Veterinary Medicines Directorate

United Kingdom
Veterinary Medicines Directorate
Woodham Lane
New Haw
Addlestone
Surrey KT15 3LS

NATIONAL PROCEDURE

PUBLICLY AVAILABLE ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR A VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Meloxicam-Boehringer 0.5 mg/ml Oral Suspension for Cats and Guinea Pigs

Date Created: August 2025

MODULE 1

PRODUCT SUMMARY

Name, strength and pharmaceutical form	Meloxicam-Boehringer 0.5 mg/ml Oral Suspension for Cats and Guinea Pigs
Applicant	Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health UK Ltd Ellesfield Avenue Bracknell Berkshire RG12 8YS England
Active substance	Meloxicam
ATC Vetcode	QM01AC06
Target species	Cats and Guinea Pigs
Indication for use	Cats: Alleviation of mild to moderate post-operative pain and inflammation following surgical procedures in cats, e.g. orthopaedic and soft tissue surgery. Alleviation of pain and inflammation in acute and chronic musculo-skeletal disorders in cats. Guinea pigs: Alleviation of mild to moderate post-operative pain associated with soft tissue surgery such as male castration.

MODULE 2

The Summary of Product Characteristics (SPC) for this product is available on the Product Information Database of the Veterinary Medicines Directorate.

(www.gov.uk/check-animal-medicine-licensed)

MODULE 3

PUBLIC ASSESSMENT REPORT

Legal basis of original application	Informed consent application in accordance with Article 8 of Veterinary Medicine Regulations (VMRs) 2013 (Schedule 1, Para 9) as amended.
Date of conclusion of the procedure	30/06/2025

I. SCIENTIFIC OVERVIEW

The quality / safety / efficacy aspects of this product are identical to Metacam 0.5 mg/ml oral suspension for cats and guinea pigs.

V OVERALL CONCLUSION AND BENEFIT– RISK ASSESSMENT

The data submitted in the dossier demonstrate that when the product is used in accordance with the Summary of Product Characteristics the benefit/risk profile of the product is favourable.

MODULE 4

POST- AUTHORISATION ASSESSMENTS

The SPC and package leaflet may be updated to include new information on the quality, safety and efficacy of the veterinary medicinal product. The current SPC is available on the Product Information Database of the Veterinary Medicines Directorate website.

(www.gov.uk/check-animal-medicine-licensed)

The post-authorisation assessment (PAA) contains information on significant changes which have been made after the original procedure which are important for the quality, safety or efficacy of the product.

The PAA for this product is available on the Product Information Database of the Veterinary Medicines Directorate website.

(www.gov.uk/check-animal-medicine-licensed)