

SUPERWORMS CARE SHEET

Superworms - Quick Guide	
Temperature	21-26°C
Moisture/Humidity	Low - almost dry
Feeding	Bran, fruit and vegetables

PetWave Premium Superworms are the larvae form of mealworm beetles. Superworms are grown to their largest size with careful control of their environment and protein levels.

Superworms are high in protein and fat, making them ideal treats for building up young, sick, injured or otherwise vulnerable animals.

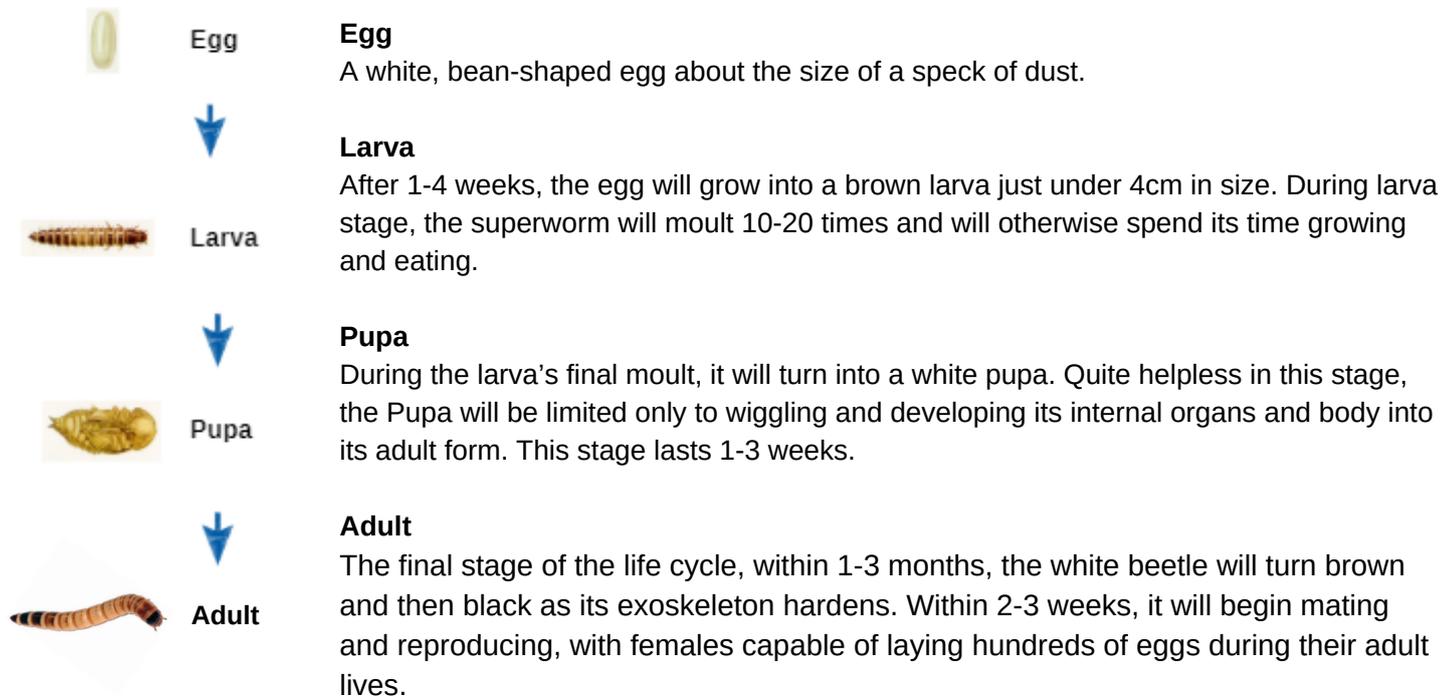
Superworms are a suitable treat for the following pets:

- Lizards
- Chickens
- Frogs & Turtles
- Rats & Mice
- Predatory Fish
- Spiders
- Insect-eating Birds
- Wildlife



Some delicate pet species can find Superworms difficult to digest due to their hard exoskeletons.

Superworm Life Cycle



PetWave Superworms contain (approximate values): 59% Moisture, 10% Protein, 13% Fat, 330mg/kg Calcium and 1650mg/kg Phosphorus.

Where Can I Keep Superworms?

Your PetWave Superworms can be kept in your fridge for months. You should line their storage container with a bed of dry bran or oatmeal, which serves as both a food source and substrate for your Superworms to burrow in.

The cooler temperature in your fridge will slow their appetites, keeping them in the larva stage for longer. If allowed to experience warmer temperatures, your Superworms will eat - and grow ! - much faster.

Superworms are hungry little guys and will eat a wide variety of fresh (or rotting) fruit, vegetables, grains and grain products! Thoroughly washed fresh fruit and vegetables will meet both their food and water requirements. If you take your Superworms out of the fridge, always make sure they have enough food, otherwise they can resort to cannibalism.

If you plan to keep your Superworms for a long period of time, you should remove them from the fridge every week or two and leave them out for 24 hours, giving them time to warm up and eat. Offer a small amount of food (such as carrot or apple) and replenish their bran substrate. Prior to returning to the fridge, ensure any uneaten food is removed.

Toxic fumes can be very dangerous to your Superworms including insecticides, cleaning products, dog shampoos, flea products, car fumes, smoke, etc.

How Do I Feed Superworms to my Pet?

Superworms should be fed only at a rate that your pet can eat immediately.

Suggested rates of feeding:

Medium birds, medium lizards, large fish and rats (e.g. butcher birds, bearded dragons) - 5 per meal

Large birds, large lizards and chickens (e.g. kookaburras, magpies) - 10 per meal

Prior to feeding, remove the desired amount of Superworms from the fridge and store in a dark position at room temperature for a day prior to feeding. This will cause the Superworms to become more active, making them more enticing for your pets.

What Types and Sizes of Superworms Can I Buy For My Pet?

Superworm Varieties and Sizes:

- Australian**
 - 50g Tub
 - 100g Tub
 - 1kg Bulk
- USA Superworms**
 - 25g Tub
 - 1kg Bulk



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