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RESTRICTED VETERINARY MEDICINE



## TUBERCULIN 30,000 IU per mL

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STORE AT 2 TO 8 DEGREES CELSIUS  
DO NOT FREEZE  
PROTECT FROM LIGHT  
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

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**Active Ingredients:** Purified Protein Derivative of  
*Mycobacterium bovis*, strain AN5, 30,000 IU/mL.

**Indications:** For use as an aid in the diagnosis of  
mycobacterial infection in cattle and deer.

**Directions for Use:** For use under the authority or  
prescription of a veterinary surgeon or by persons  
approved under Section 103 of the Biosecurity  
Act 1993 when applying cattle and deer tuberculin  
tests.

### Test Application

The following instructions are guidelines only:  
Injections of 0.1 mL must be made intradermally.  
It is recommended syringes are calibrated to 0.1  
mL and the needle of the syringe is 22-26 gauge  
and 3-4 mm long. Syringes should be kept clean  
and sterilised. Contamination of the syringe with  
disinfectants or alcohol may interfere with testing.  
When filling syringes, care must be taken to prevent  
contamination of vials.

Preferred site of injection:

**Cattle:** caudal fold for the single intradermal test  
and the cervical site for the comparative cervical  
test (CCT).

**Deer:** the mid cervical site for both the single  
intradermal test and the CCT. When using the  
cervical sites, care is required to evenly clip hair  
close to the skin surface (2 mm or less mean  
length) prior to injecting. The recommended size  
of the clipped area is 10 x 10 cm for each injection  
site. When applying a CCT use Observe™ Bovine  
Tuberculin 30,000 IU per mL in conjunction with  
Observe™ Avian Tuberculin 25,000 IU per mL.

Test Interpretation:

It is recommended the test be read 72  
hours after injection.

Skin test reactions are to be classified in accordance  
with the requirements of OSPRI, the TBfree New  
Zealand programme and the National Operational  
Plan pursuant to the Biosecurity Act 1993 and the  
Biosecurity (National Bovine Tuberculosis Pest  
Management Plan) Order 1998 (the Order).

**Retesting:** To avoid desensitisation, a retest using  
bovine and/or avian PPD tuberculin should not be  
applied until 60 days after any previous tuberculin  
test.

### Product Information

**Withholding period:** Nil

**Storage:** Refrigerate (2°C to 8°C). Do not freeze.  
Protect from light - keep vials in closed box.

**Transportation:** May be transported at  
2°C to 37°C for a period not longer than 14 days.  
Do not freeze.

**Use:** Do not use after the expiry date. Use  
immediately after opening. Discard unused  
contents.

**Method of Disposal:** Unused, part-used and  
empty vials should be destroyed according to local  
regulations.

**Safety Precautions:** In the case of accidental  
self-injection, an area of intense local irritation may  
develop for up to 96 hours later.

If irritation occurs, you are advised to consult your  
medical practitioner.

Store out of the reach of children.

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