## PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON THE OUTER PACKAGE (CARTON, x1 and x3 and x6 pipettes)

#### 1. NAME OF THE VETERINARY MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Frontline Spot on Cat 10% w/v spot on solution

## 2. STATEMENT OF ACTIVE AND OTHER SUBSTANCES

Each 0.5 ml pipette contains 50 mg fipronil. Also contains Butylhydroxyanisole 0.02% w/v and Butylhydroxytoluene 0.01% w/v.

## 3. PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Spot on solution

#### 4. PACKAGE SIZE

X1 pipette of 0.5 ml X3 pipettes of 0.5 ml X6 pipettes of 0.5 ml

## **5. TARGET SPECIES**

Cats

## 6. INDICATION(S)

To treat and prevent flea and tick infestations in cats. To control infestations with biting lice (*Felicola subrostratus*) in cats.

#### 7. ADMINISTRATION AND DOSAGE

## Dosage:

Apply 1 pipette of 0.5 ml per cat.

## How to apply:

1. Hold the pipette upright and tap the neck to ensure the contents are in the main body of the pipette. Then break the snap-off top along the scored line.



2. Part your cat's coat between the shoulder blades until you can see their



skin.

3. Place the tip of the pipette against the skin and squeeze gently to empty the contents directly onto the skin. Apply the contents at 2 points, one at the base of the skull and a second 2-3 cm further back.



Take care to ensure that the product is applied directly to the skin and not squeezed on to the hair, as this will cause a sticky appearance of hairs at the treatment spot. Should this occur however, it will disappear within 24 hours after you have applied the product.

Do not treat your cat more frequently than every 4 weeks.

#### 8. WITHDRAWAL PERIOD

#### 9. SPECIAL WARNINGS

- Do not use in rabbits, as adverse reactions and even death could occur.
- Do not use in animals with known hypersensitivity (allergy) to the active substance or to any of the other ingredients.
- Do not use on kittens less than 8 weeks old and/or weighing less than 1 kg.
- Your cat should be weighed accurately before treatment. Do not overdose. The risk of adverse effects may increase with overdosing. Itching may occur following treatment. Overdose application of the product will cause a sticky appearance of hairs at the treatment spot. However, if this occurs, it will disappear within 24 hours after applying the product.
- Do not use on animals that are unwell or are recovering from illness.
- It is important to apply the product to an area where the animal cannot lick it off and to make sure that the animals do not lick each other after treatment. If your cat, or another pet in the house, licks the application site, you may see them salivating heavily/drooling for a short time due to the nature of the solvents in the product.
- The following adverse reactions may be seen on extremely rare occasions (less than 1 animal in 10,000 animals, including isolated reports): temporary skin reactions at the application site (scaling, local hair loss, itchiness, redness) and general itchiness or hair loss. In exceptional cases, excessive salivation/drooling, temporary nervous system reactions (such as increased sensitivity to light and sound, depression, overexcited or unusual behaviour) or vomiting have also been observed after use.
- Avoid contact with the animal's eyes.

## User warnings

- People with a known allergy to insecticides or alcohol should avoid contact with FRONTLINE Spot On Cat.
- This product can cause irritation of the mouth, lips and eyes, therefore contact of the product with the mouth and eyes should be avoided.
- Avoid the product coming into contact with the fingers. If this occurs, wash hands with soap and water. After accidental contact with eyes rinse carefully with clean water. Wash hands after use. Do not smoke, eat or drink during application.
- Treated animals should not be handled until the application site is dry, and children should not be allowed to play with treated animals until the application site is dry. It is recommended that recently treated animals are not allowed to sleep with owners, especially children.

#### **10. EXPIRY DATE**

Exp.:

#### 11. SPECIAL STORAGE CONDITIONS

- Keep stored pipettes in the original packaging until ready to use. In order to prevent children from getting access to used pipettes, dispose of used pipettes immediately.
- Store in the original package. Store in a dry place. Do not store above 30 °C. Flammable.

# 12. SPECIFIC PRECAUTIONS FOR THE DISPOSAL OF UNUSED PRODUCTS OR WASTE MATERIALS, IF ANY

Fipronil may harm fish and other water creatures. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with the product or empty containers.

Dispose of empty packaging and any remaining product in the household rubbish. Disposal: read package leaflet.

## 13. THE WORDS "FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY" AND CONDITIONS OR RESTRICTIONS REGARDING SUPPLY AND USE IF APPLICABLE

For animal treatment only.

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## 14. THE WORDS "KEEP OUT OF THE SIGHT AND REACH OF CHILDREN"

Keep out of the sight and reach of children.

#### 15. NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MARKETING AUTHORISATION HOLDER

Boehringer Ingelheim Animal Health UK Ltd, Bracknell, RG12 8YS, UK

#### 16. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBER

Vm 08327/4133

## 17. MANUFACTURER'S BATCH NUMBER

Batch:

#### 18. FURTHER INFORMATION

Kills fleas ticks lice

FRONTLINE Spot On Cat kills fleas for up to 5 weeks, depending on the number of fleas in your cat's environment. Newly arriving fleas are killed within 24 hours of landing on your pet.

FRONTLINE Spot On Cat prevents re-infestation of ticks (*Rhipicephalus* spp, *Dermacentor* spp and *Ixodes* spp) for up to one month depending on the number of ticks in your cat's environment.

Single ticks may still become attached to your cat and therefore transmission of infectious diseases cannot be ruled out.

When treating infestations of lice, all in-contact cats should be treated with an appropriate product at the same time.

For optimum control of flea problems in a multi-pet household, all dogs and cats in the household should be treated with a suitable flea treatment. Fleas from pets infest the animal's basket, bedding and regular resting areas such as carpets and soft furnishings. It is recommended that these areas should be treated with a suitable household flea treatment and vacuumed regularly.

After applying FRONTLINE Spot On Cat as directed, the product will spread from the site of treatment to cover the entire surface of the animal within 24 hours. The amount of product absorbed into your cat's blood after applying the product is very small.

There are no data to show how bathing/ shampooing may affect the effectiveness of the product in cats, however, based on information available for dogs, it is recommended that you do not bath your cat within 2 days after application of the product.

This product can be used during pregnancy and lactation.

There are no known interactions when FRONTLINE Spot On Cat is used with other products.

The alcohol ingredient may damage painted, varnished or other household surfaces or furnishings.

For external use only.

## How to protect your cat

Can be used monthly (where required) throughout the year for continuous flea and tick protection\*

Make sure all cats and dogs in your home are treated regularly.

## How to treat a home infestation

Follow the 2 steps above as well as the 2 steps below

Use a household flea treatment to kill eggs and larvae already in the home.

Regularly vacuum your carpets and furnishings.

\*Before every use, read the information on the inside of the box for full instructions and all warnings, including user warnings. **DO NOT USE IN RABBITS.** 

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