

# **Pet Supplements & Functional Foods Market Forecasts to 2034 – Global Analysis By Product (Vitamins & Minerals, Probiotics & Prebiotics, Calming Supplements, Joint Health Supplements, Skin & Coat Supplements, Immunity Boosters, Other Products), By Form, By Ingredient Type, By Distribution Channel, By Application and By Geography**

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## **Abstracts**

According to Statistics MRC, the Global Pet Supplements & Functional Foods Market is accounted for \$8.5 billion in 2026 and is expected to reach \$16.8 billion by 2034 growing at a CAGR of 8.9% during the forecast period. Pet Supplements & Functional Foods are nutritional products designed to enhance pets' health beyond basic dietary requirements. These include vitamins, minerals, probiotics, omega fatty acids, and condition-specific formulations for joint health, digestion, immunity, or skin care. Functional foods incorporate bioactive ingredients that provide targeted health benefits. These products support preventive healthcare, improve longevity, and address specific health conditions. Growing awareness of pet wellness and humanization trends drive demand for natural, organic and scientifically formulated supplements, making them an integral part of modern pet nutrition and health management.

### **Market Dynamics:**

Driver:

Increasing focus on preventive pet healthcare

Pet owners are becoming more proactive in addressing nutritional gaps and preventing

chronic conditions. Rising awareness of issues such as joint health, immunity, and digestive wellness is fueling demand for supplements. Functional foods enriched with vitamins, minerals, and probiotics are gaining traction as daily preventive solutions. Veterinary endorsements are further strengthening confidence in these products. This preventive healthcare trend continues to accelerate market growth globally.

#### Restraint:

##### Limited scientific validation for products

Many supplements and functional foods lack standardized clinical trials to prove consistent efficacy. Skepticism among veterinarians and pet owners slows adoption in certain regions. Regulatory bodies demand stronger evidence before approving new formulations. Mislabeling or exaggerated claims can lead to reduced consumer trust. This gap between demand and scientific validation continues to hinder broader acceptance.

#### Opportunity:

##### Development of condition-specific supplements

Companies are innovating with targeted formulations for joint care, skin health, digestive wellness, and immunity. Personalized nutrition solutions tailored to breed, age, and lifestyle are gaining traction. Collaboration with veterinarians enhances credibility and adoption of specialized products. E-commerce platforms are enabling wider distribution of niche supplements. This opportunity is expected to drive premiumization and diversification in the sector.

#### Threat:

##### Competition from pharmaceutical alternatives

Competition from pharmaceutical alternatives poses a growing threat to the market. Many pet owners prefer conventional medications for faster results. Pharmaceutical companies have stronger distribution networks and established trust among veterinarians. Supplements are often perceived as secondary or optional compared to prescribed treatments. Price competition further challenges the positioning of functional foods. This competitive overlap continues to erode market share for supplements.

**Covid-19 Impact:**

The Covid-19 pandemic had mixed effects on the pet supplements market. Supply chain disruptions affected production and distribution of functional foods. However, increased pet adoption during lockdowns boosted demand for preventive healthcare products. Owners spending more time at home became more attentive to their pets' nutrition. Online sales channels grew rapidly as physical retail faced restrictions. Overall, the pandemic accelerated digital adoption while highlighting supply chain vulnerabilities.

The vitamins & minerals segment is expected to be the largest during the forecast period

The vitamins & minerals segment is expected to account for the largest market share during the forecast period as these products address broad nutritional needs. Pet owners widely adopt them to support overall health and prevent deficiencies. Manufacturers are innovating with chewable tablets, powders, and fortified treats for ease of administration. Retail penetration of vitamins and minerals is higher compared to other supplement categories. Rising awareness of preventive healthcare further strengthens demand for this segment.

The immune support segment is expected to have the highest CAGR during the forecast period

Over the forecast period, the immune support segment is predicted to witness the highest growth rate due to rising concerns about infections and chronic illnesses in pets. Supplements enriched with antioxidants, probiotics, and herbal extracts are gaining traction. Veterinary recommendations for immune-boosting products are increasing adoption. Owners are more willing to invest in preventive solutions to strengthen resilience against diseases. Online platforms are enabling wider access to specialized immune support products.

**Region with largest share:**

During the forecast period, the North America region is expected to hold the largest market share owing to high pet ownership rates and strong purchasing power. Consumers in the U.S. and Canada are highly receptive to preventive healthcare solutions. Established brands and veterinary networks are driving adoption of supplements and functional foods. Retail penetration of premium products is higher in

North America compared to other regions. Strong awareness campaigns and digital marketing further support growth.

### **Region with highest CAGR:**

Over the forecast period, the Asia Pacific region is anticipated to exhibit the highest CAGR driven by rapid urbanization and rising disposable incomes. Countries such as China, India, and Japan are witnessing increased adoption of supplements and functional foods. Growing awareness of pet health and preventive care is fueling demand. Local startups are entering the market with affordable options, expanding accessibility. Rapid expansion of e-commerce platforms in Asia Pacific is further supporting distribution.

### **Key players in the market**

Some of the key players in Pet Supplements & Functional Foods Market include Nestlé, Purina PetCare Company, Mars, Incorporated, Cargill, Incorporated, Hill's Pet Nutrition, Inc., Blue Buffalo Co., Ltd., Nutramax Laboratories, Inc., Zesty Paws (H&H Group), Vetoquinol S.A., Ark Naturals Company, Beaphar B.V., Virbac, Zoetis Inc., Elanco Animal Health Incorporated, Wellness Pet Company and Herbsmith, Inc.

### **Key Developments:**

In January 2026, Mars entered a strategic partnership with The Petshop, the UAE's leading pet retailer, to expand access to premium pet nutrition across the country. The collaboration will introduce a wide range of Mars Petcare brands, including functional treats and science-led nutrition products

In May 2025, Nestlé announced a major R&D reorganization to accelerate biotech and deep tech innovations, aiming to develop clinically validated bioactive substances and next-generation probiotics for Purina's medical-grade pet products. This strategy establishes a 'Precision Nutrition' focus to create functional ingredients with proven therapeutic efficacy for pets' lifelong health needs

### **Products Covered:**

Veterinary Consultation Services

Diagnostic Services

Treatment Services

Prescription Services

Preventive Care Services

Emergency Telehealth Services

Other Products

#### Service Types Covered:

Real-Time Teleconsultation

Store-and-Forward Services

Remote Patient Monitoring

Mobile Health (mHealth) Services

AI-Based Consultation

Behavioral Telehealth

Other Service Types

#### Components Covered:

Hardware

Software

Services

Platforms

Analytics Tools

Cloud Infrastructure

Other Components

Technologies Covered:

Video Conferencing

Mobile Applications

Wearable Integration

AI & Machine Learning

Cloud Computing

IoT Integration

Other Technologies

End Users Covered:

Veterinary Clinics

Animal Hospitals

Pet Owners

Animal Shelters

Research Institutes

Pharmacies

Other End Users

## Regions Covered:

### North America

United States

Canada

Mexico

### Europe

United Kingdom

Germany

France

Italy

Spain

Netherlands

Belgium

Sweden

Switzerland

Poland

Rest of Europe

### Asia Pacific

China

Japan

India

South Korea

Australia

Indonesia

Thailand

Malaysia

Singapore

Vietnam

Rest of Asia Pacific

South America

Brazil

Argentina

Colombia

Chile

Peru

Rest of South America

Rest of the World (RoW)

Middle East

Saudi Arabia

United Arab Emirates

Qatar

Israel

Rest of Middle East

Africa

South Africa

Egypt

Morocco

Rest of Africa

### **What our report offers:**

- Market share assessments for the regional and country-level segments
- Strategic recommendations for the new entrants
- Covers Market data for the years 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2032 and 2034
- Market Trends (Drivers, Constraints, Opportunities, Threats, Challenges, Investment Opportunities, and recommendations)
- Strategic recommendations in key business segments based on the market estimations
- Competitive landscaping mapping the key common trends
- Company profiling with detailed strategies, financials, and recent developments
- Supply chain trends mapping the latest technological advancements

### **Free Customization Offerings:**

All the customers of this report will be entitled to receive one of the following free customization options:

### Company Profiling

Comprehensive profiling of additional market players (up to 3)

SWOT Analysis of key players (up to 3)

### Regional Segmentation

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