

POISON

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
READ SAFETY DIRECTIONS
FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY

BRAVECTO®

112.5 MG FLURALANER Spot-on Solution for Small Cats
250 MG FLURALANER Spot-on Solution for Medium Cats
500 MG FLURALANER Spot-on Solution for Large Cats

280 mg/mL FLURALANER

Also contains: 339 mg/mL DIMETHYLACETAMIDE (solvent)

BRAVECTO Spot-on provides

- Treatment and prevention of flea (*Ctenocephalides felis*) infestations for up to **3 months**.
- Treatment and control of paralysis tick (*Ixodes holocyclus*) for **3 months**.
- Rapid onset of action kills newly emerged adult fleas before they lay eggs.
- Reduces incidence of flea allergy dermatitis (FAD) by controlling adult fleas.
- Treatment and control of ear mites (*Otodectes cynotis*).

BRAVECTO Spot-on contains fluralaner, a member of the antiparasitic class of isoxazoline-substituted benzamide derivatives.

Fluralaner acts antagonistically on arthropods ligand-gated chloride channels (GABA-receptor and glutamate-receptor).

BRAVECTO Spot-on is effective against fipronil-resistant strains of fleas.

The safe use of BRAVECTO Spot-on for cats in breeding males and females has not been established.

ONSET OF ACTION AND EFFICACY

BRAVECTO Spot-on kills pre-existing and new infestations of paralysis ticks (*Ixodes holocyclus*) for **3 months**.

BRAVECTO Spot-on provides effective treatment and prevention of fleas on cats for up to **3 months** following application.

Fleas are killed in up to 12 hours after treatment or after reinfestation during the 3 month treatment period. The flea life cycle can be broken by the rapid onset of action and the long-lasting efficacy against adult fleas on the cat. Newly emerged adult fleas on a cat are killed before viable eggs are produced.

BRAVECTO Spot-on effectively controls environmental flea populations in areas to which the cat has access.

Ixodes holocyclus ticks do not occur in Western Australia. In tick season daily searching for and removal of any ticks found is recommended.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Contraindications

BRAVECTO Spot-on must not be used in cases of hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients.

Precautions

BRAVECTO Spot-on should not be used on kittens less than 9 weeks of age or cats weighing less than 1.2 kg.

Side effects

Less than 2.5% of treated cats in clinical trials developed mild and transient skin reactions at the application site such as erythema (reddened skin) and itching or hair loss.

Uncommonly, the following other signs shortly after application were observed: apathy (lethargy)/tremors/anorexia (lack of appetite) or vomiting/hypersalivation (drooling).

If licking of the application site occurs, transient mild to moderate salivation and coughing or vomiting may be observed.

Dosage and administration

BRAVECTO Spot-on for cats is available in three sizes. The following table indicates the size of pipette to be used according to the body weight of the cat (equivalent to 40 – 94 mg fluralaner/kg body weight).

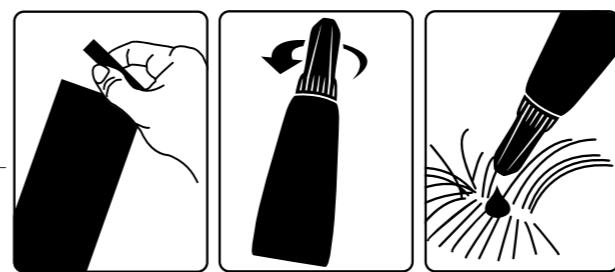
Body weight of cat (kg)	Administration guide: (volume and number of pipettes)		
	Bravecto 112.5 mg for Small Cats	Bravecto 250 mg for Medium Cats	Bravecto 500 mg for Large Cats
1.2 – 2.8	0.4 mL / pipette	0.89 mL / pipette	1.79 mL / pipette
>2.8 – 6.25	1	1	
>6.25 – 12.5			1

For cats above 12.5 kg body weight, use a combination of two pipettes that most closely matches the body weight.

Method of administration

Step 1

Immediately before use, open the sachet and remove the pipette. The pipette should be held by base or by the upper rigid portion below the cap in an upright position (tip up) for opening it. The **twist-and-use cap** should be rotated clockwise or counter clockwise one full turn. **The cap will stay on the pipette; it is not possible to remove it.** The pipette is open and ready for application when the breaking of the seal is felt.



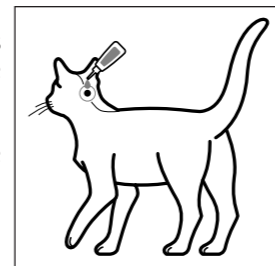
**MAKE NO ATTEMPT TO REMOVE CAP.
CAP DOES NOT COME OFF.
TWIST CAP AND USE.**

Step 2

The cat should be standing or lying with its back horizontal for easy application. Part hair, place the pipette tip on the base of the skull of the cat.

Step 3

Squeeze the pipette gently at least twice and apply the entire contents directly to the cat's skin. The product should be applied on cats up to 6.25 kg body weight in one spot at the base of the skull or two spots in the middle line of the base of the skull on cats greater than 6.25 kg body weight. Ingestion may cause adverse reactions and will remove product from the coat. If multiple cats are treated and may mutually groom, it is recommended that the cats are separated while product dries.



Treatment schedule

For optimal control of paralysis tick and flea infestation, the product should be administered at intervals of **3 months**.

BRAVECTO Spot-on can be used year round.

The cat's coat over the treatment application site may appear damp, greasy and mildly clumped.

BRAVECTO Spot-on should not be administered at intervals shorter than 8 weeks as the safety for shorter intervals has not been tested.

General directions

NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY PURPOSE, OR IN ANY MANNER, CONTRARY TO THIS LABEL UNLESS AUTHORISED UNDER APPROPRIATE LEGISLATION.

During laboratory and clinical field testing, no interactions between BRAVECTO Spot-on and routinely used veterinary medicines were observed. Care should be taken to avoid contact with the eyes of the animal. It is recommended not to use directly on skin lesions.

Fluralaner is readily systemically absorbed from the topical application site. The prolonged persistence and slow elimination from plasma and the lack of extensive metabolism provide effective concentrations of fluralaner for the duration of the inter-dosing interval.

Fluralaner is part of the isoxazoline family of chemicals. Adverse reactions to this family of chemicals are rarely observed but may include vomiting, diarrhoea, lethargy, inappetence, itching and very rarely, seizures. Most adverse reactions are self-limiting and of short duration. If you have any concerns, please speak to your veterinarian.

For paralysis tick control it is recommended that the product be used in conjunction with daily searching for, and removal of, any ticks found as the risk of tick paralysis cannot be entirely eliminated. Speak with your veterinarian for advice on tick searching and removal techniques.

For further information contact MSD Animal Health Customer Service on 1800 230 833.

SAFETY DIRECTIONS

May irritate the eyes. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash hands after use.

FIRST AID

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. *Phone Australia 131126.*

If skin contact occurs, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin thoroughly.

ADDITIONAL USER SAFETY INFORMATION

Rehandling statements

Do not contact the application area until dry. Where possible, apply to the animal in the evening.

DISPOSAL

Dispose immediately of empty pipette, sachet and carton by wrapping in paper and putting in garbage.

STORAGE

Store below 30°C (room temperature). The pipettes should be kept in the sachets to prevent solvent loss or moisture uptake. The sachets should only be opened immediately prior to use.

Warranty

Intervet Australia Pty Limited (IAPL), trading as MSD Animal Health, warrants that this product is of merchantable quality and fit for its intended purpose. IAPL's liability for any loss, including consequential losses or injury caused by any act or omission, including negligent acts or omissions, by IAPL or its agent, is limited to replacing or repairing the product at the option of IAPL. If possible, a sample of any product causing concern should be retained or delivered to IAPL within 30 days for a scientific examination.

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