMax is the pioneer of high-yield glycerol powder and has been available to the market since 2015.

#### **Established**

HydroMax has a well established relationship with Global brands.

- 100+ products launched
- 21+ countries

#### **Studied**

HydroMax is the only high-yield branded glycerol powder with a pilot human study indicating a positive efficacy during exercise.\*

### **Experience**

Glanbia has extensive experience collaborating with leading Sports Nutrition brands and comans to provide an unrivaled set of solutions for creating products that build muscle, accelerate recovery and increase endurance.



#### **Efficient**

HydroMax is a proprietary blend of glycerol and silica, providing a shelf-stable glycerol powder at a much higher percentage of glycerol (65%) than glycerol monostearate (GMS). GMS becomes unstable over time as it absorbs water and therefore low concentrations (5-12%) are required to prevent degradation.

### **Optimized**

HydroMax allows for a larger dose of active material to fit into a smaller space making it more feasible for traditional serving size finished products. Takes 10x less material to obtain the same amount of glycerol as conventional GMS products.

### **Dispersible**

HydroMax is water dispersible making it an easy inclusion in ready-to-mix powder applications.



#### **Method Benchmark**

HydroMax was used to establish the gold standard analytical method for glycerol powder. Other methods of analysis used to verify glycerol powder potency have a tendency to underestimate the percentage of active glycerol.

#### **Tests Positive**

HydroMax accurately tests out at 65% or higher glycerol content but never under like other high-yield glycerol powders on the market.

### Compliant

Prop 65 compliant – At its most optimized dose level, HydroMax remains Prop 65 compliant while other high-yield glycerol powders on the market do not.



## BIOLOGICAL EFFECT OF GLYCEROL ON PHYSIQUE

- Ingested glycerol is absorbed and distributed throughout the intracellular space, increasing the concentration of fluid in the tissues, accentuating the desired "pump response"
  - Helps to store extra water in the space between cells
  - Blood vessels appear to plump up
  - Muscles appear more prominent
  - Consuming glycerol before a bodybuilding show helps give a more "engorged" look



## HYDROMAX® VS. GLYCEROL MONOSTEARATE



- Proprietary blend of glycerol and silica
  - Standardized to 65% glycerol by weight
  - Provides a shelf-stable glycerol powder at a much higher percentage of glycerol than GMS
- A larger dose of active material can fit in to a smaller space
  - More feasible for traditional serving size finished products
  - Takes 10x less material to get same amount of glycerol as conventional GMS products
- Water dispersible
- Allergen-free
- Manufactured in USA
- Three year shelf-life
- Works well with other "pump" ingredients, such as creatine, taurine, agmatine, "NO enhancing" extracts, botanical dietary nitrates

### **Glycerol Monostearate (GMS)**

- Traditional powdered form of glycerol used in sports nutrition
- Extremely hygroscopic
  - Becomes unstable over time as it absorbs water
    - Therefore, low concentrations (5-12% glycerol) are required to prevent degradation



## HYDROMAX® IS IDEAL FOR THESE TARGETS

**TARGET APPLICATIONS** 



TABLETS

CAPSULES

**SOFTGELS** 

### TARGET SPORTS NUTRITION PRODUCT FOCUS



GLYCEROL BASED PRODUCTS

PUMP FOCUSED PRODUCTS



### MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

Regulatory: non-GMO and Kosher

**Recommended dose:** Recommended dose glycerol = 700-2,000 mg HydroMax<sup>®</sup>

Physical characteristics: White powder

Suggested labeling: Glycerol, Silica

Pack size: 25kg (Also MOQ)

Minimum order quantity – Pack size

Stocking location – Carlsbad, CA and New Jersey

Standard lead time – 1 week material availability + shipping considerations

Shelf life: 2 years



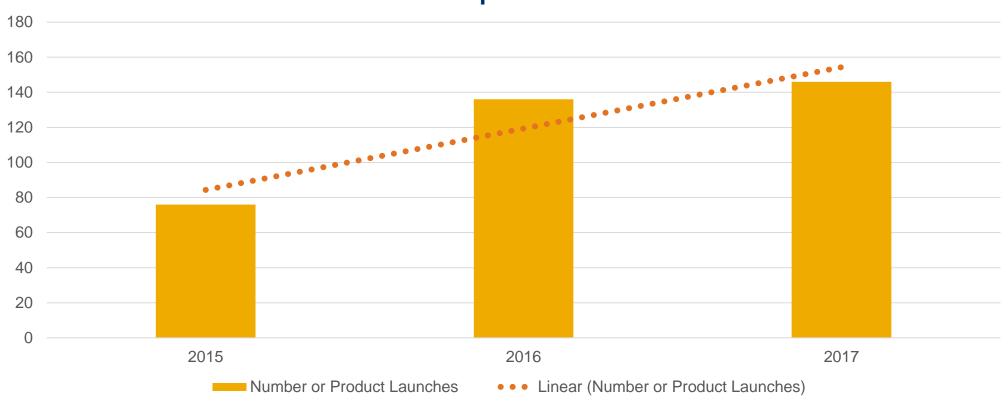
# SPORTS NUTRITION/ PRE-WORKOUT MARKET INSIGHTS



## "PUMP" SPORT NUTRITION SUPPLEMENTS CONTINUE TO GROW

**DRIVING GROWTH IN HYDROMAX® PRODUCT LAUNCHES** 

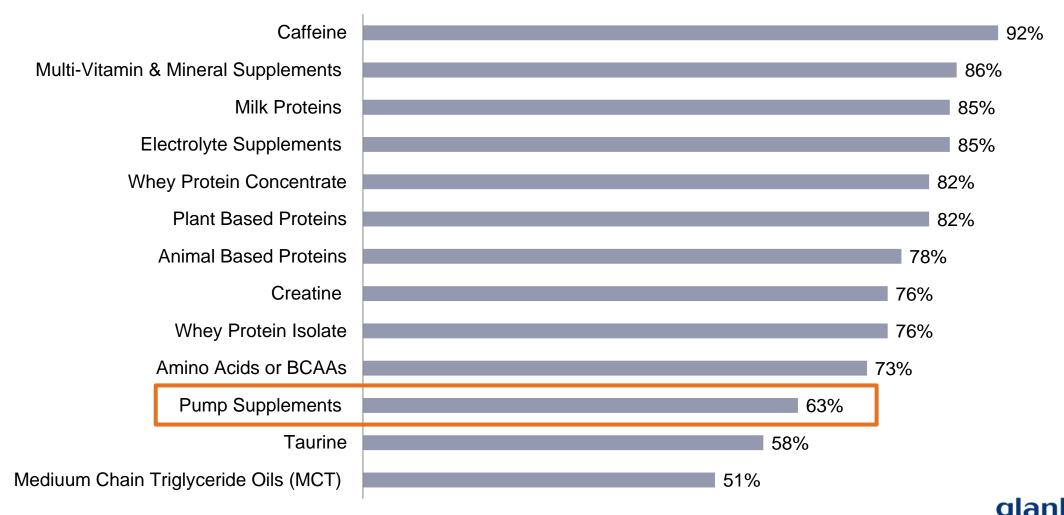
### **Number of "Pump" Product Launches**





## MANY CONSUMERS ARE AWARE OF "PUMP" SUPPLEMENTS FOR ENHANCING THEIR WORKOUTS

1014 CONSUMERS SURVEYED - INDICATE YOUR FAMILIARITY WITH THE FOLLOWING INGREDIENTS AVAILABLE TO ENHANCE WORKOUTS

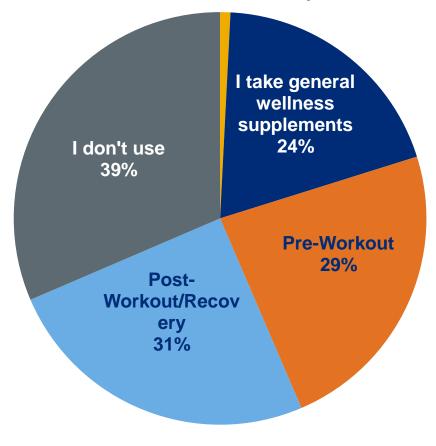


## 60% OF CONSUMERS CURRENTLY USE EITHER A PRE-WORKOUT OR POST-WORKOUT PRODUCT

N=1014

I Use a Product in One or More of the Following Categories to Help Enhance My Workout

1% answered 'other' for which the most common response was "daily vitamins"





## SPORTS & LIFESTYLE NUTRITION SALES BY SUBCATEGORY

### POWDER CONTINUES TO DOMINATE THE SPORTS NUTRITION CATEGORY

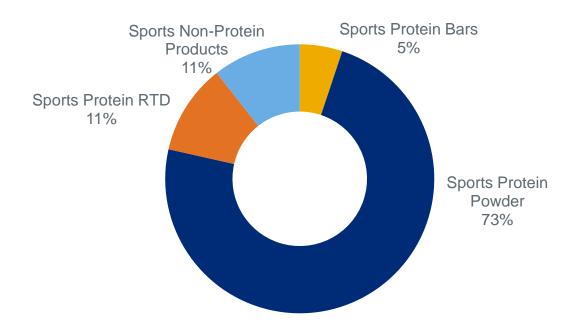
### Sales by Subcategory (2018)

### **Protein Powder Products**

are bulk protein supplements, generally positioned around recovery. Protein is sourced from milk, plant and egg/meat proteins.

### **Non-Protein Powders**

do not have protein as their core ingredient but focus on boosting energy, delaying fatigue, increasing strength and promoting muscle recovery. Common ingredients include amino acids, carbohydrates, creatine, beta alanine and caffeine.



Subcategory	2018 Category Value (\$M)	Current Year Growth	%CAGR (2013- 2018)	Forecast %CAGR (2018-2023)
Sports Protein Bars	470	3.3	3.6	5.1
Sports Protein Powder	6,737	11.3	13.1	9.4
Sports Protein RTD	1,000	8.3	9.3	9.3
Sports Non-Protein Products	972	7.7	10	6.8

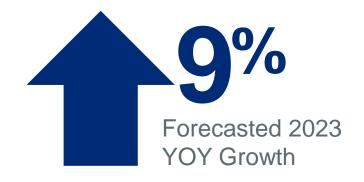


## **U.S. SPORTS & LIFESTYLE NUTRITION**

**CURRENT VALUE SALES GREW 10% TO REACH \$9.2B IN 2018** 

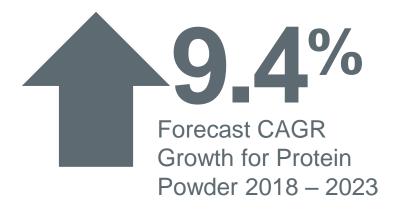
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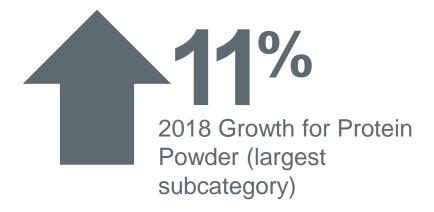
By 2023 Forecast Sales



**\$92B**2018 Sales







## **APPENDIX**



## HYDROMAX® OPTIMIZED PRE-BLENDS AVAILABLE

We have developed two pre-blended solutions that will assist in obtaining the most optimal powder flow with no clumping in your end product formulation.







## HYDROMAX® + SILICA PRE-BLEND - WITH SIPERNAT 50S

### How much Sipernat is needed?

To avoid production and stability issues we recommend blending HydroMax glycerol powder with Degussa's Sipernat 50S:

Glycerol powder blend	Sipernat 50S		
1000 mg	200 mg- 300 mg		
1500 mg - 3000 mg	400 mg - 500 mg		
4000 mg - 6000 mg	700 mg- 800 mg		

### What to do if using additional hygroscopic ingredients?

Additional Sipernat 50S needed if using hygroscopic ingredients: Arginine and Carnitine salts, Citric/Malic acid flavor systems

### **How is Sipernat Blended?**

- 1. Pre-blending The Sipernat 50s should be pre-mixed with the glycerol using approximately 40% to 50% of the silica in the formulation (approximately 10-15 minutes).
- 2. Add additional ingredients Add the rest of the formulation ingredients and remaining Sipernat 50s. Blend for another 15 minutes

# We've done the work for you!

Purchase our silica pre-blend or follow these guidelines during your product formulation to avoid potential production issues.



## **HYDROMAX® + LEUCINE PRE-BLEND**

## Why Leucine?

The addition of leucine provides you an alternative to adding silica to your product labels.

## Are there any additional benefits?

- Leucine has muscle sparing, muscle building, and mTOR stimulation benefits
- Offers Intraworkout benefits in addition to preworkout
- Increased pump and muscle building support

# We've done the work for you!

Purchase our leucine pre-blend for a beneficial alternative to adding silica to your products.



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