



**ASSURING THE SAFETY, QUALITY AND EFFICACY  
OF VETERINARY MEDICINES**

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**NATIONAL PROCEDURE**

**PUBLICLY AVAILABLE ASSESSMENT REPORT FOR A VETERINARY  
MEDICINAL PRODUCT**

**Cartrophen Vet 100 mg/ml Solution for Injection**

## **MODULE 1**

### **PRODUCT SUMMARY**

Name, strength and pharmaceutical form	Cartrophen Vet 100 mg/ml Solution for Injection
Applicant	Arthrofarm Europe Ltd
Active substance(s)	Pentosan Polysulfate Sodium
ATC Vetcode	QM01AX90
Target species	Dog
Indication for use	For the treatment of lameness and pain of degenerative joint disease / osteoarthritis (non-infectious arthrosis) in the skeletally mature dog

## **MODULE 2**

The Summary of Product Characteristics (SPC) for this product is available on the Veterinary Medicines Directorate website ([www.vmd.defra.gov.uk](http://www.vmd.defra.gov.uk))

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## **MODULE 3**

### **PUBLIC ASSESSMENT REPORT**

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Legal basis of original application	Informed Consent application in accordance with Article 13c of Directive 2001/82/EC as amended.
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#### **I. SCIENTIFIC OVERVIEW**

The quality / safety / efficacy aspects of this product is/are identical to Anarthron 100 mg/ml Solution for Injection for Dogs.

#### **II. 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 for the target species is favourable and the quality and safety of the product for humans and the environment is acceptable.

## **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.

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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.

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