

INJECTION

CEFAPEN

For Veterinary Use Only

COMPOSITION

Each ml contains
Cephalexin monohydrate 157.80mg eq. to
Cephalexin.....150mg

INDICATIONS

Cefapen Injection is indicated in the treatment of infections of the respiratory tract, urogenital tract, foot rot, bone and joint diseases, in supporting the treatment for the mammary gland, the skin and localised infections in cattle.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

Hypersensitivity to Cephalexin is very rare, however, Cefapen Injection should not be administered to animals which are known to be hypersensitive to Cephalexin.

ADVERSE REACTIONS (FREQUENCY AND SERIOUSNESS)

Use of the product may result in localised tissue reaction.

USE DURING PREGNANCY, LACTATION OR LAY

The reproductive safety of Cefapen Injection has not been specifically investigated in pregnant animals.

INTERACTION WITH OTHER MEDICINAL PRODUCTS AND OTHER FORMS OF INTERACTION

None described.

DOSAGE & ADMINISTRATION

For Intramuscular Administration:
Cattle: 1 ml per 15 to 20kg body weight.

WITHDRAWAL PERIOD

Milk: 0 day

Meat: 4 day

PHARMACODYNAMIC PROPERTIES

Cephalexin is resistant to the action of staphylococcal penicillinase and is therefore active against the strains of *Staphylococcus aureus* that are insensitive to penicillin (or related antibiotics such as ampicillin or amoxycillin) because of production of penicillinase. Cephalexin is also active against the majority of ampicillin-resistant *E. coli*.

PHARMACOKINETIC PROPERTIES

Cephalexin is rapidly absorbed after injection. Peak blood concentrations are generally

achieved within one hour of administration. Cephalexin is excreted in the urine in high concentration.

PRECAUTIONS

Do not administer to animals with hypersensitivity to active ingredient.
Keep at room temperature, protect from light.
Store between 15-25°C at a cool and dry place.
Keep out of the reach of children and domestic animals.
Consult the veterinarian before use.



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