# THYRO-TABS CANINE- levothyroxine sodium tablet Butler Animal Health Supply, LLC.

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# Thyro-Tabs<sup>®</sup> Canine (levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP

Synthetic thyroxine hormone

For oral use in dogs only.

**CAUTION:** Federal (USA) law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian.

**DESCRIPTION:** Thyro-Tabs<sup>®</sup> Canine (levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP contains synthetic crystalline L-3,3',5,5'-tetraiodothyronine sodium salt [levothyroxine (T4) sodium]. Synthetic T4 is identical to that produced in the canine thyroid gland. Levothyroxine sodium has an empirical formula of  $C_{15}H_{10}I_4N$  NaO<sub>4</sub> •  $H_2O$ , molecular weight of 798.85 g/mol (anhydrous), and structural formula as shown:

**INDICATION:** For replacement therapy for diminished thyroid function in dogs.

**DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:** The initial total daily dose is 0.1 mg/10 pounds (0.01 mg/lb; 0.022 mg/kg) body weight as a single dose every 24 hours or as a divided dose every 12 hours.

The dose may then be adjusted by monitoring the serum total thyroxine (TT4) concentrations 4 to 6 hours post-tablet administration, along with clinical response, of the dog every 4 to 8 weeks until an adequate maintenance dose is established.

To minimize day-to-day variations in serum TT4 concentrations (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY), owners should consistently administer Thyro-Tabs Canine either with or without food.

When switching from another levothyroxine sodium formulation to Thyro-Tabs Canine, monitor serum TT4 concentrations and clinical response due to potential differences in recommended starting doses and potential differences in bioavailability.

**CONTRAINDICATIONS:** Do not use in dogs with thyrotoxicosis or uncorrected adrenal insufficiency.

#### **WARNINGS:**

**USER SAFETY WARNINGS:** Not for use in humans. Keep out of reach of children. In the event of accidental ingestion, seek medical advice immediately and show the product label to the physician. Wash hands after handling.

**ANIMAL SAFETY WARNINGS:** Keep Thyro-Tabs Canine in a secure location out of reach of dogs, cats, and other animals to prevent accidental ingestion or overdose.

In humans and rodents, excess *in utero* exposure to thyroid hormones is associated with hypothalamic-pituitary-thyroid axis dysfunction and morphological thyroid gland defects in the offspring. The safety of Thyro-Tabs Canine has not been evaluated in breeding, pregnant, or lactating dogs.

**PRECAUTIONS:** Dogs with underlying cardiac disease that are diagnosed with hypothyroidism should be closely monitored during the dose establishment phase. Adjustment of cardiac medication or levothyroxine sodium dosage may be needed depending on clinical response. <sup>1-4</sup>

#### **ADVERSE REACTIONS:**

**PRE-APPROVAL EXPERIENCE:** In a 6-month US field study with 92 dogs, the most commonly reported adverse reactions by percentage of dogs experiencing the reaction included: anorexia (17%), dermatitis (15%), vomiting (15%), otitis externa (14%), lethargy (14%), polydipsia (13%), diarrhea (11%), leukocytosis (9%), pruritus (8%), tachypnea (8%), polyuria (5%), hyperactivity (4%), and seborrhea (1%).

One dog was withdrawn from the study at the owner's request because of increased water consumption and urination, which was possibly related to levothyroxine sodium.

Hematocrit and red blood cell counts exceeded the upper limit of the reference range in seven dogs by the end of the study. Liver enzyme (ALP, ALT, or AST) elevations related to levothyroxine administration were reported in three dogs. In two of the dogs with elevated ALT and AST, the elevations resolved by Day 70 and Day 126, respectively.

#### **POST-APPROVAL EXPERIENCE (2022):**

The following adverse events are based on post-approval adverse drug experience reporting for Thyro-Tabs Canine. Not all adverse events are reported to FDA/CVM. It is not always possible to reliably estimate the adverse event frequency or establish a causal relationship to product exposure using these data.

The following adverse events reported in dogs, are listed in decreasing order of reporting frequency:

Pruritus, high or low serum thyroxine (T4) concentrations, tachypnea, weight loss, lethargy, anorexia, vomiting, polydipsia, alopecia, dem,atitis, hyperactivity, dianflea, and polyuria.

Aller]lic-type hypersensitivity reactions (including pruritus, hives, facial swelling, and dermatitis) have also been reported.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:** To report suspected adverse drug experiences, contact Covetrus<sup>®</sup> at (855) 724-3461 or covetrus.com. For additional information about reporting adverse drug experiences for animal drugs, contact FDA at 1-888-FDA-VETS or www.fda.gov/reportanimalae.

CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY: Levothyroxine sodium has poor oral bioavailability in

dogs (10-20%) with peak serum TT4 concentrations within 4 to 6 hours (fasted state). Administration of levothyroxine sodium with food reduces oral bioavailability.<sup>5</sup> In most dogs, the estimated half-life is approximately 10-14 hours. Levothyroxine sodium is excreted in the feces.

**EFFECTIVENESS:** In a US field study with 92 dogs, dogs were administered a starting daily dose of 0.1 mg/10 lb (0.022 mg/kg) body weight. The dose was administered either once every 24 hours or as 0.05 mg/10 lb (0.011 mg/kg) body weight every 12 hours.

The dose could be increased or decreased (without a change in frequency) after 6, 10, and 18 weeks, based on clinical findings and serum thyroid hormone concentrations. The majority of the dogs (80%) were dosed at 0.08-0.12 mg/10 lb (0.008- 0.012 mg/lb; 0.018-0.026 mg/kg) by the end of the study, with the majority of dogs (69.7%) requiring one dose change.

The product was considered effective if the serum TT4, free thyroxine (TT4), and thyroid stimulating hom, one (TSH) concentrations were all within the desired treatment ranges when collected 4 to 6 hours post-tablet administration after  $182 \pm 5$  days oftreatment(TT4: 15-94 nmol/L; TT4: 8-36 pmol/L; TSH:  $\leq$  37 mUIL). Of the 78 evaluable cases, 59 (75.6%) were considered treatment successes. There was no statistical difference in the success rate between the once daily or divided dose treatment groups.

Clinical signs of hypothyroidism (weight gain, lethargy, bradycardia, sebonflea, alopecia, hyperpigmentation, scaling, and hypercholesterolemia) generally improved by the end of the study (Day  $182\pm5$ ). Respiratory rate, excluding panting dogs, increased during the study along with activity level.

**TARGET ANIMAL SAFETY:** In a laboratory study, levothyroxine sodium was administered to 32 healthy, 7-10 month old, euthyroid Beagle dogs (4 males and 4 females per group) at 0×, 2×, 6×, and 10× the initial dose of 0.10mg/10 lb (0.01 mg/lb) once daily for 26 weeks. Increased serum TT4 and fT4 concentrations were directly proportional to an increasing dose of levothyroxine sodium. Decreased serum TSH concentrations were inversely proportional to an increasing dose of levothyroxine sodium. Dogs treated with levothyroxine sodium had elevated red blood cell indices (hemoglobin, hematocrit, and red blood cell count) and ALT but these did not exceed the normal reference ranges. Dogs treated with levothyroxine sodium had lower albumin, calcium, globulins, and total protein values but these did not fall below the normal reference ranges. Vomiting, diarrhea, excitation, rapid respiration, tachycardia, and feces with blood were observed in all treatment groups, but were seen with greater frequency in dogs treated with levothyroxine sodium. Decreased pituitary gland and thyroid/parathyroid gland organ weights were also observed in euthyroid dogs treated with levothyroxine sodium.

**STORAGE CONDITIONS:** Store at controlled room temperature 20°-25°C (68°-77°F) with excursions allowed between 15° and 30°C (59° and 86°F). Protect from light and moisture.

**HOW SUPPLIED:** Thyro-Tabs Canine (levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP is available as scored, color-coded ovoid tablets in 9 strengths: 0.1 mg-yellow; 0.2 mg-pink; 0.3 mg-green; 0.4 mg-maroon; 0.5 mg-white; 0.6 mg-purple; 0.7 mg-orange; 0.8 mg-blue; and 1.0 mg-tan, in bottles of 120 and 1,000 tablets.

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#### **Questions?**

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#### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.1 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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NDC: 11695-6957-2

Thyro-Tabs<sup>®</sup> Canine (levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP

CAUTION: Federal law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian.

0.1 mg

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Net contents: 1,000 tablets



#### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.2 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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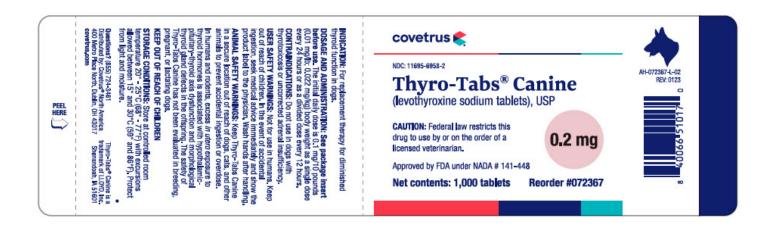
licensed veterinarian.

0.2 mg

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Net contents: 1,000 tablets

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### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.3 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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NDC: 11695-6959-2
Thyro-Tabs® Canine
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0.3 mg

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#### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.4 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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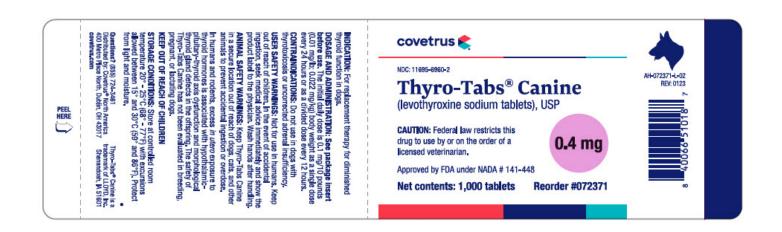
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#### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.5 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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0.5 mg

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Reorder #072373



## PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.6 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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NDC: 11695-6962-2

Thyro-Tabs® Canine

(levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP

CAUTION: Federal law restricts this

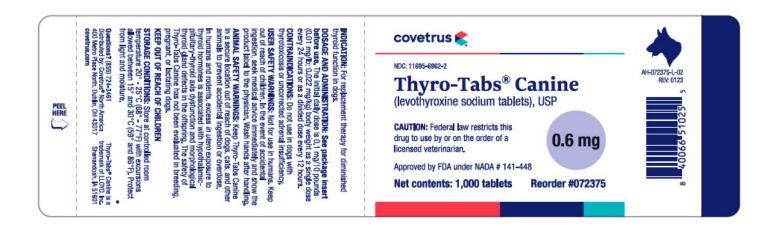
drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian.

0.6 mg

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Net contents: 1,000 tablets

Reorder #072375



#### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.7 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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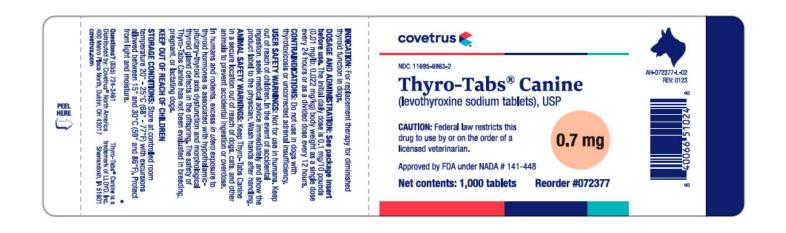
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0.7 mg

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Net contents: 1,000 tablets



#### PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 0.8 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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NDC: 11695-6964-2

Thyro-Tabs® Canine

(levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP

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0.8 mg

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Net contents: 1,000 tablets

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## PRINCIPAL DISPLAY PANEL - 1.0 mg Tablet Bottle Label

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NDC: 11695-6965-2

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(levothyroxine sodium tablets), USP

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0.1 mg

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Net contents: 1,000 tablets



Product Information			
Product Type	PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:11695-6957
Route of Administration	ORAL		

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety		
Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.1 mg

Product Characteristics			
Color	YELLOW	Score	2 pieces
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;1;T4
Contains			

F	ackaging			
#	Item Code	Package Description	<b>Marketing Start Date</b>	Marketing End Date
1	NDC:11695-6957-1	120 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		
2	NDC:11695-6957-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		

Marketing I	ng Information		
Marketing Category	Application Number or Monograph Citation	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
NADA	NADA141448	11/05/2020	

levothyroxine sodium tablet

#### **Product Information**

Route of Administration ORAL

## **Active Ingredient/Active Moiety**

Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.2 mg

Product Characteristics			
Color	PINK (Light pink)	Score	2 pieces
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;2;T4
Contains			

P	ackaging			
#	Item Code	Package Description	<b>Marketing Start Date</b>	Marketing End Date
1	NDC:11695-6958-1	120 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		
2	NDC:11695-6958-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		

Marketing Information			
Marketing Category	Application Number or Monograph Citation	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
NADA	NADA141448	11/05/2020	

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Product Type	PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:11695-6959
Route of Administration	ORAL		

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety		
Ingredient Name	<b>Basis of Strength</b>	Strength
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.3 mg

Product Characteristics			
Color	GREEN	Score	2 pieces
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;3;T4
Contains			

Pa	ackaging			
#	Item Code	Package Description	<b>Marketing Start Date</b>	Marketing End Date
1	NDC:11695-6959-1	120 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		
2	NDC:11695-6959-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		

Marketing Information				
Marketing Category	Application Number or Monograph Citation	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date	
NADA	NADA141448	11/05/2020		

Product Information				
Product Type	PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:11695-6960	
Route of Administration	ORAL			

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety				
Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength		
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.4 mg		

Product Characteristics			
Color	PINK (Bright pink)	Score	2 pieces
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;4;T4
Contains			

P	Packaging				
#	Item Code	Package Description	<b>Marketing Start Date</b>	<b>Marketing End Date</b>	
1	NDC:11695-6960-1	120 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC			
2	NDC:11695-6960-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC			

Marketing Information			
Marketing Category	Application Number or Monograph Citation	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
NADA	NADA141448	11/05/2020	

levothyroxine sodium tablet

#### **Product Information**

Product Type PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL DRUG Item Code (Source) NDC:11695-6961

Route of Administration ORAL

## **Active Ingredient/Active Moiety**

Ingredient Name
Basis of Strength
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE UNII:Q51BO43MG4)
LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM
ANHYDROUS
0.5 mg

#### **Product Characteristics**

Color	WHITE	Score	2 pieces
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;5;T4
Contains			

# Item Code Package Description Marketing Start Date Marketing End Date

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2 NDC:11695-6961-2 1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC

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#### **THYRO-TABS CANINE**

<b>Product Information</b>			
Product Type	PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:11695-6962
Route of Administration	ORAL		

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety			
Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength	
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.6 mg	

Product Characteristics				
Color	PURPLE (Lavender)	Score	2 pieces	
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm	
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;6;T4	
Contains				

P	ackaging			
#	Item Code	Package Description	<b>Marketing Start Date</b>	Marketing End Date
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Marketing Information			
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<b>Product Information</b>			
Product Type	PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:11695-6963
Route of Administration	ORAL		

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety			
Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength	
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.7 mg	

Product Characteristics			
Color	ORANGE (Light orange)	Score	2 pieces
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;7;T4
Contains			

P	ackaging			
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2	NDC:11695-6963-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC		

Marketing Information			
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NADA	NADA141448	11/05/2020	

levothyroxine sodium tablet

Product Information			
Product Type PRESCR	RIPTION ANIMAL DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:11695-6964

Route of Administration ORAL

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety			
Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength	
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	0.8 mg	

Product Characteristics				
Color	BLUE (Light blue)	Score	2 pieces	
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm	
Flavor		Imprint Code	0;8;T4	
Contains				

P	Packaging					
#	Item Code	Package Description	<b>Marketing Start Date</b>	Marketing End Date		
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2	NDC:11695-6964-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC				

Marketing Information				
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**Route of Administration** ORAL

# Active Ingredient/Active Moiety

Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength
<b>LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM</b> (UNII: 9J765S329G) (LEVOTHYROXINE - UNII:Q51BO43MG4)	LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM ANHYDROUS	1 mg

Product Characteristics				
Color	BROWN (Tan)	Score	2 pieces	
Shape	OVAL	Size	10mm	
Flavor		Imprint Code	1;T4	
Contains				

P	Packaging					
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2	NDC:11695-6965-2	1000 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC				

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# Labeler - Butler Animal Health Supply, LLC. (603750329)

# Registrant - LLOYD, Inc. of Iowa (007281942)

Establishment					
Name	Address	ID/FEI	<b>Business Operations</b>		
LLOYD, Inc. of Iowa		962286535	PACK, LABEL, MANUFACTURE		

Establishment				
Name	Address	ID/FEI	Business Operations	
LLOYD, Inc. of Iowa		007281942	ANALYSIS	

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