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Pr MELOXI-CARE **ORAL SUSPENSION**

Meloxicam 15 mg/mL

PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL REMEDY **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN** READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY

CATTLE:

- To reduce pain associated with parturition in cattle. .
- To reduce culling associated with clinical and subclinical disease in lactating cows. •
- To reduce non-infectious musculoskeletal pain and inflammation associated with • lameness.
- ٠ For the reduction of pain and inflammation associated with surgical and band castration. It is recommended that the solution be administered orally two hours prior to procedure.

HORSES:

- For alleviation of pain and inflammation associated with castration. .
- For alleviation of pain and inflammation associated with chronic musculoskeletal disorders.

FOR USE BY OR UNDER DIRECTION **OF A VETERINARIAN**

BN: XXXXXXXXXXX FXP: MMYY



DIRECTIONS FOR USE **Restraints:**

DO NOT USE in horses that may be used for human consumption.

Contraindications:

Contraindicated for use in animals suffering from haemorrhagic gastrointestinal disorders, impaired hepatic, cardiac or renal function and haemorrhagic disorders, or where there is evidence of individual hypersensitivity to the product. Contraindicated for concurrent administration with glucocorticoids or other non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, or with anti-coagulant agents.

Precautions:

The safety of this product in pregnant or lactating horses and in horses under 6 months of age has not been established. The product should be used with caution in conjunction with other highly protein bound drugs. Avoid use in very severely dehydrated, hypovolaemic or hypotensive animals which require parenteral rehydration, as there may be a potential risk of increased renal toxicity. An anti-inflammatory alone will not provide adequate pain relief during the castration procedure. To obtain adequate pain relief during surgery co-medication with an appropriate analgesic is recommended. Side effects:

In the case of overdosage, symptomatic treatment should be initiated.

Dosage and Administration:

Shake well before use. Discard unused portion of the product within 6 months of first opening. The suspension should be given using the Meloxi-Care syringe with mL gradations provided in the packaging. The syringe fits onto the bottle using a resealable draw off cap which is provided. Avoid introduction of contamination during use.

Cattle:

SINGLE USE ONLY by oral dosage, 1.0 mg meloxicam/kg body weight. (ie 10 mL per 150 kg body weight)

Horses: **MULTIPLE DOSAGE.**

To be administered at a dosage of 0.6 mg meloxicam/kg bodyweight (i.e. 4 mL/100 kg bodyweight), once daily, for up to 3 days for castration and up to 5 days for lameness. To be administered either mixed with a small quantity of food, prior to feeding, or directly into the mouth using an appropriately sized oral dosing syringe. Calculate dosage correctly, weigh horse or accurately estimate bodyweight, measure and administer carefully according to good veterinary practice.

WITHHOLDING PERIODS CATTLE:

MEAT: DO NOT USE less than 35 days before slaughter for human consumption. MILK: Milk collected from cows within 96 hours (8 milkings) following treatment MUST NOT BE USED or processed for human consumption, or fed to bobby calves. Repeat treatments (more than ONCE) or higher doses could result in residues above the MRLs unless the label withholding period is extended. The prescribing veterinarian would need to advise on an extended withholding period. HORSES:

DO NOT USE in horses that may be used for human consumption.

TRADE ADVICE

EXPORT SLAUGHTER INTERVAL (ESI): DO NOT USE less than 42 days before slaughter for export. Before using this product, confirm the current ESI from Parnell Australia Pty Ltd on 1800 665 882. **EXPORT COLLECTION INTERVAL (ECI): Milk** collected from cows within 96 hours (8 milkings) following treatment MUST NOT **BE EXPORTED** as milk or processed milk products.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS

May irritate the eyes. Avoid contact with eyes. When opening the container and using the product, wear cotton overalls buttoned to the neck and wrist (or equivalent clothing) and disposable gloves. Wash hands after use. After each day's use wash contaminated clothing.

FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre, Phone Australia 13 11 26. ADDITIONAL USER SAFETY

People with known hypersensitivities to non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) should avoid contact with the product.

DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE

Store below 25°C (air conditioning). Store upright. Discard unused portion of the product within 6 months of first opening.

1000 mL

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