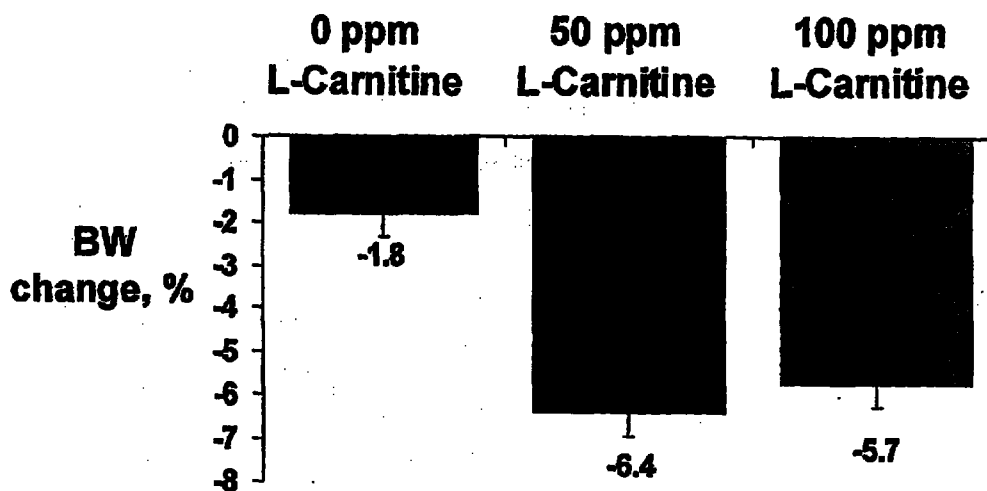




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(57) Abstract

A process for feeding a pet food supplement or diet to an overweight canine for the purpose of promoting weight loss, and/or increasing lean body mass, and/or enhancing the satiety of the animal is provided. The supplement or diet contains an effective amount of L-carnitine.