

SUMMARY OF PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

1. NAME OF THE VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Protivity lyophilisate and solvent for suspension for injection for cattle

2. QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION

Each dose of 2 ml contains:

Active substance:

Lyophilisate:

Mycoplasma bovis strain N2805-1, live (attenuated) 0.22 x 10⁷ to 15.50 x 10⁷ CFU*

* Colony Forming Units.

Excipients:

Qualitative composition of excipients and other constituents	Quantitative composition if that information is essential for proper administration of the veterinary medicinal product
Lyophilisate:	
Lactose monohydrate	
Potassium dihydrogen phosphate	
Dipotassium hydrogen phosphate trihydrate	
Monopotassium L-glutamate	
Gelatin	
Casein Hydrolysate	
Basal Medium Eagle	
Magnesium chloride hexahydrate	
Phenol red	
Sodium hydrogen carbonate	
Water for injections	
Solvent:	
Water for injections	2 ml

Lyophilisate: slightly coloured (whitish to cream) freeze-dried pellet.

Solvent: clear and colourless liquid.

3. CLINICAL INFORMATION

3.1 Target species

Cattle.

3.2 Indications for use for each target species

For active immunisation of calves from 1 week of age to reduce clinical signs and lung lesions caused by *Mycoplasma bovis* infection.

Onset of immunity: 12 days after the basic vaccination scheme.

Duration of immunity: has not been established.

3.3 Contraindications

None.

3.4 Special warnings

Vaccinate healthy animals only.

The potential impact of maternally derived antibodies on efficacy of vaccination has not been established.

The product is a live attenuated vaccine. Antimicrobials active against *Mycoplasma* spp. should not be given 15 days before or after vaccination or during the two-dose basic vaccination scheme as they could interfere with vaccine efficacy. Within these time frames, and in the situation where a clinical condition requires the prescription of antimicrobials, preference should be given to those with no anti-*Mycoplasma* spp. activity.

3.5 Special precautions for use

Special precautions for safe use in the target species:

The safety of the veterinary medicinal product has not been established in breeding bulls.

The live attenuated *Mycoplasma bovis* vaccine strain may disseminate into synovial fluid, lymph node, middle ear, conjunctiva, tonsil and lung tissue after vaccination.

In a laboratory study conducted using a dose 7-fold higher than the maximum bacterial content, nasal shedding was observed for at least 9 days post-vaccination in an animal vaccinated through intramuscular and subcutaneous routes. However, the vaccine strain did not spread to in-contact control animals.

Distinguishing between field strains and the vaccine strain of *M. bovis* can be performed by whole genome sequencing tests. Additional information to differentiate the vaccine strain from field strains is available upon request from the marketing authorisation holder.

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

No special precautions to be taken by the person administering the veterinary medicinal product to animals are necessary as *M. bovis* is not considered to present a risk to healthy humans. However, in case of development of adverse reactions

following accidental self-injection, seek medical advice immediately and show the package leaflet or the label to the physician.

Special precautions for the protection of the environment:

Not applicable.

3.6 Adverse events

Cattle:

Very common (>1 animal / 10 animals treated):	injection site swelling ¹
Common (1 to 10 animals / 100 animals treated):	injection site pain ² injection site warmth ² injection site nodule ³
Uncommon (1 to 10 animals / 1,000 animals treated):	lameness

¹More than 5 cm in diameter observed on the day of vaccine administration and resolving spontaneously within 3 days.

²On the day of vaccine administration.

³Less than 0.8 cm³ in volume observed from 10 days after vaccination and lasting between 1 to 5 days.

Reporting adverse events is important. It allows continuous safety monitoring of a veterinary medicinal product. Reports should be sent, preferably via a veterinarian, to either the marketing authorisation holder <or its local representative> or the national competent authority via the national reporting system. See also section “Contact details” of the package leaflet for respective contact details.

3.7 Use during pregnancy, lactation or lay

The safety of the veterinary medicinal product has not been established during pregnancy and lactation.

3.8 Interaction with other medicinal products and other forms of interaction

No information is available on the safety and efficacy of this vaccine when used with any other veterinary medicinal product. A decision to use this vaccine before or after any other veterinary medicinal product therefore needs to be made on a case by case basis.

3.9 Administration routes and dosage

Vaccinate cattle by the subcutaneous route in the neck.

Reconstitute the lyophilisate with the solvent to obtain a suspension for injection.

After reconstitution, the suspension should be pinkish to orange-brown turbid in color.

Basic vaccination scheme:

Two doses, each of 2 ml, should be administered 3 weeks apart to calves from 1 week of age. The second dose should preferably be administered on the alternate side of the neck.

3.10 Symptoms of overdose (and where applicable, emergency procedures and antidotes)

No other adverse events than those mentioned in section 3.6 “Adverse events” were observed after administration of a 10-fold overdose of the vaccine. Swelling at the injection site may have a diameter of more than 5 cm and will spontaneously resolve in 4 days. The volume of the observed nodule may be up to 3 cm³, can be observed from 5 days post vaccination and may last until 16 days after administration of a 10-fold overdose of the vaccine.

3.11 Special restrictions for use and special conditions for use, including restrictions on the use of antimicrobial and antiparasitic veterinary medicinal products in order to limit the risk of development of resistance

Not applicable.

3.12 Withdrawal periods

Zero days.

4. IMMUNOLOGICAL INFORMATION

4.1 ATCvet code: QI02AE05

The vaccine induces an active immunity against *Mycoplasma bovis* in young calves.

Duration of immunity has not been established. The basic vaccination scheme induces a serological response. Within a laboratory study conducted, a single dose administration approximately 14 weeks after the basic vaccination scheme induced an anamnestic immune response in vaccinated animals.

5. PHARMACEUTICAL PARTICULARS

5.1 Major incompatibilities

Do not mix with any other veterinary medicinal product, except solvent supplied for use with the veterinary medicinal product.

5.2 Shelf life

Shelf life of the veterinary medicinal product as packaged for sale: 2 years.
Shelf life after reconstitution according to directions: use immediately.

5.3 Special precautions for storage

Store and transport refrigerated (2 °C – 8 °C).
Keep the vial in the outer carton in order to protect from light.

5.4 Nature and composition of immediate packaging

Type I hydrolytic glass vials containing 10 doses of lyophilisate or 20 ml of solvent.

Lyophilisate: bromobutyl rubber stoppers and aluminium caps.
Solvent: chlorobutyl rubber stoppers and aluminium caps.

Cardboard box containing 1 vial with 10 doses of lyophilisate and 1 vial with 20 ml solvent.

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

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater <or household waste>.

Use take-back schemes for the disposal of any unused veterinary medicinal product or waste materials derived thereof in accordance with local requirements and with any national collection systems applicable to the veterinary medicinal product concerned.

6. NAME OF THE MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

Zoetis UK Limited

7. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBER

Vm 42058/3000

8. DATE OF FIRST AUTHORISATION

05 October 2023

9. DATE OF THE LAST REVISION OF THE SUMMARY OF THE PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

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10. CLASSIFICATION OF VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCTS

Veterinary medicinal product subject to prescription.

Detailed information on this veterinary medicinal product is available in the Union Product Database (<https://medicines.health.europa.eu/veterinary>).

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