# "THE ORAL CARE RANGE THAT WORKS IN THE REAL WORLD"

**Plaqtiv+**<sup>®</sup> is an oral care range for cats and dogs that delivers real-world results. With a whole range of different product options backed by science, there is something to suit the needs of every owner and their pet.

Product	Suitable for	Ease of use	About the product	Why use it?
Water additive (500 ml)	R	<b>\$ \$ \$</b>	<ul> <li>The easiest product to use - simply add</li> <li>2 capfuls to 600 ml of the pet's drinking water</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Hands-off administration quickly becomes a daily habit, meaning high adherence</li> <li>Unflavoured, so won't put a pet off their water</li> </ul>
Sticks	Ŷ	•••	<ul> <li>Low calorie, daily stick with star shape to provide mechanical action against plaque</li> <li>Contain seaweed extract, scientifically proven to help prevent plaque</li> </ul>	• Daily treat dogs will love that helps to prevent and remove plaque
Spray (60 ml)	Ŷ	<b>\$</b>	• Easy to use – just lift the pet's upper lip to expose their teeth and gums, and spray twice on each side of the mouth	<ul> <li>No pressure on the gums, making it a good first step into a puppy's dental care routine</li> <li>Fits into a travel bag for easy use on-the-go</li> </ul>
<section-header></section-header>	R	<b>\$</b>	<ul> <li>Aids mechanical removal of plaque, without the difficulty of using a toothbrush</li> <li>Simply wrap the biodegradable wipe around a finger and rub gently across the pet's teeth and gums</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Gets pets used to contact with their teeth and gums, making it a good stepping stone to toothbrushing</li> </ul>
Toothpaste (70 g)	R		<ul> <li>The ultimate in oral care when used with a toothbrush</li> <li>Tasty malt flavour that pets will love</li> </ul>	• A more dedicated but very effective way to maintain a pet's oral health

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\*Plaqtiv+® water additive is VOHC approved for the reduction of calculus in dogs.

# "THERE'S A Plaqtiv+ Plan For every pet"

Home oral care can be started as soon as pets develop permanent teeth.<sup>1</sup> Starting home oral care early in a pet's life can help make acceptance easier.<sup>2</sup>



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#### YOUNG PUPPIES And Kittens

- The ideal time to start a dental care routine is when pets are still young.
- Start with **spray**, then **wipes**, then toothpaste.
- If owners don't manage to progress all the way to toothpaste, they can combine with the water additive and/ or dental sticks for maximum effect.



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#### DENTAL CHEW AND FOOD CANDIDATES

- **Dental chews/sticks** and food may have less of a mechanical action vs plaque on front teeth.
- Target front teeth with
   sprays/wipes/toothpaste

#### OCCASIONAL TOOTHBRUSHES

- Toothbrushing decreases plaque by 37% if done daily, 25% if done every other day, and 10% if done weekly.<sup>3</sup>
- Occasional toothbrushing can be combined with the water additive and/or dental sticks to increase efficacy without increasing effort.



### SCALE AND POLISH CANDIDATES

- The water additive used at least 1 month before the procedure could ease cleaning.
- After the procedure, when brushing is not possible, the **water additive** can be a good alternative.



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### DOWNLOAD RESOURCES AND FIND OUT MORE: www.dental.pet

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