# <PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON THE OUTER PACKAGE>

# {CARTON FOR PACK SIZES OF 2,4, 6 AND 8 TABLETS}

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

**Ridaworm Plus Tablets for Dogs** 

Praziquantel, Febantel, Pyrantel

#### 2. STATEMENT OF ACTIVE SUBSTANCES

Each tablet contains:

Praziquantel	50 mg
Pyrantel	50 mg (equivalent to 144 mg pyrantel embonate)
Febantel	150 mg

# 3. PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Tablet.

#### 4. PACKAGE SIZE

2, 4, 6, 8 tablets.

#### 5. TARGET SPECIES

Dogs.

#### 6. INDICATION(S)

Treatment of mixed infections of gut worms (roundworms & tapeworms) in dogs.

#### 7. METHOD AND ROUTE(S) OF ADMINISTRATION

Read the package leaflet before use.

Single dose: For oral administration.

1 tablet per 10 kg bodyweight.

To ensure administration of a correct dose, body weight should be determined as accurately as possible. It is important to follow the treatment recommendations presented below. Do not deviate from these recommendations without the advice of your veterinary surgeon.

Body weight (kg)	Tablets
Greater than 3 up to 5 kg	1/2
bodyweight	
Greater than 5 up to 10	1
kg bodyweight	
Greater than 10 up to 15	1 1/2
kg bodyweight	
Greater than 15 up to 20	2
kg bodyweight	
Greater than 20 up to 25	2 1/2
kg bodyweight	
Greater than 25 up to 30	3
kg bodyweight	
Greater than 30 up to 35	3 1/2
kg bodyweight	
Greater than 35 up to 40	4
kg bodyweight	

The tablet can be divided in two or four equal doses.

Tablets should be given directly by mouth or if necessary given with food. This medicine does not need to be given on an empty stomach.

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Not for use in animals weighing less than 3 kg or less than 2 weeks of age.

Puppies should be treated at 2 weeks of age and every 2 weeks until 12 weeks of age. Thereafter they should be treated at 3 month intervals.

It is advisable to treat the bitch at the same time as the puppies. For the control of *Toxocara*, nursing bitches should be dosed 2 weeks after giving birth and every two weeks until weaning.

In case of suspected heavy roundworm infestation, please contact your veterinary surgeon for diagnosis and treatment recommendation.

#### 8. WITHDRAWAL PERIOD

N/A

# 9. SPECIAL WARNING(S), IF NECESSARY

**User warnings:** In case of accidental ingestion, seek medical advice and show the package leaflet or carton to the physician. Wash hands after use.

#### Read the package leaflet before use.

If your dog is receiving other medication, check with your vet before using this product.

Do not use simultaneously with other wormers without veterinary advice.

Do not use in animals with a known allergy to any of the ingredients.

Do not use in pregnant dogs, except under veterinary advice.

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

Do not exceed the stated dose; in the event of an overdose, seek immediate veterinary advice.

Ensure sources of tapeworm re-infestation (fleas and mice) are removed.

#### 10. EXPIRY DATE

EXP {month/year}

Do not use after expiry date.

#### 11. SPECIAL STORAGE CONDITIONS

Do not store above 25°C. Keep immediate packaging in outer carton. Discard any unused half tablets immediately.

Do not remove tablets from immediate packaging until required for use.

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

Please refer to package leaflet for disposal advice.

# 13. THE WORDS "FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY" AND CONDITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS REGARDING SUPPLY AND USE, if applicable

For animal treatment only.

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

Keep out of the sight and reach of children.

#### 15. NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

C&H Generics Ltd c/o Michael McEvoy and Co Seville House New Dock Street Galway Ireland

#### 16. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBER

Vm 40162/4014

# 17. MANUFACTURER'S BATCH NUMBER

# BN{number}

#### MINIMUM PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON BLISTERS OR STRIPS

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# PACKAGE LEAFLET

#### **Ridaworm Plus Tablets for Dogs**

# 1. NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER AND OF THE MANUFACTURING AUTHORISATION HOLDER RESPONSIBLE FOR BATCH RELEASE,

Marketing authorisation holder:

Manufacturer responsible for batch release:

C&H Generics Ltd c/o Michael McEvoy and Co Seville House New Dock Street Galway Ireland <u>release:</u> Chanelle Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Limited Loughrea Co. Galway Ireland

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

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Praziquantel, Febantel, Pyrantel

# 3. STATEMENT OF THE ACTIVE SUBSTANCE(S) AND OTHER INGREDIENT(S)

Each tablet contains:

Praziquantel	50 mg
Pyrantel	50 mg (equivalent to 144 mg pyrantel embonate)
Febantel	150 mg

The pork-flavoured tablets are pale yellow with a cross break line on one side. The tablets can be divided into halves or quarters.

# 4. INDICATION(S)

In dogs: Treatment of mixed infections by roundworms (nematodes) and tapeworms (cestodes) of the following species

#### Nematodes:

**Ascarids:** *Toxocara canis*, *Toxascaris leonina* (adult and late immature forms). **Hookworms:** *Uncinaria stenocephala*, *Ancylostoma caninum* (adults). Whipworms: Trichuris vulpis (adults).

# Cestodes:

**Tapeworms:** *Echinococcus* species, *(E. granulosus, E. multilocularis), Taenia* species,

(*T. hydatigena, T. pisiformis, T. taeniformis) Dipylidium caninum* (adult and immature forms).

# 5. CONTRAINDICATIONS

Do not use simultaneously with piperazine compounds as the anthelmintic effects of pyrantel and piperazine may be antagonized.

Do not use simultaneously with other deworming products without veterinary advice.

Do not use in animals with a known sensitivity to the active ingredients or to any of the excipients.

# 6. ADVERSE REACTIONS

In very rare cases slight and transient digestive tract disorders such as vomiting and / or diarrhoea may occur. In individual cases these signs can be accompanied by nonspecific signs such as lethargy, anorexia or hyperactivity.

The frequency of adverse reactions is defined using the following convention:

- very common (more than 1 in 10 animals displaying adverse reaction(s) during the course of one treatment)

- common (more than 1 but less than 10 animals in 100 animals)
- uncommon (more than 1 but less than 10 animals in 1,000 animals)
- rare (more than 1 but less than 10 animals in 10,000 animals)
- very rare (less than 1 animal in 10,000 animals, including isolated reports)

If you notice any serious effects or other effects not mentioned in this leaflet, please inform your veterinary surgeon.

# 7. TARGET SPECIES

Dogs

# 8. DOSAGE FOR EACH SPECIES, ROUTE(S) AND METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION Single dose: For oral administration.

The recommended dose rates are: 15 mg/kg bodyweight febantel, 5 mg/kg pyrantel (equivalent to 14.4 mg/kg pyrantel embonate) and 5 mg/kg praziquantel.

This is equivalent to 1 tablet per 10 kg (22 lbs) bodyweight. The tablets can be given directly to the dog or disguised in food. No starvation is needed before, or after, treatment.

The tablet can be divided in two or four equal doses.

Puppies and Small

It is important to follow the treatment recommendations as presented here. Do not deviate from the recommendations without the advice of your veterinary surgeon.

Dogs:	
3 kg up to 5 kg bodyweight	½ tablet
Greater than 5 up to 10 kg bodyweight	1 tablet
Medium Dogs:	
Greater than 10 up to 15 kg bodyweight	1 ½ tablets
Greater than 15 up to 20 kg bodyweight	2 tablets
Greater than 20 up to 25 kg bodyweight	2 ½ tablets
Greater than 25 up to 30 kg bodyweight	3 tablets
Large Dogs:	
Greater than 30 up to 35 kg bodyweight	3 ½ tablets
Greater than 35 up to 40 kg bodyweight	4 tablets

Not for use in dogs weighing less than 3 kg.

Puppies should be treated at 2 weeks of age and every 2 weeks until 12 weeks of age. Thereafter they should be treated at 3 month intervals.

The product may be used in lactating bitches from two weeks after giving birth. It is advisable to treat the bitch at the same time as the puppies. For the control of *Toxocara*, nursing bitches should be dosed 2 weeks after giving birth and every two weeks until weaning.

For routine worm control adult dogs should be treated every 3 months.

For routine treatment a single dose is recommended.

In case of suspected heavy roundworm infestation, please contact your veterinary surgeon for diagnosis and treatment recommendation.

# 9. ADVICE ON CORRECT ADMINISTRATION

To ensure administration of a correct dose, body weight should be determined as accurately as possible

# 10. WITHDRAWAL PERIOD

N/A

# 11. SPECIAL STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Keep out of the sight and reach of children.

Do not use this veterinary medicinal product after the expiry date which is stated on the label after EXP. The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.

Do not store above 25°C. Keep immediate packaging in outer carton.

Discard any unused half tablets immediately.

Do not remove tablets from immediate packaging until required for use.

# 12. SPECIAL WARNING(S)

Do not use simultaneously with piperazine compounds as the anthelmintic effects of pyrantel and piperazine may be antagonized.

Concurrent use with other cholinergic compounds (e.g. neostigmine, propoxur and bethanecol) can lead to toxicity.

If your dog receives other veterinary medicinal products, check with a veterinary surgeon or pharmacist before using this product.

Fleas serve as intermediate hosts for one common type of tapeworm – *Dipylidium caninum*.

Tapeworm infestation is certain to re-occur unless control of intermediate hosts such as fleas, mice etc. is undertaken.

Tapeworm infestation is unlikely in pups less than 6 weeks of age.

Development of parasite resistance to anthelmintics of a certain class can occur after frequent and repeated use of an anthelmintic from that class.

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

Do not exceed the stated dose, especially when treating pregnant bitches. In the event of an overdose seek immediate veterinary advice.

Consult a veterinary surgeon before treating pregnant animals.

Teratogenic effects attributed to high doses of febantel have been reported in sheep and rats. No studies have been performed in dogs during early pregnancy. Use of the product during pregnancy should be in accordance with a benefit risk assessment by the responsible veterinarian. It is recommended that the product is not used in dogs during the first 4 weeks of pregnancy. Do not exceed the stated dose when treating pregnant bitches.

# User warnings:

In case of accidental ingestion, seek medical advice and show the package leaflet to the physician. In the interests of good hygiene, persons administering the tablets directly to a dog or adding them to the dog's food should wash their hands afterwards.

Echinococcosis represents a hazard for humans. As echinococcosis is a notifiable disease to the World Organisation for Animal Health (OIE), specific guidelines on the treatment and follow-up, and on the safeguard of persons, need to be obtained from the relevant competent authority.

# Overdose:

The combination of praziquantel, pyrantel embonate and febantel is well tolerated in dogs. In safety studies, a single dose of 5 times the recommended dose or greater gave rise to occasional vomiting.

# 13. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR THE DISPOSAL OF UNUSED PRODUCT OR WASTE MATERIAL, IF ANY

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

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater.

Ask your veterinary surgeon how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures should help to protect the environment.

# 14. DATE ON WHICH THE PACKAGE LEAFLET WAS LAST APPROVED

# **15. OTHER INFORMATION**

2, 4, 6 and 8 tablets.

Not all pack sizes may be marketed.

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