

## SourceOne Secures Global Distribution Agreement

### For LeptiPURE™: A Patented Metabolic Health Formulation

*Partnership with Santal Solutions builds on patented GymnePURE® success*

**Chicago, IL** - SourceOne® Global Partners ("SourceOne") has announced it has reached an agreement with Santal Solutions, Appleton, WI, wherein SourceOne is awarded exclusive global distribution rights for Santal's new metabolic health and weight management product, LeptiPURE™.

LeptiPURE™ is a novel patented synergistic combination of GymnePURE® and the botanical extract *Tinospora cordifolia*. Combined in this precise and patented formulation, scientific studies demonstrate "enhanced effectiveness impacting several important health benefits."

Protected by multiple patents, GymnePURE® has been shown to increase insulin production at a much lower dosage level than standard *Gymnema sylvestre* extracts because of SourceOne's novel OSA™ technology. OSA™ technology captures the most bio-active parts of the *Gymnema sylvestre* leaf and produces an isolate with a specified molecular weight, which mimics a hypoglycemic agent. *Tinospora cordifolia* has extensive scientific evidence demonstrating its role in maintaining healthy glucose and lipid metabolism, which synergistically helps maintain a healthy adiponectin to leptin ratio.

LeptiPURE™ has been shown in initial scientific studies to increase adiponectin by 12% and decrease leptin levels by 25%. Adiponectin and leptin are key hormones that, when functioning optimally, help ensure healthy weight and metabolism. Dr. Arun K. Chatterji, CEO of Santal Solutions, comments, "The initial clinical study results are very encouraging because the science is clear -- improved ratio of leptin to adiponectin levels up to 37% with LeptiPURE is directly related to healthy metabolic flexibility and supporting the body's natural ability to maintain a healthy weight."

He continues, "We have seen significant improvement with patented GymnePURE® supporting healthy lipid profiles, blood sugar, glucose, HbA1c, and CRP. This patented combination with *Tinospora cordifolia* (LeptiPURE™) has the potential to optimize benefits seen in earlier clinical studies."

LeptiPURE™ addresses the healthy maintenance of metabolic markers including blood glucose, cytokine and free radical balance, healthy cholesterol and triglyceride levels, mitochondria and endoplasmic reticulum vitality, and autophagy/apoptosis balance. The patented synergistic formula is useful in an endless number of dietary supplements including those targeted weight management, cardiovascular health, blood sugar health, brain and cognition, anti-aging and bone and joint health.

Jesse Lopez, CEO and Founder of SourceOne Global Partners, explains, "Metabolic syndrome has been and continues to be on the rise among the adult population of the United States; according to a 2013 study examining the rate of metabolic syndrome between 1999 and 2010, published in the *Journal of the American College of Cardiology*, which pointedly noted that insulin resistance is on the rise, along

with a couple other factors contributing to metabolic syndrome, such as abdominal obesity. This study is one example of why supplements such as LeptiPURE™ are very important for consumers who are concerned about achieving and maintaining healthy metabolic status."

Lopez adds, "Our manufacturer partners see a growing demand from their customers for science-backed nutritional supplements that better help them maintain healthy body weight, triglyceride and cholesterol levels, as well as overall energy and fitness."

With the addition of LeptiPURE™, SourceOne builds upon its unmatched IP portfolio of natural product solutions. Lopez says, "LeptiPURE™ broadens and deepens our patented ingredient options, the health conditions they support, and synergistic mechanisms of action that we offer our client partners seeking to formulate products with the most science-based and patent-protected ingredients."

***About SourceOne Global Partners***

SourceOne Global Partners, headquartered in Chicago, IL, is a leading provider of health and wellness solutions, created through scientific research and innovative product development. The Company's focus is on clinically proven formulations, combined with technologically-advanced and patented delivery systems with applications in nutritional supplements, functional food and beverage, medical food, and personal care markets. The formulations are bundled in easily identifiable platforms that address condition-specific, consumer health concerns. Additional information about SourceOne Global Partners can be found at [source-1-global.com](http://source-1-global.com).

***About Santal Solutions***

Santal Solutions, headquartered in Appleton, WI, provides all-natural, premium quality nutraceutical ingredients backed by patent protected science.