# <u>PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON <THE OUTER PACKAGE> <AND> <THE</u> IMMEDIATE PACKAGE> {NATURE/TYPE}

#### 1. NAME OF THE VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Zincoped

# 2. STATEMENT OF ACTIVE AND OTHER SUBSTANCES

Active Ingredient: Zinc Sulphate Heptahydrate 100%

# 3. PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Cutaneous powder for solution.

## 4. PACKAGE SIZE

20Kg

## 5. TARGET SPECIES

Sheep

# 6. INDICATION(S)

For the use in the foot bath for the treatment and control of Foot Rot in sheep.

# 7. METHOD AND ROUTE(S) OF ADMINISTRATION

Prepare a 10% solution of Zincoped in clean water as a footbath (1Kg per 10 litres of water). It is advisable to dissolve the Zincoped in a volume of water in a suitable bucket with stirring and then add it to the footbath. Add more water to the bucket, if necessary to dissolve any remaining powder. Top up the footbath to the mark with clean water.

Sheep should be allowed to stand in the solution for at least 2 minutes and then be allowed to return to grass.

If signs of disease persist or appear consult your veterinary surgeon.

To get the most benefit from a Zincoped footbath it is advisable to follow the following points:

The entry and exit of the footbath should be clean.

Treat all the animals in any one group.

Mud or dung contamination of the bath will reduce effectiveness. Sheep with muddy feet should be put through a wash bath first.

Ensure that all animals are well watered before entering the bath, observe at all times and prevent them from drinking the bath solution.

The water must be deep enough to completely cover the feet. Top up the footbath with the same strength solution (10%) to maintain the water depth.

Allow the sheep into the bath in batches if possible, and allow them to stand in the solution for 2 minutes. In un-penned baths ensure the sheep walk through as slowly as possible.

Badly affected feet should be trimmed to aid treatment. In severe cases repeat the treatment at weekly intervals.

Allow the sheep to drain on suitable hard standing before returning them to pasture. Foot rot is highly contagious, treated sheep should not be returned to infected pasture for at least a week if it can be avoided.

Retreat the group in two weeks if infection is likely to reappear.

Clean out the footbath if it becomes too fouled with droppings etc and refill with fresh solution.

The footbath should be emptied and cleaned after each treatment period.

# 8. WITHDRAWAL PERIOD

Sheep – Meat – Zero days Milk – Zero hours

# 9. SPECIAL WARNING(S), IF NECESSARY

Wash hands and exposed skin before meals and after work. Wash splashes from the eyes immediately with clean water. Wear wellington boots and rubber gloves when handling the solid or solution. Prevent access to the bath by children and animals when not being used.

#### 10. EXPIRY DATE

5 years

## 11. SPECIAL STORAGE CONDITIONS

Store in tightly closed original container. Store in a dry place.

# 12. SPECIFIC PRECAUTIONS FOR THE DISPOSAL OF UNUSED PRODUCTS OR WASTE MATERIALS, IF ANY

Do not contaminate water including ponds, ditches, ground and surface waters. It is an offence to permit any poisonous, noxious or polluting matter to enter any river, stream or watercourse.

Do not use soakaways as a means of disposal.

To dispose of used Zincoped solution an authorisation under the Groundwater Regulations 1998 is required. To apply for an authorisation contact the Environment Agency or the Scottish Environment Protection Agency (SEPA) or the Environment and Heritage Service of the Department

of Environment for Northern Ireland (EHS/DENI). Alternatively spent Zincoped solution should be disposed of by a licensed waste disposal contractor.

If you have an area of land authorised for the disposal of Zincoped solution, you should apply no more than 600 litres of spent bath per hectare (50 gallons/acre). Dilution of 1 part of Zincoped solution by 30 parts or more of water or slurry may be necessary to achieve this application rate. Concentrate should be disposed of by a specialist waste disposal contractor. Containers should be washed out and the rinsing's added to the footbath. Puncture the container to prevent re-use and dispose of by normal means.

Consult the following for further advice on the safe disposal of spent footbath liquors and their containers:

Code of good agricultural practice for the protection of water:
Available free of charge from DEFRA Publications, London SW1A 2XX.
Code of good agricultural practice for the protection of soil:
Available free of charge from DEFRA Publications, London SW1A 2XX.
The Code of Good Practice for The Prevention Of Environmental Pollution From Agricultural Activity:

Available from SOAFD, Edinburgh, EH14 1TW.

# 13. THE WORDS "FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY" AND CONDITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS REGARDING SUPPLY AND USE IF APPLICABLE [Distribution category]

For external use only.

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## 14. THE WORDS "KEEP OUT OF THE SIGHT AND REACH OF CHILDREN"

# 15. NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

Battle, Hayward and Bower Ltd Crofton Drive, Lincoln. LN3 4NP

# 16. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBER(S)

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#### 17. MANUFACTURER'S BATCH NUMBER

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