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WHAT IS ILIUM MELOXICAM ORAL SUSPENSION FOR DOGS?

Indications: For the alleviation of inflammation and pain in both acute and chronic

musculoskeletal disorders such as disco-spondylosis, arthropathy and

soft tissue injuries.

Active Ingredient: 1.5 mg/mL meloxicam

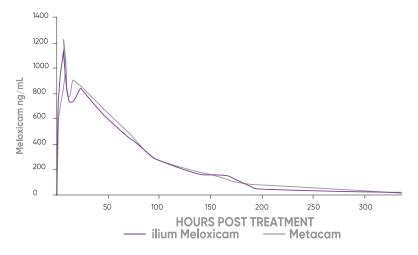
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Physical Description: An aqueous oral suspension

WHY CHOOSE ILIUM MELOXICAM ORAL SUSPENSION FOR DOGS?

✓ Proven bioequivalence to Metacam*.

Combined Phase Data (ilium Meloxicam vs Metacam)



- Cost effective.
- ✓ Available in 10 mL, 30 mL, 50 mL & 100 mL.
- ✓ All sizes available with KG syringe or mL syringe.
- Australian made.
- Australian owned.
- Available from your wholesaler.

^{*} Metacam is a registered product of Boehringer Ingelheim.









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HOW TO USE ILIUM MELOXICAM ORAL SUSPENSION FOR DOGS?

Shake well before use.

Administration: Oral.

Dose Rates: Should be administered mixed with food. On the first day of treatment give a single dose of 0.2 mg/kg body weight. Continue treatment once daily by oral administration (at 24-hour intervals) at a maintenance dose of 0.1 mg/kg body weight. Take particular care with regard to the accuracy of dosing. The suspension can be given using the measuring syringe provided. The dosing syringe fits onto the bottle. The kg syringe has a kg-body weight scale designed for the maintenance dose (i.e. 0.1 mg/kg body weight), administer twice the volume on the first day as the initial dose.

Initial Dose: 0.2 mg/kg body weight or 0.5 mL/7.5 kg.

Maintenance Dose: 0.1 mg/kg body weight or 1 mL/15 kg body weight.

If no improvement is noticeable after 10 days of treatment, please consult a veterinary surgeon.

Contraindications: Do not administer to pregnant or lactating bitches in the last third of pregnancy. The use of the product is contra-indicated in animals suffering from cardiac, hepatic or clinical renal disease. This is also the case where there is the possibility of gastrointestinal ulceration or bleeding, or where there is evidence of a haemorrhagic disorder or individual hypersensitivity to the product. The product should not be administered concurrently with steroidal drugs or other NSAIDs, aminoglycoside antibiotics or anti-coagulant agents.

As for all NSAIDs use in any animal less than 6 weeks of age or in debilitated aged animals may involve additional risk. If use in such animals cannot be avoided careful clinical management may be required.

Side Effects: Typical adverse reactions of NSAIDs may occur, particularly within the first 5 - 14 days of treatment. These may include loss of appetite, vomiting, diarrhoea, faecal occult blood and apathy. Gastrointestinal side effects are, in most cases, transient and disappear following termination of treatment, but in rare cases may be serious. If gastrointestinal side effects are persistent or severe, discontinue treatment.

Overdose: In the event of an overdose, symptomatic treatment should be initiated.

Storage Conditions: Store below 25 °C (air conditioning). Use the contents within 6 months of opening. Discard the unused portion.

Please refer to carton and/or enclosed leaflet for full product information.



