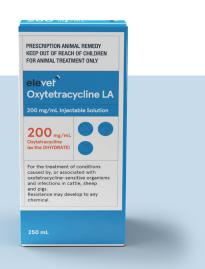


TECHNICAL NOTES



Oxytetracycline LA 200 mg/mL Injectable Solution



Active Constituent

Oxytetracyline (as the DIHYDRATE) 200 mg/mL

Indications

For the treatment of conditions caused by, or associated with, oxytetracycline-sensitive organisms and infections in cattle, sheep and pigs.

Resistance may develop to any chemical.

Restraints

DO NOT administer more than two injections to any pig.

Precautions

Occasional sensitivity reactions (anaphylaxis) to oxytetracycline have been known to occur, administer adrenaline immediately.

Side Effects

The use of tetracycline during the period of tooth development, including late pregnancy, may lead to tooth discolouration.

Dosage & Administration

Use the contents within 90 days of first broaching of the vial. Discard the unused portion.

Administer 1 mL per 10 kg bodyweight by subcutaneous injection in cattle or by deep intramuscular injection in cattle, sheep or pigs to provide a dosage of 20 mg oxytetracycline per kg bodyweight. Injections should be given in the neck region. Injection volumes should not exceed 10 mL per site.

Cattle: 1 mL/10 kg SC or IM

Sheep: 1 mL/10 kg IM

Pigs: 1 mL/10 kg IM

If necessary a second dose may be administered 72 hours after the initial dose. The maximum recommended dose volume is 10 mL for intramuscular and subcutaneous injection per site.

If given intravenously a second dose may be administered 12-24 hours after the initial dose.

Treated animals should be clearly identified in such a way that they will maintain their identity during the withholding period.

Withholding Periods

MEAT (Cattle): DO NOT USE less than 21 days before slaughter for human consumption.

MEAT (Sheep): DO NOT USE less than 42 days before slaughter for human consumption.

MEAT (Pigs): DO NOT USE less than 21 days before slaughter for human consumption.



MILK (Cattle/Sheep): Milk collected from cows or ewes within 7 days (14 milkings) following treatment MUST NOT BE USED or processed for human consumption, or fed to bobby calves.

Any variation by the prescribing veterinarian to the approved dose, frequency, duration, route, disease or target species may result in the need to extend the approved withholding period.

Trade Advice

EXPORT SLAUGHTER INTERVAL (ESI)

Cattle and Sheep: An ESI has not been established for this product.

Note-observing the meat withholding period may not be sufficient to mitigate potential risks to export trade.

Pigs: DO NOT USE less than 21 days before slaughter for export.

Before using this product, confirm the current ESI from AVet Health Ltd on 1300 28 38 28 or the APVMA website (www.apvma.gov.au/residues).

Safety Data Sheet

For Safety Data Sheet see www.avet.health

First Aid

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poison Information Centre. Phone Australia 13 11 26.

Disposal

Dispose of container by wrapping with paper and putting in garbage.

Storage

Store below 25°C (Air conditioning).

Presentation

250 mL multidose vial

Poisons schedule

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Registration Numbers

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