

# UBIQSOME®



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### WHAT IS UBIQSOME®?

UBIQSOME® is the optimized delivery form of coenzyme Q10, formulated with the Phytosome® proprietary technology.

Coenzyme Q10 (CoQ10) - also known as ubiquinone or ubidecarenone - is an essential endogenous cofactor for the electrontransport chain in the mitochondria, and also exerts a fundamental antioxidant activity in the cells.

As the only known lipid antioxidant that can be synthesized by animal cells,1 it exerts a crucial role in the maintenance of cells bioenergetics promoting therefore: sport activities, healthy ageing, heart & cardiovascular health, brain health and many other activities involving energetic expenditure.

Since the oral bioavailability of CoQ10 is guite poor, due to its high molecular weight and very low aqueous solubility, it has been formulated with Phytosome® technology in order to optimize the bioabsorption of this important cofactor.

## SCIENTIFIC EVIDENCE

UBIQSOME® is supported by a human double pharmacokinetics and 2 human efficacy study. 2,3,5

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

UBIQSOME® is standardized to contain: 18-22% of coenzyme Q10 by HPLC.

# RECOMMENDED USE AND DOSE

UBIQSOME® is a brown vellow powder and may be utilized in a variety of supplement formulations

Suggested dose: up to 500 mg/day.

- <sup>3</sup> Indena paper in preparation NCT03893864
- 4 International Patent Application WO 2016/1985765

### WHAT MAKES UBIQSOME® UNIQUE?

UBIQSOME® is the first and only CoQ10 formulation on the market to have been tracked down from oral. administration to its real and sole target: the inner space of cells, where it is needed.

UBIQSOME® is also the only patent pending<sup>5</sup> CoQ10 formulation to benefit from Phytosome® technology, for an optimized bioabsorption of the cofactor:

- in the pk studies, UBIQSOME® has been shown to significantly optimize CoQ10 plasmatic levels in a dose dependant fashion and to show 14-fold higher solubility in intestinal simulated fluids.2
- in a human study on over-50s healthy athletes performing a complete training session in a climatic chamber, UBIQSOME® has been shown to significantly optimize CoQ10 levels in plasma;3
- for the 1<sup>st</sup> time in humans, the optimization of CoQ10 levels in muscolar cells has been demonstrated with two different analytical methods: +37% by HPLC and +60% by immunofluorescence:3
- a human study has shown promising results. opening new possibilities for cardiovascular wellbeing: UBIQSOME® could optimize the endothelial function (+7%) while reducing the oxidative stress (-27%):4
- moreover, a recent human study showed also beneficial effects on elderly people with statin related asthenia: thanks to its original formulation. UBIQSOME® reaches the right cellular concentration and - unlike any other supplement makes a difference at the muscular level. balancing the induced low levels of CoQ10.5

UBIQSOME® can be a cost-effective solution thanks to:

- lower CoQ10 content:
- optimized bioabsorption without relying upon expensive capsulating technologies (like softgel);
- industrial-scalable & versatile finished oral dosage forms.









