



Pycnogenol®

INTRODUCED 1995

What Is It?

Pycnogenol[®] is a pine bark extract rich in proanthocyanidins and antioxidant properties. While "Pycnogenol" originally denoted all proanthocyanidin extracts, regardless of source, it now refers specifically to maritime pine bark extract.*

Uses For Pycnogenol®

Vascular Support: The mixture of proanthocyanidins in pine bark supports vascular endothelial integrity by stabilizing collagenous membranes. They also promote vascular function by modulating nitric oxide levels. In addition to facilitating vitamin C regeneration and preserving vitamin E, pycnogenol is a potent hydroxyl and superoxide radical scavenger. Collectively, these actions promote the health of blood vessels.*

What Is The Source?

Pycnogenol® extract is derived from maritime pine bark and contains a minimum of 65-75% proanthocyanidins by weight. Ascorbyl palmitate is derived from corn dextrose fermentation and palm oil. Hypo-allergenic plant fiber is derived from pine cellulose.

Pycnogenol® is a registered trademark of Horphag Research Ltd. U.S. Patents 4,698,360 5,720,956 and 6,372,266.

Recommendations

Pure Encapsulations recommends:

- Pycnogenol® 50 mg: 1-3 capsules per day, in divided doses, between meals.
- Pycnogenol[®] 100 mg: 1-2 capsules per day, in divided doses, between meals.

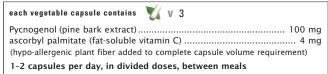
Are There Any Potential Side Effects Or **Precautions?**

At this time, there are no known side effects or precautions. If pregnant or lactating, consult your physician before taking this product.

Are There Any Potential Drug Interactions?

At this time, there are no known adverse reactions when taken in conjunction with medications. Consult your physician for more information.

Pycnogenol® 100 mg.



Pvcnogenol® 50 mg.

