Ostarine, also known as GTx-024, MK-2866, and Enobosarm, is a peptide that acts as an androgen.

**Mechanics of Ostarine**

According to scientific research that has been conducted on animal test subjects, Ostarine is an androgen. This means that it is considered to be a compound that controls or stimulates the development and maintenance of characteristics linked with male organisms by binding to androgen receptors. The peptide then engages in selective anabolic activity at specific androgen receptors through targeting. When Ostarine binds, it expresses anabolic activity relating to the muscles and bones of animal test subjects. This binding and activation, then, shifts gene expression and increases the synthesis of proteins.

Due to the peptide’s high affinity to receptors relating to bone-related and muscle-related secretions, scientific study has determined that Ostarine can enable an increased rate of bone density and muscular development within animal test subjects.

**Theoretical Benefits of Ostarine**

Scientific research that has been conducted on animal test subjects relating to Ostarine has determined that the peptide could provide several theoretical benefits.

The primary theoretical benefit that has been associated with Ostarine through scientific research on animal test subjects relates to the treatment of muscle wasting diseases; an all-encompassing term that is associated with condition of muscular atrophy.

Muscular atrophy is defined as the decrease in muscle mass, which is marked by either the partial or the total wasting away of muscle. This condition leads to extreme muscle weakness, since the laws of physics order that the ability to exert force is inherently linked to mass. Muscular atrophy is a by-product from a co-morbidity of several varying common diseases, including:

- Certain forms of cancer

- Congestive heart failure (that is, when the heart is unable to produce sufficient pump action to maintain a proper amount blood flow as a means to meet the requirements and needs of the body)

- Renal failure (that is, the failure of the kidneys’ ability to adequately filter waste products from the blood)
- Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)

- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS)

- Severe burns

What’s more, this condition can be linked to an overarching condition known as cachexia. Sometimes referred to as wasting syndrome, cachexia is marked by muscle atrophy as well as weakness, **fatigue**, a significant yet involuntary loss of appetite, and involuntary weight loss.

Scientific study on animal test subjects has determined that **Ostarine**'s facility to selectively engage androgen receptors and promote the production of secretions associated with increased muscular mass can counterbalance muscle wasting brought on by the effects of muscular atrophy. This in turn would provide the test subject with a more consistent level of homeostasis.

A second theoretical benefit that has been linked to **Ostarine** through scientific study on animal test subjects is for the treatment of conditions that are linked with osteoporosis. This condition is a progressive bone disease that is characterized by a decrease in bone mass and density. This in turn leads to an elevated risk of several bone-related issues, such as breaks and fractures. Because of **Ostarine**’s ability to elevate the production of secretions linked to increased bone mineral density, it is theorized that the peptide can provide animal test subjects with a more consistent level of homeostasis relating to bone structure.

**Potential Negative Side Effects of Ostarine**

While scientific research that has been conducted on animal test subjects have determined several theoretical benefits relating to **Ostarine**, there have also been a few potential negative side effects that have been associated with the peptide.

The most common negative side effects relating to the use of **Ostarine** that have been determined through scientific research on animal test subjects include:

- Anemia

- Diarrhea

- Nausea

- Fatigue

Scientific study based on animal test subjects has determined that these findings of negative side effects appear to be generally mild in nature. Additionally, they have determined that these effects are not as significant when compared to the theoretical positive benefits that the peptide has shown.

**For Scientific Use Only**

While there have been several scientific studies conducted on animal test subjects in order to determine **Ostarine**’s scope of operational mechanics, theoretical benefits, and negative side effects, it should be noted that all findings
that are tied to the peptide are still considered to be the product of current laboratory research. Because Ostarine is currently in the research phase, any study or usage pertaining to the mechanics, operations, benefits, and side effects of the peptide should solely be contained to the restrictions of a strictly controlled environment such as a medical research facility or a laboratory.