

DUFATIL 25% ORAL

Composition:

Contains per ml oral solution:

Tilmicosin (as phosphate) 250 mg

Description:

Tilmicosin is a broad-spectrum, semi-synthetic antibiotic synthesized from tylosin with bactericidal activity against gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria, predominantly *Mycoplasma*, *Pasteurella* and *Haemophilus* spp.

Indications:

Respiratory infections in calves, poultry and swine, caused by microorganisms susceptible to tilmicosin.

Contraindications:

Hypersensitivity to tilmicosin. Animals intended for breeding purposes. Animals with active microbial digestion.

Dosage and administration:

For oral administration in drinking water or (artificial) milk.

Calves 1 ml per 20 kg body weight, administered twice daily in (artificial) milk for 3 – 5 days

Poultry 300 ml per 1000 litres of water (75 ppm) continuously for 3 days

Swine 800 ml per 1000 litres of water (200 ppm) continuously for 5 days

Shake well before use. Medicated water or milk should be used immediately and refreshed every 24 hours for the duration of the treatment. Correct dosage should be based on daily water consumption.

Side effects:

Transient decrease in water or (artificial) milk intake can occur.

Precautions and warnings:

It is recommended that the susceptibility of the causative microorganisms is established before treatment is started.

Use in pregnant or lactating animals only after risk/benefit assessment by a veterinarian.

Severely sick animals have altered drinking patterns and may need to be medicated parenterally.

Withdrawal times:

Meat: 42 days (calves), 12 days (broilers); 19 days (turkeys), 14 days (swine).

Do not use in layers producing eggs for human consumption.

Storage conditions: Store dark and below 25°C. Do not freeze.

Packing:

240 ml and 1 litre bottles.