

Summary of Product Characteristics

1 NAME OF THE VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Iosan Silk dip 2.2 % w/v

2 QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION

Active Substance:

Complexed Iodine
(equivalent to available iodine) 2.2 % w/v

For a full list of excipients see section 6.1

3 PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Teat dip concentrate
A clear dark brown solution

4 CLINICAL PARTICULARS

4.1 Target Species

Lactating Bovines.

4.2 Indications for use, specifying the target species

For use in cows as a teat dip, teat spray and udder wash, as an aid in the control of mastitis and teat chapping. For maintaining the teat skin in a supple and smooth condition.

4.3 Contraindications

Do not use in animals with known hypersensitivity to the active ingredient or to any of the excipients.

4.4 Special warnings for each target species

None.

4.5 Special precautions for use

Special precautions for use in animals:

Before milking, teats should be washed and thoroughly dried, preferably with an individual paper towel. Teat dip cup should be emptied after milking and washed before re-use.

Special precautions to be taken by the person administering the veterinary medicinal product to animals:

If the milker is allergic or idiosyncratic towards iodine it is recommended to change to a non-iodine based product.

Concentrate:

There is a risk of serious damage to the eyes. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

Gloves should be worn when handling the concentrate.

Wash thoroughly with soap and water following any skin contact.

Diluted working solution:

Do not breathe spray.

First Aid:

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. If ingested give copious drafts of milk or water.

Skin Contact: Wash with water.

Eye Contact: Irrigate with water and seek medical aid.

Inhalation: If affected by vapour, remove to fresh air. Keep at rest and keep warm. Seek medical aid.

Guide to doctor: Symptoms of poisoning may include metallic taste, abdominal pain, vomiting and diarrhoea. The stomach should be emptied by emesis or gastric lavage. Treat as for iodine ingestion.

4.6 Adverse reactions (frequency and seriousness)

Iodophor teat disinfectants can be regarded as safe for the target animal, the dairy cow, when used as recommended. At the concentrations used for post milking sanitation (5000 ppm) their local and resorptive tolerance is good. In the rare case of a suspected or proven allergy of a herd, it is recommended to change to a non-iodine disinfectant.

4.7 Use during pregnancy, lactation or lay

This product can be used during lactation and pregnancy.

4.8 Interaction with other medicinal products and other forms of interactions

None known.

4.9 Amounts to be administered and administration route

For topical administration to the teats after diluting 1 part dip to 3 parts water.

Teat Dipping: Each teat should be dipped at least 2cm into the disinfectant solution containing 5000 ppm available iodine immediately after each milking.

Teat Spraying: Each teat should be sprayed with disinfectant solution containing 5000 ppm available iodine immediately after each milking. Care should be taken to cover the whole teat. Apply with applicators consisting of plastic or stainless steel components.

Udder Washing: Dilute 20ml of Silk dip in 4 litres of water. Clean the udder with this solution before each milking. A fresh solution should be prepared daily.

4.10 Overdose (symptoms, emergency procedures, antidotes), if necessary

Not applicable.

4.11 Withdrawal period(s)

Meat and offal: Zero days Milk: Zero hours

5 PHARMACOLOGICAL or IMMUNOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

Pharmacotherapeutic group: Antiseptics and disinfectants, iodine.

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6 PHARMACEUTICAL PARTICULARS

6.1 List of excipients

Ethoxylated long chain alcohol

Glycerine

Allantoin

Water

6.2 Major incompatibilities

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

6.3 Shelf-life

Shelf-life of the veterinary medicinal product as packaged for sale: 3 years

6.4 Special precautions for storage

Do not store above 25°C. Protect from frost. Store tightly closed in original container.

6.5 Nature and composition of immediate packaging

5 litre, 4 x 5 litre and 20 litre HDPE containers with screw cap closures containing a clear dark brown fluid for use as a teat dip. Not all pack sizes may be marketed.

6.6 Special precautions for the disposal of unused veterinary medicinal products or waste materials derived from the use of such products

Harmful to fish - do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container.

Wash out container and dispose of safely.

Any unused veterinary medicinal product or waste materials derived from such veterinary medicinal products should be disposed of in accordance with local requirements.

7 MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

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