

RESTRICTED VETERINARY MEDICINE

Keep out of reach of children

FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY

Spectrazol[®]

milking cow

Each single dose 3g syringe contains 250mg cefuroxime (as the sodium salt).

SYRINGES X 20

Read entire label before use.

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS WARNING contains cefuroxime which may cause mild skin irritation or an allergic skin reaction. Avoid skin contact and wear gloves. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not handle this product if you know you are sensitised, or if you have been advised not to work with such preparations.

FIRST AID If on skin wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs seek medical advice. Swelling of the face, eyes or lips or difficulty with breathing are more serious symptoms and require urgent medical attention. For advice contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor.

DISPOSAL Dispose of unused contents and empty container in a suitable landfill.

See *Safety Data Sheet* for further information: www.msd-animal-health.co.nz

INDICATIONS

For the treatment of clinical mastitis in lactating cows.

DOSAGE

The contents of one syringe should be infused into the teat canal of each infected quarter immediately following each of three successive milkings, i.e. every 12 hours. Three syringes provide the normal course of treatment. However, when considered necessary, therapy can be continued to deliver up to eight syringes in total.

ADMINISTRATION

Milk out the infected quarter. Clean teat thoroughly with cotton wool soaked in 70% alcohol solution. Allow to dry. Infuse full contents of syringe into the teat canal of the infected quarter. Dip or spray with specially formulated teat antiseptic.

1. After milking is complete, thoroughly clean and disinfect the end of the teat (e.g. with cotton wool soaked in 70% alcohol solution).

2. Hold the barrel of the syringe firmly in one hand and gently twist and pull the protective cap to remove it. **DO NOT BEND THE NOZZLE.** Take care not to contaminate the nozzle.

3. Insert the nozzle into the teat canal and apply steady pressure on the syringe plunger until the full dose has been delivered. Holding the end of the teat with one hand, gently massage upwards with the other to aid in the dispersion of the antibiotic into the quarter.

4. Finally, spray teat carefully with an approved teat spray.

WITHHOLDING PERIOD

It is an offence for users of this product to cause residues exceeding the relevant MRL in the New Zealand (Maximum Residues Limits of Agricultural Compounds) Food Standards.

Milk

Following up to 3 treatments: Milk intended for sale for human consumption must be discarded during treatment and for not less than four milkings (48 hours) following the last treatment.

Following 4 to 8 treatments: Milk intended for sale for human consumption must be discarded during treatment and for not less than 6 milkings (72 hours) following the last treatment.

GUIDE TO HELP ACCURATE MILK DISCARD AFTER TREATMENT (Milking twice daily)

Day last treatment given	SUN AM	SUN PM	MON AM	MON PM	TUE AM	TUE PM	WED AM	WED PM	THU AM	THU PM	FRI AM	FRI PM	SAT AM	SAT PM
Following 3 treatments, milk may be added to the bulk tank	TUE PM	WED AM	WED PM	THU AM	THU PM	FRI AM	FRI PM	SAT AM	SAT PM	SUN AM	SUN PM	MON AM	MON PM	TUE AM
Following 4-8 treatments milk may be added to the bulk tank	WED PM	THU AM	THU PM	FRI AM	FRI PM	SAT AM	SAT PM	SUN AM	SUN PM	MON AM	MON PM	TUE AM	TUE PM	WED AM

Meat:

Following up to 3 treatments: 3 days – Animals producing meat or offal for human consumption must not be sold for slaughter either during treatment or within 3 days of the last treatment.

Following 4 to 8 treatments: 30 days - Animals producing meat or offal for human consumption must not be sold for slaughter either during treatment or within 30 days of the last treatment.

STORAGE

Store below 25°C. Do not refrigerate.

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