

VETERINARY
MEDICINE

A Practitioner's Quick Reference to Selected

PARASITICIDES
in Dogs and Cats

CATS

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PRODUCT	COMPANY	ACTIVE INGREDIENT	MINIMUM AGE/ WEIGHT	ADMINISTRATION TYPE/FREQUENCY*	FLEAS**	MOSQUITOES	TICKS					HEARTWORMS	MITES	ROUNDWORMS	HOOKWORMS		TAPEWORMS		CHEWING LICE	FLIES	GNATS	
							Unspecified	<i>Amblyomma americanum</i>	<i>Dermacentor variabilis</i>	<i>Ixodes scapularis</i>	<i>Rhipicephalus sanguineus</i>	<i>Dirofilaria immitis</i> (tissue stage)	<i>Otodectes cynotis</i>	<i>Toxocara cati</i>	<i>Ancylostoma braziliense</i>	<i>Ancylostoma tubaeforme</i>	<i>Dipylidium caninum</i>	<i>Taenia taeniaeformis</i>				
Acarexx Otic Suspension	Boehringer Ingelheim Vetmedica	Ivermectin	4 weeks	Topical								●										
Advantage	Bayer Animal Health	Imidacloprid	8 weeks	Topical/monthly	●																	
Advantage Multi for Cats	Bayer Animal Health	Imidacloprid, moxidectin	9 weeks/2 lb	Topical/monthly	●						●	●	●		●							
Capstar	Novartis Animal Health	Nitenpyram	4 weeks/2 lb	Tablet	●																	
Cestex	Pfizer Animal Health	Epsiprantel	7 weeks	Tablet/single dose													●	●				
Droncit	Bayer Animal Health	Praziquantel	6 weeks	Injectable (SC, IM) and tablet/single dose													●	●				
Drontal	Bayer Animal Health	Praziquantel, pyrantel pamoate	4 weeks/1.5 lb	Tablet/single dose									●		●		●	●				
Frontline Plus for Cats	Merial	Fipronil, (s)-methoprene	8 weeks	Spot treatment/monthly	●			●	●	●	●									●		
Frontline Spray	Merial	Fipronil	8 weeks	Spray/monthly	●			●	●	●	●									●		
Frontline Top Spot for Cats	Merial	Fipronil	8 weeks	Spot treatment/monthly	●			●	●	●	●									●		
Heartgard Chewables for Cats	Merial	Ivermectin	6 weeks	Chewable/monthly							●			●	●							
Interceptor Flavor Tabs	Novartis Animal Health	Milbemycin oxime	6 weeks/1.5 lb	Tablet/monthly							●		●		●							
Milbemite OTIC	Novartis Animal Health	Milbemycin oxime	4 weeks	Topical								●										
Profender	Bayer Animal Health	Emodepside, praziquantel	8 weeks/2.2 lb	Topical/single dose									●		●		●	●				
Program	Novartis Animal Health	Lufenuron	4 weeks (tablet) 6 weeks (suspension and injectable)	Tablet/monthly, Suspension/monthly, Injectable (SC)/every 6 months	●																	
ProMeris for Cats	Fort Dodge Animal Health	Metaflumizone	8 weeks	Spot application/monthly	●																	
Revolution	Pfizer Animal Health	Selamectin	8 weeks	Topical/monthly	●						●	●	●		●							
Vectra for Cats & Kittens	Summit VetPharm	Dinotefuran, pyriproxyfen	> 8 weeks/< 9 lb	Topical/monthly	●																	
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Virbac Pyrethrin Dip	Virbac Animal Health	Pyrethrins, piperonyl butoxide, n-octyl bicycloheptene dicarboximide, di-n-propyl isocinchomeronate	12 weeks	Dip	●	●	●													●	●	●

*See product label for exact dosing frequency and administration instructions. **See product label for specific flea stage.