

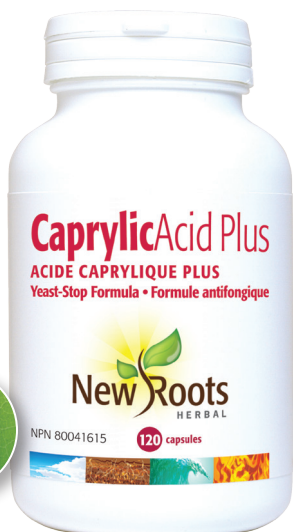
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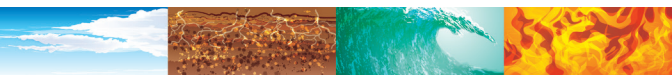


- Disintegrates yeast cell walls
- Reduces blood pressure
- Balances the intestinal flora

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Caprylic acid plus is formulated to eradicate overgrowth of *Candida albicans* and allow beneficial bacteria to reestablish at the gastrointestinal level. Chronic candidiasis, or yeast syndrome, can negatively affect many bodily functions; including gastrointestinal, genitourinary, endocrine, nervous and immune system function.

Caprylic acid is a naturally occurring fatty acid with the ability to disintegrate yeast cell walls. One of the medium chain fatty acids containing eight carbon atoms is found in the triglycerides of butter, coconut oil, milk, palm, hemp, coconut and human fat. It is also one of the fatty acids found in the oil derived from saw palmetto berries, the popular men's remedy for benign prostate enlargement.

As an antifungal, caprylic acid's mode of action is similar to that of other compounds commonly administered for infections caused by *Candida* species, *Rhodotorula*, *Geotrichium* and *Torulopsis*. Caprylic acid is effective against the cell membranes of yeast by dissolving the membrane and rendering the cell organelle more permeable and somewhat fluid. Changes in this permeability and fluidity lead to membrane disaggregation, loss of cellular function as cytoplasm leaks out, and subsequent to the death of the cell.

The 250 mg of pau d'arco per capsule contain several antifungal compounds that include lapachol, xyloidone, and naphthaquinones to deter *Candida* growth.

The antifungal action of 100 mg of garlic provide natural antifungal protection. Studies conducted at Fujita-Gokuen School of Medical Technology in Japan demonstrated the antifungal action of allicin, the active compound in garlic.

Cloves complete the broad range of antifungal properties along with supporting immune system function.

Caprylic acid is virtually non toxic and non-sensitizing at the recommended dosages. Very large doses (5 times the recommended dose) can cause mucosal irritation and produce diarrhea and nausea. In some patients, fatigue and flu-like symptoms may occur during the first 2-5 days of caprylic acid use. These symptoms are caused by a yeast die-off and reabsorption phenomenon. Herxheimer reaction (an increase in symptoms after administration of a drug) is the result of histamine release, which is accompanied by pain and swelling. The results of a 1970's rat-feeding study and other evidence suggest that caprylic acid has low toxicity. Any recommendations made are based solely upon the discretion of a physician. As in all circumstances where health products are concerned, we suggest you follow the advice of a health-care practitioner while using caprylic acid.

## Each vegetable capsule contains:

Caprylic acid (zinc caprylate) (short-chain fatty acid from red palm oil) . . . . .	40 mg
Caprylic acid (calcium caprylate) (short-chain fatty acid from red palm oil) . . . . .	180 mg
Caprylic acid (magnesium caprylate) (short-chain fatty acid from red palm oil). . . . .	180 mg
Lapacho ( <i>Tabebuia heptaphylla</i> ) bark . . . . .	250 mg
Odorless garlic ( <i>Allium sativum</i> ) bulb (1000 mcg allicin potential per capsule) . . . . .	100 mg
Cloves ( <i>Syzygium aromaticum</i> ) buds. . . . .	35 mg

**Other ingredients:** Vegetable magnesium stearate and silicon dioxide in a non-GMO vegetable capsule composed of vegetable carbohydrate gum and purified water.

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## Suggested use:

**Adults:** Take 3 capsules in the morning and 2 capsules in the evening with water, before meals. Consult a health-care practitioner for use beyond 4 weeks.

Manufactured under strict GMP (Good Manufacturing Practices).

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