Bacivet® S (Zinc bacitracin)

Powder for use in drinking water of rabbits

EFFICACY	proven to have an excellent efficacy in the field
SPECIFIC	no passage of intestinal barrier
ALTERNATIVE TREATMENT	No known cross-resistance
	Not contra-indicated with monovalent ionophores

WATERSOLUBILITY

Bacivet® S has a good water solubility

= Correct dosing

ANTIMICROBIAL ACTIVITY

Bactericidal activity against Gram + bacteria, particularly Clostridiaceae
First choice product for Epizootic Rabbit Enterocolitis

= Efficacy

STABILITY

Zinc ensures the active remains stable

= Stability

Indications: Reduction of clinical signs and mortality due to ERE associated with infections caused by *Clostridium perfringens*

Application 100 g product (=1 sachet) per 1000 kg rabbit for 14 days

Withdrawal time: 2 days

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COMPOSITION
Active substance: Bacitracin zinc 4200 IU/ g

INDICATIONS
Rabbits for fattening.
At the flock level: reduction of clinical signs and mortality due to Epizootic Rabbit Enterocolitis (ERE) associated with infections caused by *Clostridium perfringens*, sensitive to bacitracin.

AMOUNTS TO BE ADMINISTERED AND ADMINISTRATION ROUTE
Oral use via drinking water.

Dosage:	420 IU/ kg bodyweight.
Practical dosing:	100 g product (=1 sachet) per 1000 kg rabbit for 14 days.

In order to facilitate a correct dosing it is advised to dilute the powder first in a stock solution. After evaluation of the therapeutic response, the duration of treatment can be prolonged by 7 days if necessary. To ensure a correct dosage, body weight and water intake should be determined as accurately as possible to avoid underdosing.

SIMULATION FOR TREATMENT

Water consumption (ml) per day per kg BW	Gram Bacivet® S per 100 liter drinking water
100	100
110	91
120	83
130	77
140	71
150	67
160	63
170	59
180	56

CONTRA-INDICATIONS
Do not use in case of hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of excipients.

SPECIAL WARNINGS FOR EACH TARGET SPECIES
Before installing a treatment, the management and sanitary conditions at the farm should be evaluated against the risk of an outbreak of the disease. The treatment should be installed if there is a known history of epizootic enterocolitis at the farm and as soon as the first case of mortality due to enterocolitis has been confirmed.

SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR USE

Special precautions for use in animals
Use of the product should be based on susceptibility testing of the bacteria isolated from the animal. If this is not possible, therapy should be based on local (regional, farm level) epidemiological information about susceptibility of the target bacteria.
Inappropriate use of the product may increase the prevalence of bacteria resistant to bacitracin zinc and may decrease the effectiveness of treatment with other classes of antimicrobials, due to the potential for cross resistance.

Special precautions to be taken by the person administering the veterinary medicinal product to animals.
Bacitracin can occasionally cause hypersensitivity reactions after inhalation or skin contact. Do not manipulate this product in case of known allergy to bacitracin or when the person has received the recommendation to avoid working with this preparation.
Avoid inhalation of dust when incorporating the product, and to avoid all contact with it, follow the recommendations for use: it is recommended to wear a mask, security glasses, protection gloves and protection clothing. After preparation and administration of the solution, wash hands. In case of skin contact, rinse excessively with clear water.
In case of observations of symptoms such as skin eruptions after exposure to the product or a persistent eye irritation in case of projection, consult a medical doctor and show him this precaution text. Swelling of the face, lips or eyebrows and breathing difficulties are serious signs and need urgent medical care.

Adverse reactions (frequency and seriousness)
If you notice any serious effects or other effects not mentioned in this leaflet, please inform your veterinary surgeon.

Use during pregnancy, lactation or lay
Studies in laboratory animals (rats) did not show any teratogenic or embryotoxic effects of zinc bacitracin at a therapeutic dose. The safety of the product in pregnant or lactating breeding rabbits has not been demonstrated. The use of the product in these animals is not recommended.

Interaction with other medicinal products and other forms of interaction
None known

Overdose
No undesirable effects have been observed after administration of the product at 5 times the recommended dose level.

Incompatibilities
In the absence of compatibility studies, this veterinary medicinal product must not be mixed with other veterinary medicinal products.

SHELF AND STORAGE
Shelf life of the veterinary medicinal product as packaged for sale: 2 years
Shelf life after first opening the immediate packaging: use immediately
Shelf life after dilution or reconstitution according to directions: 24 hours
Do not store above 30 °C.

WITHDRAWAL PERIOD(S)
Meat and offal: 2 days

PACKAGING
Low density polyethylene / aluminium / polyester bag.
Box containing 10 bags of 100 g.

MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER
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** Used references can be obtained upon demand*
*** Please consult the local label and veterinary surgeon for exact indications and posology*
**** Use medicines responsibly*
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