

FLUSAPEX DROPS

Potent gentle diuretic for cats and dogs

Composition:

Furosemide 10mg/ml.

Presentation:

Liquid formulation in a dropper bottle of 25ml

Action:

Loop diuretics, eg, furosemide, block Cl (thus NaCl) reabsorption in the ascending Loop of Henle and possibly Na⁺ active transport as well. The urine produced is hypotonic with respect to plasma, so more fluid is lost with respect to electrolytes than with thiazide diuretics. Thus they are much more potent diuretics. Furosemide is the drug of choice for severe oedema, rapidly shifting blood away from the capillary veins. The response is largely independent of acid-base balance.

Indications:

As an aid in the treatment of oedema in dogs and cats.

Contra-indications:

Impaired renal or hepatic function.
Concomitant neomycin medication.

Precautions:

Monitor electrolyte balance with prolonged use. Furosemide has no adverse effects on pregnant animals.

Dosage and Administration:

Give orally in divided doses.

Cats: 0.1 to 0.2 ml/kg bodyweight daily.

Dogs: 0.2 to 0.4 ml/kg bodyweight daily.

Storage:

Store below 30°C (room temperature).

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Flusapex Drops for Animal Treatment Only

