

## FOR ANIMAL USE ONLY

### NOBILIS® EDS

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### INDICATIONS

**Nobilis® EDS** is an inactivated vaccine for the protection of layers and breeding chickens against Egg Drop Syndrome '76.

### COMPOSITION

Contains the formalin inactivated Egg Drop Syndrome '76 virus (strain BC 14) antigen.

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Each dose of 0,5 ml contains the inactivated EDS '76 virus (strain BC 14) inducing 6,5 log<sub>2</sub> HI units. The virus has been inactivated with formalin and subsequently suspended in the water phase of a water-in-oil emulsion.

### STORAGE

- Store in the dark between 2 °C and 8 °C.
- Do not freeze.
- Allow the vaccine to gradually reach room temperature between 20 °C and 25 °C before use.
- Avoid prolonged or repetitive exposure to high ambient temperatures following withdrawal from the refrigerator prior to use.
- Protect from direct sunlight.

### WARNINGS

- **Withdrawal period:** Do not market chickens for slaughter purposes for at least 6 weeks after vaccination.
- Ensure that chickens marketed do not have swellings at the site of vaccine administration, as this may result in the condemnation of the chickens.
- Vaccinate healthy chickens only.
- Opened bottles should be used within 24 hours.
- Do not store partially used containers for future use and use the entire contents when opened.
- Do not mix **Nobilis® EDS** with other vaccines.
- Vaccination of chickens in production may lead to a slight drop in egg production.
- Accidental self-vaccination may lead to severe local allergic reaction. Consult a physician informing him/her that the vaccine contains a mineral oil.
- Destroy any unused vaccine and dispose of all empty vaccine containers as per local waste disposal regulations after vaccination.
- **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN, UNINFORMED PERSONS AND ANIMALS.**
- Although this vaccine has been extensively tested under a large variety of conditions, failure thereof may ensue as a result of a wide range of reasons. If this is suspected, seek veterinary advice and notify the registration holder.

### PRECAUTIONS

- Observe aseptic precautions. Ensure that all vaccination equipment (needles, syringes, etc.) are clean and sterile prior to use.
- Ensure that all equipment is kept clean and sterile during vaccination.
- Avoid intravenous injection.
- It is essential to adhere to the vaccination program to maintain a satisfactory immune response.
- It is good vaccination practice when handling the vaccine to avoid contact with the eyes, hands and clothing.

## **DIRECTIONS FOR USE - USE ONLY AS DIRECTED**

### **Recommended Vaccination Programme**

- **Nobilis® EDS** should be given to chickens around 16 to 20 weeks of age, but not less than 4 weeks before the expected onset of lay.
- Allow the vaccine to gradually reach room temperature between 20 °C and 25 °C before use.
- Shake well before use and at regular intervals during the vaccination process.
- Remove the aluminium overseal and the vaccine is ready for use.

### **DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION**

- Each chicken should be given 0,5 ml of the vaccine intramuscularly into the breast muscle or subcutaneously in the lower part of the neck. (Intramuscular injection into the breast muscle: The needle should be pointed in the direction of the chicken's head to prevent the needle from entering the body cavity).
- Inject all the chickens in the flock.

### **VACCINATION REACTIONS**

In healthy chickens, no clinical reaction to the vaccination will be observed. For some weeks after vaccination a slight swelling may be felt at the site of the vaccination. This does not constitute permanent damage of the tissue provided the vaccination has been carried out aseptically.

### **PRESENTATION**

Bottles containing 500 ml sufficient for 1 000 doses.

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