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# Riboflavin, B-2

# DESCRIPTION

Riboflavin, supplied by Douglas Laboratories, provides 100 mg of riboflavin in each capsule.

# **FUNCTIONS**

As co-enzymes, the B vitamins are essential components in most major metabolic reactions. They play an important role in energy production, including the metabolism of lipids, carbohydrates, and proteins. B vitamins are also important for blood cells, hormones, and nervous system function. As water-soluble substances, B vitamins are not generally stored in the body in any appreciable amounts (with the exception of vitamin B-12). Therefore, the body needs an adequate supply of B vitamins on a daily basis.

Riboflavin is an essential coenzyme in energy production. It is a component of the coenzymes FAD and FMN, which are intermediates in many redox reactions, including energy production and cellular respiration reactions

# **INDICATIONS**

Riboflavin may be a useful dietary adjunct for individuals wishing to supplement with this vitamin.

# FORMULA (#81702)

1 Capsule contains:		
Riboflavin	100mg	

# SUGGESTED USE

As a dietary supplement, adults take 1 capsule daily or as directed by your healthcare professional.

# SIDE EFFECTS

No adverse side effects have been reported.

#### STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry place, away from direct light. Keep out of reach of children.

# REFERENCES

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