



## MODERIN LA

### Composition

Methylprednisolone	40mg
Excipients:	
Myristyl gamma-picolinium Chloridum	0.2mg

### Characteristics

#### Indications

Moderin is recommended for dogs and cats for the symptomatic treatment or as part of treatment of inflammatory diseases and allergic diseases such as skin conditions, musculo skeletal disorders and diseases of the ears and the eyes.

#### Dosage and administration

Shake well before use.

Intramuscular administration – Deep IM injection

Dogs: The average dose for dogs is 20mg; this corresponds to a dose of 0.5 to 2mg per kg/bw. This dose is dependent on the size of the dog and the seriousness of the condition.

Cats: The average dose for cats is 10mg; this corresponds to a dosage of 2 to 5 mg per kg/bw and a maximum of 20mg

For the maintenance, treatment of chronic disorders gradually reduce the initial dose until the individual smallest effective dose is reached.

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Dogs: The average starting dose for a larger joint is 20mg; this corresponds to a dose of 0.5 to 2mg per kg/bw. For smaller joints is a corresponding lower required dose.

#### Adverse reactions

Synthetic corticosteroids such as methylprednisolone are known for their extensive side effects. High single doses are generally well tolerated, but in long term and with administration of esters with a long duration severe side effects can occur. Doses that are administered over a medium or longer period of time should generally be limited to the minimum, in order to avoid the clinical signs. Continuous or prolonged use of this product is generally not recommended. During treatment, steroids may trigger Cushing's symptoms and lead to significant alterations in the metabolism of fats, carbohydrates, proteins and minerals, which can result in redistribution of body fat, loss of muscular weakness and osteoporosis. During therapy effective doses block to hypothalamic-pituitary-adrenal axis. Also see leaflet.

#### Precautions

In the case of infection, the hormonal therapy must be combined with a correct and specific antibacterial treatment.

#### Contraindications

Corticosteroids are contraindicated in animals suffering from tuberculosis syndrome, Cushing or ulcers in animals and in the last month of gestations, with vaccination, in severe parasitic or a history of glaucoma.

#### Warnings

Corticosteroids are not recommended for administration to pregnant animals. Studies show that administration during early gestation of laboratory animals can cause foetal abnormalities. Administration at the end of pregnancy can cause abortion or early parturition.

Overdose: The main symptoms of acute toxicity are hypertension, vomiting and edema. In case of chronic poisoning, the dose should be reduced to the minimum maintenance dose at the first sign of toxicity.

#### Storage

Do not store above 25°C. Do not freeze.

#### Presentation

Vial à 5ml and 10ml

#### Registration (international)

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