

## **PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON THE OUTER PACKAGE {CARTON}**

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

Dectomax 5 mg/ml Pour-on solution for cattle.

### **2. STATEMENT OF ACTIVE AND OTHER SUBSTANCES**

1 ml contains: Doramectin 5 mg  
Excipient  
Butylated hydroxytoluene not more than 0.05 mg

### **3. PACKAGE SIZE**

1L, 2.5L, 3L, 5 L, 6L (5L + 1L) and 8L (5 L + 3 L)

### **4. TARGET SPECIES**

Cattle

### **5. INDICATION(S)**

#### **TREATS INFESTATIONS OF**

✓ **GASTROINTESTINAL ROUNDWORMS** ✓ **LUNGWORMS**  
✓ **EYEWORMS** ✓ **WARBLES** ✓ **SUCKING AND BITING LICE** ✓ **MANGE MITES** ✓  
**HORNFLY**

### **6. ROUTES OF ADMINISTRATION**

For topical use.

Read the package leaflet before use.

A single treatment of 1 ml (5 mg doramectin) per 10 kg bodyweight, equivalent to 500 µg/kg bodyweight, applied topically along the mid-line of the back in a narrow strip between the withers and tail head.

### Dosage table

Body-weight (kg)	Dose Volume (ml)	Doses per 1 Litre Pack	Doses per 2.5 Litre Pack	Doses per 3 Litre Pack	Doses per 5 Litre Pack	Doses per 6 Litre Pack	Doses per 8 Litre Pack
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200	20	50	125	150	250	300	400
250	25	40	100	120	200	240	320
300	30	33	83	100	166	200	266
350	35	28	71	85	142	171	228
400	40	25	62	75	125	150	200
450	45	22	55	66	111	133	177
500	50	20	50	60	100	120	160
600	60	16	41	50	83	100	133
700	70	14	35	42	71	85	114

## 7. WITHDRAWAL PERIODS

Meat and offal: 35 days.

Not permitted for use in lactating animals producing milk for human consumption.

Do not use in pregnant cows or heifers, which are intended to produce milk for human consumption, within 2 months of expected parturition.

## 8. EXPIRY DATE

EXP {mm/yyyy}

Once opened use within 1 year.

Once opened, use by...

## 9. SPECIAL STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Do not refrigerate

Protect from light

## 10. THE WORDS “READ THE PACKAGE LEAFLET BEFORE USE”

Read the package leaflet before use

## 11. THE WORDS “FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY”

For animal treatment only

## 12. THE WORDS “KEEP OUT OF THE SIGHT AND REACH OF CHILDREN”

Keep out of the sight and reach of children

### 13. NAME OF THE MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

C&H Generics Limited,  
Distributed in the United Kingdom by:  
Elanco UK AH Ltd, Form 2, Bartley Way, Bartley Wood Business Park, Hook  
RG27 9XA, United Kingdom.

### 14. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBERS

Vm 40162/3001

### 15. BATCH NUMBER

BN:

### 16. SPECIAL WARNING(S), IF NECESSARY

**PRECAUTIONS: HIGHLY FLAMMABLE - KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT, SPARKS, OPEN FLAME OR OTHER SOURCES OF IGNITION.**

**User Warnings:** Operators should wear rubber gloves and boots with a waterproof coat when applying the product. Use only in well ventilated areas or outdoors.

**Environmental Warnings:** Doramectin is very toxic to dung fauna and aquatic organisms. This risk can be reduced by avoiding too frequent and repeated use of this class of anthelmintic product. Keep treated cattle away from water bodies for **five weeks** after treatment.

Read package leaflet before use for full user and environmental warnings.

**Read the package leaflet before use.**

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

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater.

**EXTREMELY DANGEROUS** for fish and aquatic life. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with the product or used container.

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

These measures should help to protect the environment.

Ask your veterinary surgeon or pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required.

### 18. CONDITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS REGARDING SUPPLY AND USE, IF APPLICABLE

Veterinary medicinal product subject to prescription

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## **PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON THE IMMEDIATE PACKAGE { HPDE BOTTLE }**

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

Dectomax 5 mg/ml Pour-on solution for cattle.

### **2. STATEMENT OF ACTIVE AND OTHER SUBSTANCES**

1 ml contains: Doramectin 5 mg  
Excipient  
Butylated hydroxytoluene not more than 0.05 mg

### **3. TARGET SPECIES**

Cattle

### **4. ROUTES OF ADMINISTRATION**

For topical use.

Read the package leaflet before use.

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#### Dosage table

Body-weight (kg)	Dose Volume (ml)	Doses per 1 Litre Pack	Doses per 2.5 Litre Pack	Doses per 3 Litre Pack	Doses per 5 Litre Pack	Doses per 6 Litre Pack	Doses per 8 Litre Pack
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600	60	16	41	50	83	100	133
700	70	14	35	42	71	85	114

### **5. WITHDRAWAL PERIODS**

Meat and offal: 35 days.

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Do not use in pregnant cows or heifers, which are intended to produce milk for human consumption, within 2 months of expected parturition.

## 6. EXPIRY DATE

EXP {mm/yyyy}

Once opened use within 1 year.

Once opened, use by...

## 7. SPECIAL STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Keep the bottle in the outer carton

Do not refrigerate

Protect from light

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## 9. BATCH NUMBER

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## 10. SPECIAL WARNING(S), IF NECESSARY

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**Environmental Warnings:** Doramectin is very toxic to dung fauna and aquatic organisms. This risk can be reduced by avoiding too frequent and repeated use of this class of anthelmintic product. Keep treated cattle away from water bodies for **five weeks** after treatment.

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Read the package leaflet before use.

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

Disposal: read package leaflet.

**12. THE WORDS “FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY” AND CONDITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS REGARDING SUPPLY AND USE IF APPLICABLE**

For animal treatment only.  
Veterinary medicinal product subject to prescription

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## **PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON THE PACKAGE LEAFLET:**

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

Dectomax 5 mg/ml Pour-on Solution for Cattle

### **2. COMPOSITION**

Each ml contains:

#### **Active substance**

Doramectin                    5.0 mg

Excipient

Butylated hydroxytoluene not more than 0.05 mg

Pour-on solution

Clear, colourless solution

### **3. TARGET SPECIES**

Cattle

### **4. INDICATIONS FOR USE**

For treatment of infestations of gastrointestinal roundworms, lungworms, eyeworms, warbles, sucking and biting lice, mange mites and hornfly in cattle.

Gastrointestinal roundworms (adults and fourth stage larvae)

*Ostertagia ostertagi* (inc. inhibited larvae)

*O. lyrata*<sup>1</sup>

*Haemonchus placei*

*Trichostrongylus axei*

*T. colubriformis*

*Cooperia oncophora*

*C. punctata*<sup>1</sup>

*C. surnabada*<sup>1</sup> (syn. *mcmasteri*)

*Bunostomum phlebotomum*<sup>1</sup>

*Oesophagostomum radiatum*

*Trichuris* spp.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> adults

Lungworms (adults and fourth stage larvae)  
*Dictyocaulus viviparus*

Eyeworms (adults)  
*Thelazia* spp.

Warbles (parasitic stages)  
*Hypoderma bovis*, *H. lineatum*

Biting lice  
*Damalinea (Bovicola) bovis*

Sucking lice  
*Haematopinus eurystemus*,  
*Linognathus vituli*,  
*Solenopotes capillatus*

Mange mites  
*Psoroptes bovis*,  
*Sarcoptes scabiei*,  
*Chorioptes bovis*

Horn fly  
*Haematobia irritans*

Duration of activity

Following product administration, efficacy against re-infection with the following parasites persists for the period indicated:

Species	Days
<i>Ostertagia ostertagi</i>	35
<i>Cooperia oncophora</i>	28
<i>Dictyocaulus viviparus</i>	42
<i>Linognathis vituli</i>	49
<i>Oesophagostomum radiatum</i>	21
<i>Damalinea (Bovicola) bovis</i>	42
<i>Trichostrongylus axei</i>	28
<i>Solenopotes capillatus</i>	35

The product also controls horn flies (*Haematobia irritans*) for at least 42 days after treatment.

## 5. CONTRAINDICATIONS

The product has been formulated for topical application specifically for cattle. It should not be administered to other species as severe adverse reactions, including fatalities in dogs, may occur.

Do not use in cases of hypersensitivity to the active substance or any of the excipients.



## 6. SPECIAL WARNINGS

### Special precautions for use in animals:

For external use only.

Care should be taken to avoid the following practices because they increase the risk of development of resistance and could ultimately result in ineffective therapy:

- too frequent and repeated use of anthelmintics from the same class, over an extended period of time.
- under dosing, which may be due to underestimation of bodyweight, misadministration of the product, or lack of calibration of a dosing device (if any).

Resistance to doramectin and other avermectins has been reported in gastro-intestinal nematodes, especially *Cooperia oncophora* and *Ostertagia ostertagi*, in cattle. Therefore, the use of this product should be based on local (regional, farm) epidemiological information about susceptibility of the target nematodes and recommendations on how to limit further selection for resistance to anthelmintics. Suspected clinical cases of resistance to anthelmintics should be further investigated using appropriate tests (e.g. faecal egg count reduction test). Where the results of the test(s) strongly suggest resistance to a particular anthelmintic, an anthelmintic belonging to a different pharmacological class and having a different mode of action should be used.

Avermectins may not be well tolerated in all non-target species. Cases of intolerance with fatal outcome are reported in dogs, especially Collies, old English Sheepdogs and related breeds or crosses, and also in turtles/tortoise. Care should be taken to avoid ingestion of spilled product or access to containers by these other species.

To avoid secondary reactions due to death of Hypoderma larvae in the oesophagus or the spine, it is recommended to administer the product at the end of the period of warble fly activity and before the larvae reach their resting sites. Consult your veterinary surgeon on the correct timing of treatment.

Disease associated with warble fly is notifiable in some regions.

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

People with known hypersensitivity to the doramectin should avoid contact with the product. Do not smoke or eat while handling the product. Wash hands after use. The product may be irritating to human skin and eyes and users should be careful not to apply it to themselves or to other people. Operators should wear impermeable rubber gloves and boots with a waterproof coat when applying the product. Protective clothing should be washed after every use. If accidental skin contact occurs, wash the affected area immediately with soap and water. If irritation persists, seek medical attention. If accidental eye exposure occurs, flush the eyes immediately with clean water and seek medical attention immediately.

Avoid accidental inhalation of this product as this may cause drowsiness and dizziness. Use only in well ventilated areas or outdoors.

Highly Flammable - Keep away from heat, sparks, open flame or other sources of ignition.

### Special precautions for the protection of the environment

Doramectin is very toxic to dung fauna and aquatic organisms and may accumulate in sediments.

Like other macrocyclic lactones, doramectin has the potential to adversely affect non-target organisms. Following treatment, excretion of potentially toxic levels of doramectin may take place over a period of several weeks. Faeces containing doramectin excreted onto pasture by treated animals may reduce the abundance of dung feeding organisms which may impact on the dung degradation.

The risk to aquatic ecosystems and dung fauna can be reduced by avoiding too frequent and repeated use of doramectin (and products of the same anthelmintic class) in cattle.

The risk to aquatic ecosystems will be reduced by keeping treated cattle away from water bodies for five weeks after treatment.

### Pregnancy and lactation:

See section 10.

### Interaction with other medicinal products and other forms of interaction:

None known

### Overdose (symptoms, emergency procedures, antidotes):

Overdoses up to 5 times the label recommended dose resulted in no clinical signs that could be attributed to treatment with Doramectin.

### Incompatibilities:

None known

## **7. ADVERSE EVENTS**

Target species: Cattle

Very rare 1 to 10 animals / 10,000 animals treated):	Application site reaction NOS
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Reporting adverse events is important. It allows continuous safety monitoring of a product. If you notice any side effects, even those not already listed in this package leaflet, or you think that the medicine has not worked, please contact, in the first instance, your veterinarian. You can also report any adverse events to the local representative of the marketing authorisation holder using the contact details at the end of this leaflet, or via your national reporting system <https://www.gov.uk/report-veterinary-medicine-problem>

## 8. DOSAGE FOR EACH SPECIES, ROUTES AND METHOD OF ADMINISTRATION

A single treatment of 1 ml (5 mg doramectin) per 10 kg bodyweight, equivalent to 500 µg/kg bodyweight, applied topically along the mid-line of the back in a narrow strip between the withers and tail head.

Dosage table

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## 9. ADVICE ON CORRECT ADMINISTRATION

To ensure administration of a correct dose, bodyweight should be determined as accurately as possible; accuracy of the dosing device should be checked.

If animals are to be treated collectively rather than individually, they should be grouped according to their bodyweight and dosed accordingly, in order to avoid under- and over-dosing.

Do not apply to areas of skin that are contaminated with mud or manure.

Therapeutic efficacy for internal and external parasites is not affected by heavy rainfall (2 cm in 1 hour) either before (20 minutes) or after (20 and 40 minutes) treatment. The influence of extreme weather conditions on efficacy is unknown.

## 10. WITHDRAWAL PERIODS

Meat and offal: 35 days.

Not permitted for use in lactating animals producing milk for human consumption.

Do not use in pregnant cows or heifers, which are intended to produce milk for human consumption, within 2 months of expected parturition.

## 11. SPECIAL STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Keep out of the sight and reach of children.

Do not refrigerate

Protect from light

Do not use this veterinary medicinal product after the expiry date which is stated on the label/carton after EXP. The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.  
Shelf life after first opening the container: 1 year

## **12. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR DISPOSAL**

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater.  
Extremely dangerous for fish and aquatic life. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with the product or used container.

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

These measures should help to protect the environment.

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## **13. CLASSIFICATION OF VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCTS**

Veterinary medicinal product subject to prescription.

## **14. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBERS AND PACK SIZES**

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Cardboard box with 1 bottle of 1L, 2.5 L, 3 L or 5L

Cardboard box of 6 L (5 L + 1 L)

Cardboard box of 8 L (5 L + 3 L)

Not all pack sizes may be marketed.

For any information about this veterinary medicinal product, please contact the local representative of the marketing authorisation holder.

## **15. DATE ON WHICH THE PACKAGE LEAFLET WAS LAST REVISED**

## **16. CONTACT DETAILS**

Marketing authorisation holder

C&H Generics Limited

c/o Michael McEvoy & Co.

Seville House

New Dock Street

Galway

Ireland

Manufacturer responsible for batch release and contact details to report suspected adverse reactions

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Loughrea  
Co. Galway  
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Telephone: +353 (0)91 841788  
vetpharmacoviggroup@chanellegroup.ie

## 17. OTHER INFORMATION

### **Environmental properties**

Like other macrocyclic lactones, doramectin has the potential to adversely affect non-target organisms. Following treatment, excretion of potentially toxic levels of doramectin may take place over a period of several weeks. Faeces containing doramectin excreted onto pasture by treated animals may reduce the abundance of dung feeding organisms which may impact on the dung degradation. Doramectin is very toxic to aquatic organisms and may accumulate in sediments.

Approved 24 August 2023

