## MERRICK LIL' PLATES GRAIN FREE REAL SALMON + SWEET POTATO RECIPE DOG FOOD

## **GUARANTEED ANALYSIS:**

Crude Protein (Min)	30.0%
Crude Fat (Min)	14.0%
Crude Fiber (Max)	4.5%
Moisture (Max)	11.0%
Taurine* (Min)	0.17%
Omega-6 Fatty Acids* (Min)	2.3%
Omega-3 Fatty Acids* (Min)	0.4%
Glucosamine* (Min)	400 mg/kg
Chondroitin Sulfate* (Min)	400 mg/kg

<sup>\*</sup>Not recognized as an essential nutrient by the AAFCO Dog Food Nutrient Profiles.

INGREDIENTS: Deboned salmon, salmon meal, whitefish meal, sweet potatoes, potatoes, peas, pork fat, natural flavor, flaxseed, sunflower oil, miscanthus grass, dried yeast, potassium chloride, salt, apples, blueberries, choline chloride, MINERALS [zinc amino acid complex, iron amino acid complex, sodium selenite, manganese amino acid complex, copper amino acid complex, calcium iodate], DL-Methionine, taurine, VITAMINS [Vitamin E supplement, Vitamin B-12 supplement, Vitamin A supplement, niacin (Vitamin B-3), thiamine mononitrate (Vitamin B-1), calcium pantothenate (Vitamin B-5), folic acid (Vitamin B-9), riboflavin supplement (Vitamin B-2), menadione sodium bisulfite complex (Vitamin K), pyridoxine hydrochloride (Vitamin B-6), biotin (Vitamin B-7), Vitamin D-3 supplement], mixed tocopherols for freshness, dried Bacillus coagulans fermentation product.

## Distributed by: Merrick Pet Care, Hereford, TX 79045 USA

Merrick Lil' Plates Grain Free Real Salmon + Sweet Potato Recipe Dog Food is formulated to meet the nutritional levels established by the AAFCO Dog Food Nutrient Profiles for maintenance of adult dogs.

## RECOMMENDED DAILY FEEDING AMOUNTS

Adult Dog Weight (lbs)	Cups Per Day
2	1/4
5	1/2
10	3/4
15	1-1/4
20	1-1/3
25	1-1/2
30	1-3/4
Over 30	add 1/4 cup per additional 5 lb

Using the chart, divide the total cups per day by the total number of times you feed your dog per day to determine the portion size for each meal. Keep a clean bowl of fresh water available at all times. Every dog is a little different, so optimal feeding amounts may vary with age, size and activity level. Please use this information as an initial recommendation only and adjust when needed. Dry and wet food in combination will help to increase the level of water in your dog's diet. If feeding with wet food, reduce dry amount by 1/4 cup for every 3 oz of wet food.

Transitioning: Gradually mix in the new food over 7 - 10 days, increasing the amount of Merrick Lil' Plates

Grain Free Real Salmon + Sweet Potato Recipe Dog Food each day. This gradual transition will help avoid dietary upsets.

For your pet's health, see your veterinarian regularly.

Calorie Content (calculated)(ME): 3730 kcal/kg 462 kcal/cup