Maintain strong & healthy bones

Strong and robust bones are key factors for a healthy life. As part of the normal bone turnover, there is a constant formation and breakdown of bone, two processes that are maintained at a balance. However, after the age of 30 the balance is disrupted, and bone loss exceeds bone formation. This results in a gradual bone loss in healthy adults.

Probi® Osteo is a probiotic bone health concept for healthy adults, based on the combination of the proprietary strains named *Lactobacillus plantarum* HEAL9, *Lactobacillus plantarum* HEAL19 and *Lactobacillus paracasei* 8700:2. The efficacy of the concept is clinically documented and shown to support bone health resulting in strong and healthy bones throughout life.

Health benefits*
- Supports bone health.
- Maintains bone mineral content and density.
- Supports the bone building balance.
- Results in stronger bones.

Short facts
- **Strains:** *Lactobacillus plantarum* HEAL9 and *Lactobacillus plantarum* HEAL19, *Lactobacillus paracasei* 8700:2
- **Origin:** Human intestinal mucosa
- **Documentation:** Preclinical and clinical studies
- **Recommended daily dose:** 10^{10} CFU
- **Safety:** QPS status and safe history of use

Different solutions for different needs – product application ideas
Ideal for capsules and stickpacks in the dietary supplement segment or for functional foods such as beverages and powder products.

*These statements have not been evaluated by the Food and Drug Administration. This product is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent any disease.
Clinically proven to maintain bone density and bone mineral content

In recent years, evidence has shown a positive link between the gut microbiota and bone health. Two preclinical studies show that Probi®’s probiotic bacteria significantly protected mice against bone loss. (Ohlsson et al., 2014, unpublished data)

A randomized, double-blind and placebo-controlled clinical study included 250 healthy women (47–69 years) and no women were diagnosed with osteoporosis at inclusion. The daily intake of Probi® Osteo for one year resulted in significantly maintained bone mineral density and bone mineral content.

Intake of Probi® Osteo for one year significantly maintained bone mineral density by 78% compared to placebo

Bone mineral density was measured by DEXA at baseline and at the end of the one-year interventional study including 250 healthy women. Bone mineral density measures the overall structure of bones, and the results show that intake of Probi® Osteo supports the solidness of bones. (Jansson et al., manuscript submitted for publication)

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Intake of Probi® Osteo results in strong and healthy bones

The Probi® Premium range is an exclusive range of patented probiotic health concepts based on specific strains – concepts with comprehensive clinical dossiers showing repeated positive results on health benefits that are condition or claim specific. Efficacy and safety have been shown in human clinical studies.

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