

### **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

# WSD LOW VOLUME ABAMECTIN

# Broad Spectrum Antiparasitic for Sheep and Lambs

#### Product Description

WSD LOW VOLUME ABAMECTIN is a broad spectrum treatment for internal parasites of sheep and lambs.

#### **Type of Preparation**

**WSD LOW VOLUME ABAMECTIN** is a solution for oral use as a drench containing 2 g/L abamectin- a potent macrocyclic lactone (ML).

#### Indications

**Sheep and Lambs:** Abamectin is effective against mature and immature gastrointestinal roundworms and external parasites:

Barber's pole worm (*Haemonchus contortus*) including inhibited L4 stage, small brown stomach worm (*Ostertagia circumcinta*) including inhibited L4 stage, Stomach hair worm (*Trichostrongylus axei*), black scour worm (*Trichostrongylus spp*), small intestinal worm (*Cooperia spp*), thin necked intestinal worm (*Nematodirus spp*), intestinal threadworm (*Strongyloides sp*), large bowel and nodule worms (*Oesophagostomum spp*), large-mouthed bowel worm (*Chabertia ovina*), whipworm (*Trichuris ovis*) and large lungworm (*Dictyocaulus filaria*).

Abamectin is also effective against nasal bot (Oestrus ovis) and itch mite (Psorergates ovis).

Milking Sheep: Do NOT use in sheep producing milk for human consumption

#### Dosage

Always refer to the label. Separate into different weight classes if there is a large variation in age and weight. Dose at the rate of 1ml per 10kg body weight.

#### Advice On Use

• Abamectin is a broad-spectrum treatment which is highly effective against mature and immature worm parasites on most Australian farms including against strains of Ostertagia resistant to ivermectin.

• The use of WSD ABAMECTIN, WSD ABAMECTIN PLUS SELENIUM or WSD LOW VOLUME ABAMECTIN is

particularly indicated in strategic programs to reduce contamination of pastures when the uptake of worm larvae is low.

• Consider using other WSD drenches, particularly WSD COMBINATION, if the objective is to treat a worm infestation

on pastures known to be moderately or heavily contaminated with worm larvae.

• Abamectin is NOT effective against tapeworms.

• The repeated use of <u>any</u> ML drench is likely to result in the emergence of resistance in worm parasites and therefore, regular testing for efficacy is recommended.



## **CAUTION** KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS BEFORE OPENING OR USING FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY



# WSD Low Volume Abamectin

#### BROAD SPECTRUM ANTIPARASITIC FOR SHEEP AND LAMBS

Active Constituent: 2.0 g/L Abamectin

For the treatment and control of abamectin sensitive strains of internal parasites (including benzimidazole, levamisole and morantel resistant strains) of sheep and itch mite and nasal bot of sheep. **READ DIRECTIONS FOR USE BEFORE USING THIS** 

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#### WSD LOW VOLUME ABAMECTIN BROAD SPECTRUM ANTIPARASITIC FOR SHEEP AND LAMBS contains Abamectin (2 g/L), a member of the Avermectin family of drenches. It is effective against abamectin

sensitive strains of the following adult and immature internal and external parasites of sheep:

Adult and immature gastrointestinal roundworms	
Haemonchus contortus	Barbers pole worm
	(including inhibited L4 stage)
Haemonchus placei	Large stomach worm
Ostertagia circumcinta	Small brown stomach worms
	(including inhibited L4 stage)
Trichostrongylus axei	Stomach hair worm
Trichostrongylus colubriformis,	Black scour worm
Trichostrongylus vitrinus	
Cooperia curticei, Cooperia oncophora	Small intestinal worm
Nematodris spathiger, Nematodris filicollis	Thin necked intestinal worm
Chabertia ovina	Large mouthed bowel worm
Oesophagostumum columbianum	Nodule worm
Oesophagostomum venulosum	Large bowel worm
Trichuris ovis	Whipworm

#### Lunaworm:

Dictyocaulus viviparus Psorergates ovis Oestrus ovis

Strongyloides papillosus

Large lungworm Itch mite Nasal bot

Intestinal threadworm.

Resistance may develop to any drench. Ask your local veterinary practitioner or animal health adviser for recommended parasite management practices for your area to reduce development to resistance. It is advisable that a drench resistance test be conducted before any drench is used.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

#### RESTRAINTS

DO NOT use on female sheep which are producing or may in the future produce milk or milk products for human consumption.

#### DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

WSD LOW VOLUME ABAMECTIN BROAD SPECTRUM ANTIPARASITIC FOR SHEEP AND LAMBS dose rate is 1 mL/10 kg body weight.

Bodyweight	Dose Volume	10 L Treats
11-15	1.5	6667
16-20	2	5000
21-30	3	3334
31-40	4	2500
41-50	5	2000
51-60	6	1666
61-70	7	1428
71-80	8	1250

A representative sample of animals should be weighed before treatment. Dose the mob to the heaviest animal by liveweight in each group (ewes, wethers, rams, lambs). DO NOT underdose. Where there is a large variation in size within the group, dose rate should be based on the label directions for each weight range. Drafting into two or more lines may be appropriate, to avoid excessive overdosing.

#### WITHHOLDING PERIOD

MEAT: DO NOT use less than 14 days before slaughter for human consumption. MILK: DO NOT use on female sheep which are producing or may in the future produce milk or milk products for human consumption.

#### TRADE ADVICE: EXPORT SLAUGHTER INTERVAL (ESI)

DO NOT use less than 28 days before slaughter for export. The ESI on this label was correct at the time of label approval. Before using this product, confirm the current ESI from the manufacturer or the APVMA website (www.apvma.gov.au/residues/ESI.shtml).

#### SAFETY DIRECTIONS

Poisonous if swallowed. May irritate the eyes and skin. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash hands after use.

#### FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 13 11 26. If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly.

#### MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

Additional information is listed in the Material Safety Data Sheet, which can be obtained from the supplier.

#### PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE, FISH, CRUSTACEANS AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Abamectin is extremely toxic to aquatic species. DO NOT contaminate streams, rivers and waterways with the product or used containers.

#### DISPOSAL

Triple (or preferably) pressure rinse containers. DO NOT dispose of undiluted chemicals on-site. Break, crush, or puncture and bury empty containers in a local authority landfill. If no landfill is available, bury the containers below 500mm in a disposal pit specifically marked and set up for this purpose clear of waterways, vegetation and roots. In some States, wastes can only be buried at a licensed landfill. Empty containers and product should not be burnt.

#### STORAGE

Store below 30°C (room temperature) in the closed, original container, in a dry, wellventilated area, and protect from sunlight.

#### CONDITIONS OF SALE

All WSD Agribusiness products are of a high quality, being subjected to rigid quality control. The manufacturer, however, is unable to control the product's subsequent handling or use or the circumstances of each handling or use. This product is sold on the express condition that neither the manufacturer nor the distributor is under any liability for any loss or damage that may arise through such handling or use. If these conditions are unacceptable the container should be returned unopened for credit.

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