



# **EQUIGLUC**



#### Introduction:

Equigluc™ is a dry extract of apple containing 50% of phlorizin.

Phlorizin is an apple glucoside that is able to limit physiologically glucose post-pandrial reabsorbtion. The mechanism of its antidiabetic effect has been known as it can competitively inhibit sodiumglucose symporters (SGLTs) and gut microbiota changes. It acts in the intestine to modify gut microbial community structure, resulting in lower LPS load in the host and higher SCFAs producing beneficial bacteria

Phlorizin also has anti-obesity effect.

It has been shown that it suppresses plasma proinflammatory adipokines levels such as leptin, adipsin, tumor necrosis factor-α, monocyte chemoattractant protein-1, interferon-y, interleukin-6, and prevents HFD-induced collagen accumulation in the liver and WAT. Furthermore. phlorizin supplementation also decreases plasma glucose, insulin, glucagon, and homeostasis model assessment of insulin resistance levels.

## **Applications:**

Prevents diet-induced obesity

- Antidiabetic properties
- Prevents hepatic steatosis
- Prevents inflammation, and fibrosis
- Prevents insulin resistance

## **Dosages:**

400 mg of Epigluc™ containing 50% of Phlorizin.

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