Enteral Formulas

The Enteral Formulas tab displays the nutritional information for enteral formulas. The application provides the ability to compare the nutritional content of up to three different enteral formulas side-by-side.

Viewing a Single Formula

From the top of the page, click the Enteral Formulas tab. The Available Formulas page displays.

Make a selection from the Display format area of the page. The Display format area provides the ability to designate the manner by which you want to view and/or compare formulas. Make a selection from the following choices:

- Per 100 Cal (calories)
- Per Liter
- Per Both
After selecting the display format you want to use, make a selection from the **Formulas Available** list. Use the scroll bar to scroll through the formulas until you locate the one you want to view and then single-click on the formula name. The name of the formula now appears in the **Formulas selected** box.

To view the nutritional information for a selected formula, click the **Regenerate** button. The left side of the chart displays the nutrients in the infant formula. The right column displays the amount of each specific nutrient, based on the display option (Per 100 Calories, Per Liter, or Per Both) selected. After reviewing the information displayed, the clinician can make an appropriate decision on which formula to use for a specific patient.

If you make any changes to the information used to generate the nutritional chart, such as changing your view from Per 100 Calories to Per Liter, you must click the **Regenerate** button to update the nutritional chart.
**Viewing Multiple Formulas**

A clinician may want to compare several different formula mixtures to ensure the best possible nutrition is administered to a patient. The application provides the ability to view a side-by-side comparison of up to three different formulas.

To compare multiple formulas, select a Display format. Then, using the scroll bar, scroll through the list of formulas in the Formulas Available page. Single-click on the names of up to three different formulas to select the formulas for comparison. The formulas to be compared will appear in the Formulas selected box. Click the Regenerate button. A comparison chart of the selected formulas appears. The left side of the chart displays the nutrients in the infant formula. The remaining columns display the amount of each specific nutrient, based on the display option (Per 100 Cal, Per liter, or Per both) selected. The column number corresponds to the formula's position in the Formulas Selected area.

**Product Notes**

In addition to viewing the nutritional information for the formulas selected, you can also review product notes, provided by the manufacturer, by clicking the Product Notes button. The product notes provide information on protein, carbohydrate, and fat source data, and include dilution tables when available.

**Print**

You can use the Print Table button at any time to print the formula nutrient information.
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