Canine Joint Volume Guidelines

(Hyaluronic Acid + Chondroitin Sulfates C4 & C6 + N-acetyl-D-glucosamine Sterile Solution)

Intra-Articular Administration of Polyglycan®-SA

JOINT (in mL*)	Carpus	Elbow	Shoulder	Hip	Stifle	Hock
Miniature	0.1 - 0.3	0.2 - 0.5	0.5 - 0.7	0.5 - 0.7	0.5 - 0.7	0.2 - 0.5
Small	0.2 - 0.4	0.5 - 0.7	0.7 - 1.0	0.7 - 1.0	0.7 - 1.0	0.4 - 0.6
Medium	0.4 - 0.6	0.6 - 0.8	0.8 - 1.0	0.8 - 1.0	0.8 - 1.0	0.5 - 0.7
Large	0.5 - 0.7	0.9 - 1.25	1.0 - 1.5	1.0 - 1.5	1.0 - 2.0	0.5 - 1.0
Giant	0.6 - 0.8	1.0 - 1.5	1.5 - 2.0	1.5 - 2.0	1.5 - 2.0	0.7 - 1.0
* Volume of product can be scaled up or down from these reference points based on the						

veterinarian's experience and individual patient size. See below for more information.

These volume guidelines are to assist the veterinarian when administering *Polyglycan-SA*, a Veterinary Medical Device used as a sterile post-surgical lavage, synovial fluid replacement or viscosupplement. These guidelines have been clinically developed over time by Dr. Paul Shealy, DVM, MS, DACVS to provide the intended efficacy while avoiding overdistension of the joint capsule. There is no exact standard that can be offered to fit all patients. The quantity and frequency of *Polyglycan-SA* administration is to be determined by the attending veterinarian.

Sterile injection technique should always be followed when administering *Polyglycan-SA* into a joint.

Read product directions before use.

Products are available from veterinary distributors exclusively to licensed veterinarians.

For additional product information & to view Dr. Shealy demonstrating injection of various canine joints, please visit <u>www.polyglycan.com</u>.

Please review the product information on *PolyCHEWS*[®] with Krill, a soft chew designed specifically for daily joint management of active & aging dogs. Dog owner approved, these biovailable chews complement *Polglycan-SA* when recommending a comprehensive joint management protocol.





