

# **PROTECTION FOR A LIFETIME**

Keeping calves healthy will lead to a lifetime of better performance.



# DRAXXIN makes a difference.



Exciting developments in antibiotic therapy have demonstrated greater success in treating calfhood pneumonia and reducing its impact. The potential lifetime value a healthy calf can return to a dairy is the most compelling reason yet to consider using DRAXXIN<sup>®</sup> (*tulathromycin*) Injectable Solution.

DRAXXIN was the first anti-infective on the market labeled to control and treat all four bacteriological pathogens associated with calfhood pneumonia.

CALISES OF PRIFLIMONIA IN DAIRY CALVES

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	Mannheimia haemolytica	Pasteurella multocida	Histophilus somni	Mycoplasma bovis			
DRAXXIN LABEL	V	V	V	۷			
	DRAXXIN is convenient and flexible:						
Treats all four	DRAXXIN has a broad causes of dairy calfho		or the control and trea	atment of the major			
One shot	Convenient full course	e of therapy in a single of	dose.				

- **Effective** Superior efficacy to treat pneumonia when compared with Baytril<sup>®</sup>, Nuflor<sup>®</sup> and Micotil<sup>®</sup> in field studies.<sup>3</sup>
- Low dose 1.1 mL volume per 100 pounds.
- **Convenient sizes** Available in 50 mL, 100 mL, 250 mL and 500 mL vials.

**Important Safety Information:** Do not use in female dairy cattle 20 months of age or older. Do not use in calves to be processed for veal. A pre-slaughter withdrawal time has not been determined for pre-ruminating calves. Effects on reproductive performance, pregnancy and lactation have not been determined. DRAXXIN has a pre-slaughter withdrawal time of 18 days.

# CONVENIENT AND EFFECTIVE.

DRAXXIN reduces the incidence and severity of disease resulting in several economic opportunities<sup>3</sup>

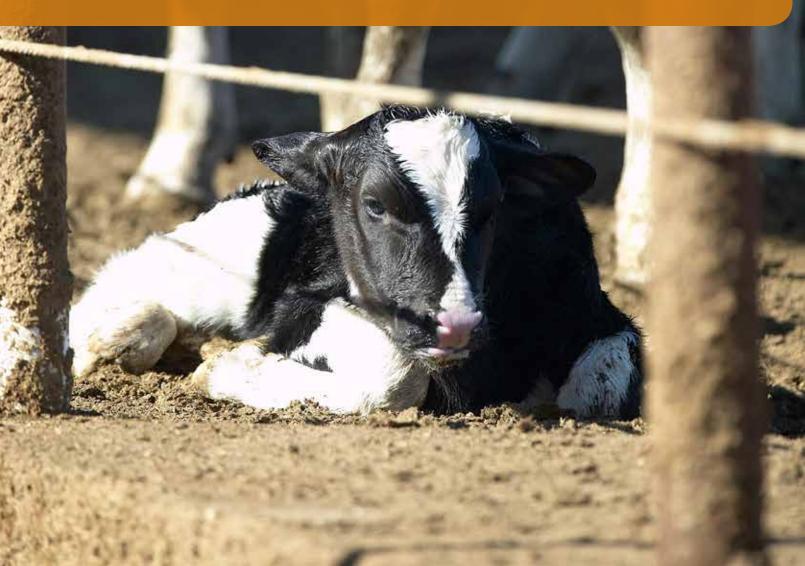
- Improved gain of post-weaned dairy calves
- Earlier breeding and freshening
- Lower total raising costs

# Pneumonia leaves a mark that lasts a lifetime.

Pneumonia is among the leading causes of dairy calf mortality, accounting for 22 percent of all pre-weaning calf losses.<sup>1</sup> It's also the leading cause of mortality in post-weaning heifers. For those that do survive, their lifetime performance is diminished from damaged lungs and a compromised respiratory system.

Pneumonia is a disease that reduces dairy operation profits. Heifers treated for the disease during their first three months of life do not reach their potential.

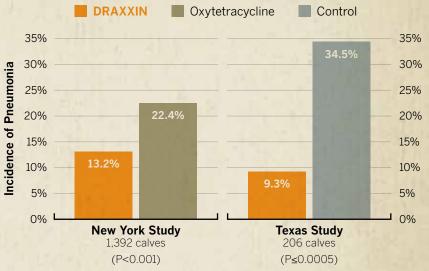
- Greater calfhood mortality 2.4 times more likely to die from 3 to 30 months of age<sup>2</sup>
- Reduction in growth up to 22 pounds less gain during first six months of life<sup>2</sup>
- High treatment costs
- Increased labor demands
- Diminished reproductive performance
- Reduced lifetime milk production



# DRAXXIN<sup>®</sup> goes to work.

Recent field studies demonstrate the outstanding effectiveness of DRAXXIN in dairy calves.

# DRAXXIN RESULTS IN LESS RESPIRATORY DISEASE<sup>3,4</sup>



# Better health. Better gain.

Experts say that average daily gain (ADG) is probably the best method possible to monitor progress toward some of the basic heifer-raising performance goals.<sup>6</sup> Heifers that are healthier have higher ADG and will perform at a higher rate throughout life.

In all three studies, researchers tracked ADG, demonstrating the further value of DRAXXIN.

	New York Study <sup>3</sup> 1,181 calves	Texas Study⁴ 206 calves	New Mexico Stu	<b>dy</b> ⁵ 205 calves
Tulathromycin	243.3 (exit weight)	2.08 (ADG)	1.73 (4	ADG)
Comparator	232.5 (exit weight)	1.70 (ADG)	1.56 (4	ADG)
Length of trial	60 days	28 days	28 days	43 days
Lbs advantage to DRAXXIN	10.8 lbs	10.7 lbs	4.8 lbs	7.3 lbs
	(P<0.05)	(P<0.0001)	(P<0.	03)

# Faster gain creates opportunities for earlier freshening.

Improving ADG through healthier, more aggressively growing calves fed proper nutrition pays off in a number of ways. Not only will these herd replacements be at less risk of disease, but they also can be bred to freshen at an earlier age in life. Research shows long-term financial benefits to calving heifers at 22 to 24 months of age.



# DISCOUNTED INCOME OVER FEED COSTS IS HIGHER FOR EARLIER AGE AT FIRST CALVING<sup>7</sup>



# Injectable Solution

# Antibiotic

# 100 mg of tulathromycin/mL

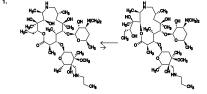
# For subcutaneous injection in beef and non-lactating dairy cattle and intramuscular injection in swine only. Not for use in female dairy cattle 20 months of age or older or in calves to be processed for veal.

# CAUTION Federal (USA) law restricts this drug to use by or on the order of a licensed veterinarian

DESCRIPTION DRAVMIN hipetable Solution is a ready-to-use sterile parenteral preparation containing tulathromycin, a semi-synthetic macrolide antibiotic of the subclass triamilide. Each mL of DRAVXIN contains 100 mg of tulathromycin as the free base in a 50% propylene glycol vehicle, monothioglycerol (5 mg/mL), with ottric and hydrochioric acids added to adjust pH.

DRAXXIN consists of an equilibrated mixture of two isomeric forms of tulathromycin in a 9:1 ratio. Structures of the isomers are shown below

## Figure 1.



The chemical names of the isomers are (2R,3S,4R,5R,8R,10R,11R,12S,13S,14R)-13. [[2,6-dideoxy-3-C-methyl-3-O-methyl-4-C-[[propylamino]methyl]-at\_-ribo-hexopyrano-syl[oxy]-2-ethyl-3,4,10-trihydroxy-3,5,8,10,12,14-hexamethyl-11-[[3,4,6-trideoxy-3-dimethylamino]-B-D-xylo-hexopyranosyl[-oxy]-1-oxa-6-azacydopentadecan-15-one and [2S,3S,6R,8R,9R,10S,115,12R]-112[[2,6-dideoxy-3-C-methyl-4-O[[propylamino] methyl]-et.-fiobekcopyranosyl[0xy]-2-[1R,2P]-12-dihydroxy-1-methylbu/[J-B-hydroxy-3,6,8,10,12-pentamethyl-9-[[3,4,6-trideoxy-3-dimethylamino]-B-D-xylo-hexopyranosyl] or wil 1 ove 4 argenetizetione 12 ove progettable. oxy]-1-oxa-4-azacyclotridecan-13-one, respectively.

# INDICATIONS

f and Non-lactating Dairy Cattle BRD-DRAXXIN Injectable Solution is indicated for the treatment of bovine respiratory disease (BRD) associated with Mannheimia haemolytica, Pasteurella multocida

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keratoconjunctivitis (IBK) associated with Moraxella bovis.

Foot Rot-DRAXXIN Injectable Solution is indicated for the treatment of bovine foot rot (interdigital necrobacillosis) associated with Fusobacterium necrophorum and Porphyromonas levii.

## Swine

DBAXXIN Injectable Solution is indicated for the treatment of swine respiratory disease DrevAvia injectable Solution is indicated for the treatment of swine respiratory obsease (SRD) associated with Actinobacillus pleuropnermoniae, Pasteurella multocia, Bordetella bronchiseptica, Haemophilus parasuis, and Mycoplasma hyopneumoniae; and for the control of SRD associated with Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae, Pasteurella multocida, and Mycoplasma hyopneumoniae in groups of pigs where SRD has been diagnosed.

## DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Cattle Inject subcutaneously as a single dose in the neck at a dosage of 2.5 mg/kg (1.1 mL/100 lb) body weight (BW). Do not inject more than 10 mL per injection site.

## Table 1. DRAXXIN Cattle Dosing Guide

Animal Weight (Pounds)	Dose Volume (mL)
100	1.1
200	2.3
300	3.4
400	4.5
500	5.7
600	6.8
700	8.0
800	9.1
900	10.2
1000	11.4

Swine Inject intramuscularly as a single dose in the neck at a dosage of 2.5 mg/kg (0.25 mL/22 Ib) BW. Do not inject more than 2.5 mL per injection site.

# Table 2. DRAXXIN Swine Dosing Guide

Animal Weight (Pounds)	Dose Volume (mL)
15	0.2
30	0.3
50	0.6
70	0.8
90	1.0
110	1.3
130	1.5
150	1.7
170	1.9
190	2.2
210	2.4
230	2.6
250	2.8
270	3.1
290	3.3

CONTRAINDICATIONS The use of DRAXXIN Injectable Solution is contraindicated in animals previously found to be hypersensitive to the drug.

WARNINGS FOR USE IN ANIMALS ONLY. NOT FOR HUMAN USE. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. NOT FOR USE IN CHICKENS OR TURKEYS.

# RESIDUE WARNINGS

RESIDUE WARNINGS Cattle Cattle intended for human consumption must not be slaughtered within 18 days from the last treatment. Do not use in female dairy cattle 20 months of age or older. A withdrawall period has not been established for this product in pre-ruminating calves. Do not use in calves to be processed for veal.

# Swine

Swine intended for human consumption must not be slaughtered within 5 days from the last treatmen

# PRECAUTIONS Cattle

Cance The effects of DRAXXIN on bovine reproductive performance, pregnancy, and lactation have not been determined. Subcutaneous injection can cause a transient local tissue reaction that may result in trim loss of edible tissue at slaughter.

White Hects of DRAXXIN on porcine reproductive performance, pregnancy, and lactation have not been determined. Intramuscular injection can cause a transient local tissue reaction that may result in trim loss of edible tissue at slaughter.

# ADVERSE REACTIONS

Cattle In one BRD field study, two calves treated with DRAXXIN at 2.5 mg/kg BW exhibited transient hyperalivation. One of these calves also exhibited transient dyspnea, which may have been related to pneumonia.

In one field study, one out of 40 pigs treated with DRAXXIN at 2.5 mg/kg BW exhibited mild salivation that resolved in less than four hours.

# CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY

At physiological pH, tulathromycin (a weak base) is approximately 50 times more soluble in hydrophilic than hydrophobic media. This solubility profile is consistent with the extracellular pathogen activity typically associated with the macrolides: Marked) higher tulathromycin concentrations are observed in the lungs as compared to the plasma. The extent to which lung concentrations represent free (active) drug was not examined. Therefore, the clinical relevance of these elevated lung concentrations is undetermined.

Although the relationship between tulathromycin and the characteristics of its antimicrobial effects has not been characterized, as a class, macrolides tend to be primarily bacteriostatic, but may be bacterioidal against some pathogens." They also tend to exhibit concentration independent killing; the rate of bacterial eradication does not change once serum drug concentrations reach 2 to 3 times the minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) of the targeted pathogen. Under these conditions, the time that serum concentrations remain above the MIC becomes the major determinant of antimicrobial activity. Macrolides also exhibit a post-antibiotic effect (PAE), the duration of which tends to be both drug and nathogen dependent the onegratic but increasing the macrolide concentration and the and pathogen dependent. In general, by increasing the macrolide concentration and the exposure time, the PAE will increase to some maximal duration. Of the two variables concentration and exposure time, drug concentration tends to be the most powerful determinant of the duration of PAE.

Tulathromycin is eliminated from the body primarily unchanged via biliary excretion.

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Cattle Following subcutaneous administration into the neck of feeder calves at a dosage of 2.5 mg/kg BW, tulathromycin is rapidly and nearly completely absorbed. Peak plasma concentrations generally occur within 15 minutes after dosing and product relative bioavailability exceeds 90%. Total systemic clearance is approximately 170 mL/hr/ kg. Tulathromycin distributes extensively into body tissues, as evidenced by volume of distribution values of approximately 111 L/kg in healthy ruminating calves; This extensive volume of distribution is largely responsible for the long elimination half-life of this compound [approximately 2.75 days in the plasma (based on quantifiable terminal plasma drug concentrations) versus 8.75 days for total lung concentrations (based on data from healthy animals). Linear pharmacokinetics are observed with subcutaneous doses ranging from 1.27 mg/kg BW to 5.0 mg/kg BW. No pharmacokinetic differences are observed in castrated male versus female calves.

3 Clearance and volume estimates are based on intersubject comparisons of 2.5 mg/kg BW administered by either subcutaneous or intravenous injection.

Swine Following intramuscular administration to feeder pigs at a dosage of 2.5 mg/kg BW, tulathromycin is completely and rapidly absorbed ( $n_{max}$  –0.25 hour). Subsequently, the drug rapidly distributes into body tissues, achieving a volume of distribution exceeding 15 L/kg. The free drug is rapidly cleared from the systemic circulation (CL<sub>systemic</sub> = 187 m// h/kg). However, it has a long terminal elimination half-life (60 to 90 hours) owing to its extensive volume of distribution. Although pulmonary tulathromycin concentrations are extensive interest to the termination half-life (action of the termination are applied). substantially higher than concentrations observed in the plasma, the clinical significance of these findings is undetermined. There are no gender differences in swine tulathromycin pharmacokinetics

# MICROBIOLOGY

MICROBIDLOGY Cattle Tulathromycin has demonstrated in vitro activity against Mannheimia haemolytica, Pasteurella multocida, Histophilus somni, and Mycoplasma bovis, four pathogens associated with BRD; for Moraxella bovis associated with IBK; and against Fusobacterium necrophorum and Porphyromonas levi associated with bovine foot rot.

The MICs of tulathromycin against indicated BRD and IBK pathogens were determined using methods recommended by the Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute (CLS), M31-A2). The MICs against foot rot pathogens were also determined using methods recommended by the CLSI (M11-A6). All MIC values were determined using the 9:1 isomer ratio of this compound.

BRD - The MICs of tulathromycin were determined for BRD isolates obtained from calves BHD – I he MICs of tulatricomycin were determined for BHD isolates obtained from calves errolled in thrapeutic and a frisk field studies in the U.S. in 1999. In the therapeutic studies, isolates were obtained from pre-treatment nasopharyngeal swabs from all study calves and from lung swabs or lung tissue of saline-treated calves that from lung swabs or lung tissue responders and from lung swabs or lung tissue of saline-treated calves that died. In the at-results are shown in Table 3.

IBK – The MICs of tulathromycin were determined for *Moraxella bovis* isolates obtained from calves enrolled in IBK field studies in the U.S. in 2004. Isolates were obtained from pre-treatment conjunctival avables of calves with dinical signs of IBK enrolled in the DRAXXIN and saline-treated groups. The results are shown in Table 3.

Foot Rot - The MICs of tulathromycin were determined for Fusobacterium necrophorum and *Porphyromonas levi* obtained from cattle enrolled in foot rot field studies in the U.S. and Canada in 2007. Isolates were obtained from pretreatment interdigital biopsies and swabs of cattle with clinical signs of foot rot enrolled in the DRAXXIN and saline-treated groups. The results are shown in Table 3.

Table 3. Tulathromycin minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) values\* for indicated pathogens isolated from field studies evaluating BRD and IBK in the U.S. and from foot rot pathogens isolated from field studies field studies in the U.S. and Canada.

Indicated pathogen	Date	No. of	MIC <sub>50</sub> **	MIC <sub>90</sub> **	MIC range
indicated pathogen	isolated	isolates	(µg/mL)	(µg/mL)	(µg/mL)
Mannheimia haemolytica	1999	642	2	2	0.5 to 64
Pasteurella multocida	1999	221	0.5	1	0.25 to 64
Histophilus somni	1999	36	4	4	1 to 4
Mycoplasma bovis	1999	43	0.125	1	$\leq$ 0.063 to > 64
Moraxella bovis	2004	55	0.5	0.5	0.25 to 1
Fusobacterium necrophorum	2007	116	2	64	$\leq$ 0.25 to >128
Porphyromonas levii	2007	103	8	128	< 0.25 to >128

\* The correlation between *in vitro* susceptibility data and clinical effectiveness is unknown. \*\* The lowest MIC to encompass 50% and 90% of the isolates, respectively.

# Swine

In vitro activity of tulathromycin has been demonstrated against Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae, Pasteurella multocida, Bordetella bronchiseptica, Haemophilus parasuis, and Mycoplasma hyopneumoniae.

The MICs of tulathromycin against indicated SRD pathogens were determined using methods recommended by the Clinical and Laboratory Standards Institute (CLSI, M31-4 and M31-A3). MICs for Haemophilus parasilis were determined using Veterinary Fastidious Medium and were incubated up to 48 hours at 35 to 37° C in a CO2-enriched atmosphere. All MIC values were determined using the 91 is somer ratio of this compound. Isolates obtained in 2000 and 2002 were from lung samples from cellate transfer detertor and the transfer actional to the samples in the source of the sou from saline-treated pigs and non-treated sentinel pigs enrolled in Treatment of SRD field studies in the U.S. and Canada. Isolates obtained in 2007 and 2008 were from lung samples from saline-treated and DRAXXIN-treated pigs enrolled in the Control of SRD field study in the U.S. and Canada. The results are shown in Table 4. Table 4. Tulathromycin minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) values\* for indicated pathogens isolated from field studies evaluating SRD in the U.S. and Canada.

Indicated pathogen	Date isolated	No. of isolates	MIC <sub>50</sub> ** (µg/mL)	MIC <sub>90</sub> ** (µg/mL)	MIC range (µg/mL)
Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae	2000-2002 2007-2008	135 88	16 16	32 16	16 to 32 4 to 32
Haemophilus parasuis	2000-2002	31	1	2	0.25 to > 64
Pasteurella multocida	2000-2002 2007-2008	55 40	1	2 2	0.5 to > 64 ≤0.03 to 2
Bordetella bronchiseptica	2000-2002	42	4	8	2 to 8

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# FFFECTIVENESS

Cattle BRD-In a multi-location field study, 314 calves with naturally occurring BRD were BHD - in a multi-location hald study, 314 caives with naturally occurring BHD were treated with DRAXXIN. Responses to treatment were compared to saline-treated controls. A cure was defined as a calf with normal attitude/activity, normal respiration, and a rectal temperature of 104<sup>-4</sup> ro DBy 14. The cure rate was significantly higher (Ps0.05) in DRAXXIN-treated calves (78%) compared to saline-treated calves (24%). There were two BRD-related deaths in the DRAXXIN-treated calves.

Fith-two DRAXIN-treated calves and 27 saline-treated calves from the multi-location field BRD treatment study had *Mycoplasma* bovis identified in cultures from pre-treatment asopharyngeal swabs. Of the 52 DRAXIN-treated calves, 7(1.2%) calves were categorized as cures and 15 (28.8%) calves were categorized as treatment failures. Of the 27 saline-treated calves, 4 (14.4%) calves were categorized as cures and 15 (48.9%) calves were categorized as cures and 23 (85.2%) calves were treatment failures.

as cures and 23 (B5.2%) calves were treatment failures. In another multi-location field study with 399 calves at high risk of developing BAD, administration of DRAXXIN resulted in a significantly reduced incidence of BAD (11%) compared to saline-treated calves (69%). Effectiveness evaluation was based on scored clinical signs of normal attitude/activity, normal respiration, and a rectal temperature of ≤104°F on Day 14. There were no BRD-related deaths in the DRAXXIN-treated calves compared to two BRD-related deaths in the saline-treated calves. Fifty saline-treated calves classified as non-responders in this study had *Mycoplasma bovis* identified in cultures of post-treatment nasopharyngeal swabs or lung tissue.

Two induced infection model studies were conducted to confirm the effectiveness of DRAXXIN against Mycoplasma bovis. A total of 166 calves were inoculated intratracheally Entit Voltir digitinan (II) departments of the indication of the indication really with field standard and the indication of the indication of the indication of the respiration scores, they were treated with either DRAXXIN (2.5 mg/kg BW) subcutaneously or an equivalent volume of saline. Calves were observed for signs of BRD for 14 days post-treatment, then were euthanized and necropsied. In both studies, mean lung lesion percentages were statistically significantly lower in the DRAXXIN-treated calves (11.3% vs. 28.9%, P=0.0001 and 15.0% vs. 30.7%, P<0.0001).

With sainte-intelated cantes (11.3% vs. 26.9%, P=0.0001 and 15.0% vs. 30.1%, P<0.0001), IBK-1% of led studies were conducted evaluating DRAXIN for the treatment of IBK associated with Moravelle bovis in 200 naturally-infected calves. The primary clinical endpoint of these studies was cure rate, defined as a calf with no clinical signs of IBK and no corneal ulcer, assessed on Days 5, 9, 13, 17, and 21. Time to improvement, defined as the first day on which a calf had no clinical signs of IBK for both yes, provided that those screes were maintained at the next day of observation, was assessed as ascondary variable. At all time points, in both studies, the cure rate was significantly higher (P<0.05) for DRAXIN-treated calves compared to saine-treated calves. Additionally, time to improvement to saline-treated calves.

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Foot Rot – The effectiveness of DRAXXIN for the treatment of bovine foot rot was evaluated in 170 cattle in two field studies. Cattle diagnosed with bovine foot rot over enrolled and treated with a single subcutaneous dose of DRAXXIN (2.5 mg/kg BW) or an equivalent volume of saline. Cattle were clinically evaluated 7 days after treatment for treatment success, which was based on defined decreases in lesion, swelling, and lameness scores. In both studies, the treatment success percentage was statistically significantly higher in DRAXXIN-treated calves compared with saline-treated calves (60% vs. 8%, P<0.0001 and 83.3% vs. 50%, P=0.0088).</p>

Swine In a multi-location field study to evaluate the treatment of naturally occurring SRD, 266 pigs were treated with DRAXOM. Responses to treatment were compared to saline-treated controls. Success was defined as a pig with a normal attitude, normal respiration, and a rectal temperature of <104°F on Day 7. The treatment success rate was significantly greater (Pa0.05) in DPAXONT-treated pigs (70.5%) compared to saline-treated pigs (46.1%). M, Mycoperumoniae was isolated from 106 saline-treated and non-treated sentinel pigs in this study.

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# ANIMAI SAFETY

Cattle Safety studies were conducted in feeder calves receiving a single subcutaneous dose of 25 mg/kg BW, or 3 weekly subcutaneous doses of 2.5, 7.5, or 12.5 mg/kg BW. In all groups, transient indications of pain after injection were seen, including head shaking and nawing at the ground. Injection site swelling, discoloration of the subcutaneous tissues at the injection site and corresponding histopathologic changes were seen in animals in all dosage groups. These lesions showed signs of resolving over time. No other drug-related lesions were observed macroscopically or microscopically.

An exploratory study was conducted in feeder calves receiving a single subcutaneous dose of 10, 12.5, or 15 mg/kg BW. Macroscopically, no lesions were observed. Microscopically, minimat to mild myocardial degeneration was seen in one of six calves administered 12.5 mg/kg BW and two of six calves administered 15 mg/kg BW.

A safety study was conducted in calves 13 to 27 days of age receiving 2.5 mg/kg BW or 7.5 mg/kg BW once subcutaneously. With the exception of minimal to mild injection site reactions, no drug-related clinical signs or other lesions were observed macroscopically or microscopically.

# Swine

Safety studies were conducted in pigs receiving a single intramuscular dose of 25 mg/ kg BW, or 3 weekly intramuscular doses of 2.5, 7.5, or 12.5 mg/kg BW. In all groups, transient indications of pain after injection were seen, including restlessness and excessive vocalization. Tremors occurred briefly in one animal receiving 7.5 mg/kg BW. excessive vocalization, hence occurred bileny in one animal receiving 1.3 mg/mg biv Discoloration and edema of injection site tissues and corresponding histopathologic changes were seen in animals at all dosages and resolved over time. No other drug related lesions were observed macroscopically or microscopically.

# STORAGE CONDITIONS Store at or below 25°C (77°F).

## HOW SUPPLIED

TAKE OBSERVE LABEL DIRECTIONS

Made in Brazil.

DRAXXIN Injectable Solution is available in the following package sizes: 50 mL vial, 100 mL vial, 250 mL vial, 500 mL vial

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