

Parex

50mg

For Cats



Against Ticks & Fleas



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Spot-on solution for
Cats - Fipronil
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Treatment
Instructions,
Dosage and
Important
Information

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1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing Parex Spot-on Solution for Cats. Read this leaflet carefully, as it contains the details you need to correctly treat flea and tick infestations in cats, as well as important safety information.



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2. Before Getting Started

2.1 What is Parex Used For?

Parex Spot-on will:

- ✓ Treat cats with flea (Ctenocephalides) and tick (Ixodes Ricinus) infestations.
- ✓ Kill and protect against fleas for up to four weeks after use.
- ✓ Kill and protect against ticks for up to one week after use.

Do not use this product with:

- X Kittens aged less than eight weeks old.
- X Any cat weighing less than 1kg.
- X Sick cats or those recovering from illness.
- X Cats with an allergy or intolerance to any of the listed ingredients.
- X Any other animals.

2.2. Dosage Information



• **Do not** exceed recommended dose.

- ✓ Apply directly to the cat's skin.
- ✓ 1 pipette will treat a cat weighing up to 10kg.
- X **Do not** apply more than once every four weeks.

2.3. Ingredients and Description

Each 0.5ml pipette contains:

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Fipronil (50.00mg)

BULKING AGENTS: Butylhydroxyanisole (E320) (0.10mg)
Butylhydroxytoluene (E321) (0.05mg)

DESCRIPTION: A clear, colourless to yellowish solution.

2.4. Possible Side Effects

- If the cat licks the solution, you might notice lots of saliva in the cat's mouth.
- In extremely rare cases, possible skin decolouration, hair loss, hives, a rash, redness or vomiting happens after use.
- Reversible neurological symptoms such as oversensitivity, depression or nervousness.

3. Important Notices

CAUTION

- **Do not** use this product after the expiry date. The expiry date is printed on each blister and on the carton, after the letters EXP.
- **Do not** eat, drink or smoke while applying the medication to the cat.
- No studies exist on the effects of this product on pregnant or lactating cats. Consult a veterinarian before treatment if the cat is pregnant or nursing kittens.
- Avoid excessive wetting of the cat's hair when applying the solution. This can cause matting of the hair. The matting will disappear after 24 hours.
- The mixture may damage painted, varnished or other household surfaces.

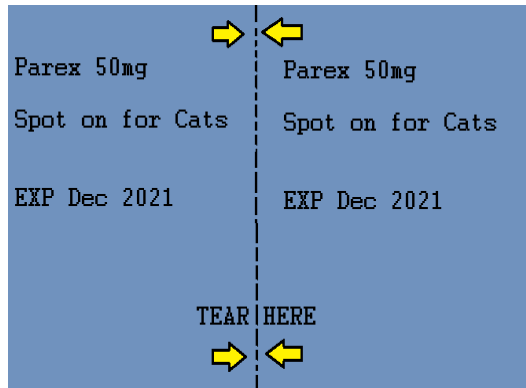
NOTICE

- If ticks are already present on the cat, using this product does not guarantee prevention of infectious disease spreading between the ticks and the cat.
- No data is available about the results of bathing on the effectiveness of this product on cats. However, studies conducted on dogs showed no reduced effect on dogs washed with a medicated shampoo two hours before treatment and once per week afterward.

4. Treatment Directions

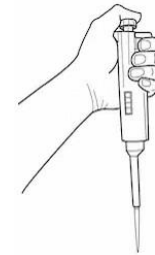
4.1. Prepare the Solution

1. Remove one blister from the blister card by tearing along the marked line on the back of the blister pack. This will help protect against accidentally opening other blisters.



2. Cut along the line marked with the scissors (✂) icon to open the blister.
3. Peel back the foil from the cut end of the blister.
4. Remove the pipette from the blister.

5. Hold the pipette upright and tap lightly with your finger to make sure all of the liquid is in the main part of the tube.



6. Bend the top border strip backwards to release the dropper.



7. Set the pipette aside until you are ready to apply the solution to the cat.

4.2. Apply the Solution

⚠ WARNING

- **Do not** apply to open wounds or damaged skin.
- If the mixture gets in your eyes or on your skin, rinse immediately with water. If irritation continues, seek medical help and show this leaflet to your doctor.
- If the solution gets in the cat's eyes, rinse immediately with water.

1. Open the tube by snapping along the scored line as shown.

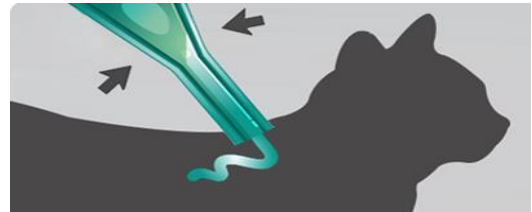


2. Part the cat's hair between the shoulder blades until the skin is visible. (**TIP:** Apply at the base of the head to reduce the chances of the cat licking away the solution.)



3. Place the open tip of the pipette directly on the cat's skin.

4. Squeeze the pipette several times to empty all of the solution onto the cat's skin in one spot.



4.3. After Treatment

- X **Do not** handle the cat until the medication has completely dried into the skin.
- ✓ If treating multiple animals, carefully watch them until the liquid has completely dried so that they don't lick the mixture off of one another.
- ✓ The product affects the entirety of the skin within 24 – 48 hours after treatment.
- X **Do not** let the cat sleep in the same bed as the owner (especially children) on the day of treatment.
- X Avoid bathing and excessive wetting of the cat for the first two days after treatment.

5. Further Information

5.1. Storage

- Store in a cool, dry place.
- Store in the original packaging.
- Keep out of reach of children.

5.2. Disposal

- ✓ Dispose of unused product and packaging according to your local area's regulations.
- X **Do not** dispose of this product in lakes, ponds or waterways. Fipronil can be harmful to aquatic organisms.

5.3. Controlling Flea Infestations

- Treat all cats and dogs in the household with an appropriate flea treatment product to control fleas.
- Clean the animals' baskets and resting areas such as carpets, blankets, soft furnishings, etc, with an appropriate flea control product as fleas may be present here also.
- Vacuum these areas regularly.

5.4. Contact Information

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