# THICK & EASY® CLEAR



## DESCRIPTION

Thick & Easy Clear is a white powder consisting of maltodextrin, xanthan gum, carrageenan and erythritol. Lactose and gluten free.

## PRESENTATION

Thick & Easy Clear is an instant food and beverage thickener. Gum based. Clear results, tasteless. Thick & Easy Clear is available in a 126g resealable tin and in a 1.4g sachet.

## **CONTRA-INDICATIONS**

FOR ENTERAL USE ONLY

NOT SUITABLE WHERE ENTERAL NUTRITION IS NOT PERMITTED

NOT SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN UNDER THREE YEARS OF AGE

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

SHOULD ONLY BE USED UNDER MEDICAL SUPERVISION NOT SUITABLE AS A SOLE SOURCE OF NUTRITION INTENDED FOR THE USE AS A FOOD AND BEVERAGE THICKENER, NOT INTENDED TO CONTRIBUTE SIGNIFICANTLY TO ENERGY INTAKE.

ENSURE ADEQUATE FLUID INTAKE.

## INDICATIONS FOR USE

Food for Special Medical Purposes.

Thick & Easy Clear is for the dietary management of dysphagia. Thick & Easy Clear is prescribable on FP10/GP10 for the thickening of food and drinks in dysphagia.

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Thick & Easy Clear can be added to all hot and cold liquids and nutritional supplements to develop a thicker consistency and prevent aspiration. It provides total clarity in water or other liquids.

- 1. Using the scoop in the tin
- 2. Add recommended number of level scoops of powder into an empty dry glass
- Add 200ml of desired liquid to the glass, stir briskly with a whisk or fork until dissolved
- 4. Leave to stand for a few minutes

**Thickening larger quantities:** Thick & Easy Clear can be mixed into liquids using a food processor. Keep liquid refrigerated until ready to use.

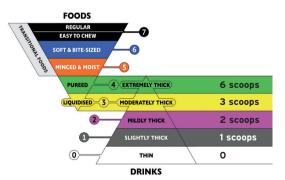
**Freezing:** Thick & Easy Clear is freeze-thaw stable and can be stored for as long as the food or liquid that is thickened can be preserved.

GUIDELINES FOR USE Per 200ml	LEVEL 1*	LEVEL 2*	LEVEL 3*	LEVEL 4*
LIQUIDS	1 scoops	2 scoops	3 scoops	6 scoops

1 scoop = approx. 1.4g

1 tin = 90 scoops

\*International Dysphagia Diet Standardisation Initiative (IDDSI)



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## STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry location (15 - 25°C) and in a relatively odour free environment.

## PACK SIZE AND ORDER CODE

12 x 126g resealable tin **ORDER CODE:** 7195401 100 x 1.4g sachets **ORDER CODE:** 7196401

## SHELF LIFE

Thick & Easy Clear has a shelf life of 3 years from the date of manufacture.

Once opened the tin should be resealed with the plastic lid provided, kept in a cool, dry location (15 - 25°C) and in a relatively odour free environment. Once opened it can be stored for 2 years.

## **ENERGY DISTRIBUTION**

Protein 1% Fat 0% Carbohydrate 74% Fibre 25%

## **INGREDIENT LIST**

Maltodextrin, xanthan gum, carrageenan and erythritol.

NUTRITIONAL COMPOSITION	Per 100g	Per scoop 1.4g
ENERGY kcal (kJ)	291.1 (1221.3)	4.1 (17.1)
<b>PROTEIN</b> g	0.9	0.01
<b>CARBOHYDRATE</b> g	88.2	1.2
Of which sugars g	0	0
Of which lactose g	0	0
<b>FAT</b> g	<0.1	<0.01
Of which saturated fatty acids g	<0.1	<0.01
FIBRE g	31.2	0.44
SALT g (Na x 2.5)	3.36	0.047

MINERALS AND TRACE ELEMENTS	Per 100g	Per scoop 1.4g
SODIUM mg (mmol)	1344 (58.4)	18.8 (0.8)
POTASSIUM mg (mmol)	449 (11.5)	6.3 (0.2)
CHLORIDE mg (mmol)	0	0
CALCIUM mg (mmol)	11 (0.28)	0.15 (<0.01)
PHOSPHORUS mg (mmol)	21 (0.68)	0.29 (0.01)
MAGNESIUM mg (mmol)	23 (0.96)	0.32 (0.01)