

FACT SHEET

Melovem 30



WHAT IS MELOVEM 30?

Melovem 30 is a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory, analgesic and antipyretic injection for use in cattle, sheep, pigs and horses containing meloxicam, 30mg/mL.

WHAT IS MELOVEM 30 FOR?

Melovem 30 is for the treatment of pain, fever and inflammation in cattle, sheep, pigs and horses.

WHEN SHOULD YOU USE MELOVEM 30?

Melovem 30 should be used when animals are showing signs of pain, inflammation (heat, redness, swelling) or have a high temperature. It is often used in conjunction with other treatments such as antibiotics, metabolic treatments or electrolytes.

Conditions where Melovem 30 is useful include:

Cows:

- Mastitis
- Mammary oedema (swollen udder)
- Respiratory conditions
- Colic
- Calf scours
- Calf disbudding
- Difficult calving
- Musculoskeletal conditions such as lameness and 'pinched' nerves

Sheep:

- Tailing (also known as docking)
- Castration
- Shearing cuts

Pigs:

- Locomotor disorders
- Septicaemia
- Toxaemia

Horses:

- Musculoskeletal disorders
- Colic

HOW DO YOU USE MELOVEM 30?

Administer alone or in combination with antibiotic therapy as appropriate.

CATTLE: Administer 1.0mL per 60kg body weight (0.5 mg meloxicam/kg) by subcutaneous or intravenous injection. For very young calves weighing less than 50kg a dose rate of 0.3mL per 20kg is appropriate. For single use only.

SHEEP: Administer 1.0mL per 30kg body weight (1mg meloxicam/kg) by subcutaneous injection high on the neck behind the ear. For a 9kg lamb at docking a dose of 0.3mL is appropriate. For single use only.

PIGS: Administer 1.0mL per 75kg bodyweight (0.4 mg meloxicam/kg) by intramuscular injection in the anterior neck. Can be repeated once after 24 hours if necessary.

HORSES: Administer 1.0mL per 50kg bodyweight (0.6mg meloxicam/kg) by intravenous injection. For single use only.

WITHHOLDING PERIOD

Cattle: Meat- 10 days
Milk- 84 hours

Pigs: Meat- 3 days

Sheep: Meat- 11 days
Milk- 84 hours

Horses: Meat- 28 days

STORAGE

Store below 25°C in original container
Use within 90 days of opening

PACK SIZES

Available in 100mL bottles

REGISTERED VETERINARY MEDICINE

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