

Peptosyl Oral Suspension

An aid in the treatment of gastroenteritis and diarrhoea in dogs

COMPOSITION

Bismuth sub-salicylate 17.5 mg/mL

Also contains Sodium Bentonite and Vitamin B 12

ACTIONS

PEPTOSYL is a first line defence against digestive disturbances in horses and dogs, with a wide safety margin, and analgesic, antiseptic and antacid actions.

Key Features & Benefits:

* **PEPTOSYL** is a first line defence against diarrhoea and digestive disturbances in horses, foals and dogs.

* **PEPTOSYL** is Bismuth salicylate oral suspension.

* Non-antibiotic treatment for non-infectious & dietary diarrhoea.

* **PEPTOSYL** has gut protective, antacid, antiseptic properties, and is anti-inflammatory to control pain.

After administration, the Bismuth salicylate is converted to Bismuth carbonate and Sodium salicylate. Bismuth lines and protects the mucosal (gut lining) surface of the stomach and intestines, absorbs toxic compounds such as endotoxins, and has protective, antacid and antiseptic properties. The salicylate component is anti-inflammatory, and rapidly reduces the pain associated with gut inflammation and disturbances.

The majority of canine gastro-intestinal disturbances are not of bacterial origin, therefore **PEPTOSYL** is a safe, non-complicating treatment in most dogs with digestive upsets of nutritional or not-bacterial origin. Most canine gut disturbances will relate to incorrect management of diet, nutrition or stress rather than infection.

Bentonite is a natural clay earth material with properties similar to activated charcoal. It has the ability to bind (and neutralise) bacterial endotoxins.

PEPTOSYL is indicated for the control and treatment of diarrhoea and pain associated with non-bacterial gastro-intestinal disturbance such as enteritis, gastritis, and colitis.

Being non-antibiotic, **PEPTOSYL** does not contribute to bacterial resistance. Oral bismuth preparations are well researched in both humans and animals, and are reported to be free of toxic side effects.



INDICATIONS

PEPTOSYL can be used where indicated in cases of gastro-intestinal disturbance. It will not "mask" any serious veterinary problems, but will rapidly relieve the majority of gut upsets from dietary or non-infectious causes. If rapid response is not seen, seek veterinary diagnosis of the condition without delay.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Administer orally.

Dogs: 0.25 - 0.5 mL per kg

Repeat dose every 6 hours for 36 hours and thence at 12 hour intervals for a further 2 to 3 days.

Where possible, withhold food for 24 hours (but do not restrict nursing in pups), use **PEPTOSYL** at a dose rate of 0.25 - 0.5 mL per kg bodyweight daily to control the diarrhoea, then give bland low fat meals for several days. Do not administer for prolonged periods to animals less than 30 days old.

PRESENTATION

Pack Sizes & Presentation: 200 mL, 1 Litre, 5 Litre

STORAGE

Store in a dry place below 30 °C (Room Temperature). Protect from light. Replace lid tightly after use.

AVAILABILITY

For General Sale (APVMA 39578)

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NOTES

*Even cases of infectious diarrhoea where antibiotics are required will benefit from **PEPTOSYL** to control the diarrhoea, in combination with prescribed antibiotics.*