



What are the withholding periods for intramammary antibiotics?

A. Withholding period for MILK from cows given intramammary antibiotic Dry Cow Treatment

Dry Cow Treatment product	Company	Minimum Dry Period (MDP)	Withholding period for milk	
			For cows that calve before the MDP	For cows that calve after the MDP
Ampiclox Dry Cow	Jurox	30 days	Contact Jurox 1800 023 312	96 hours or 8 milkings
Bovaclox DC LA	Norbrook	49 days	Contact Norbook 1800 665 866	96 hours or 8 milkings
Cepravin Dry Cow	Schering-Plough	49 days	Contact Schering-Plough 1800 226 511	96 hours or 8 milkings
Durodry DC	Pharmacia	35 days	Contact Pharmacia 02 9638-3814	96 hours or 8 milkings
Elaclox DC	Elanco	30 days*	21 days*	96 hours or 8 milkings
Elaclox DCX	Elanco	35 days	21 days*	96 hours or 8 milkings
Juraclox LA 600 Dry Cow	Jurox	35 days	Contact Jurox 1800 023 312	96 hours or 8 milkings
Noroclox Dry Cow	Norbrook	30 days	Contact Norbook 1800 665 866	96 hours
Orbenin Dry Cow	Pfizer	30 days	21 days	96 hours or 8 milkings
Orbenin Enduro	Pfizer	35 days	21 days*	96 hours or 8 milkings

* This figure was provided by the pharmaceutical company

B. Withholding period for COW MEAT from cows given intramammary antibiotic Dry Cow Treatment

Dry Cow Treatment product	Company	Withholding period for cow meat
Ampiclox Dry Cow	Jurox	30 days
Bovaclox DC LA	Norbrook	30 days
Cepravin Dry Cow	Schering-Plough	21 days
Durodry DC	Pharmacia	30 days
Elaclox DC	Elanco	30 days*
Elaclox DCX	Elanco	30 days
Juraclox LA 600 Dry Cow	Jurox	30 days
Noroclox Dry Cow	Norbrook	30 days
Orbenin Dry Cow	Pfizer	30 days
Orbenin Enduro	Pfizer	30 days

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This FAQ sheet updates the tables in Technote 3.1 and Technote 4.10



C. Withholding period for CALF MEAT from cows given intramammary antibiotic Dry Cow Treatment

Dry Cow Treatment product	Company	Minimum Dry Period (MDP)	Withholding period for calf meat	
			For cows that calve before the MDP	For cows that calve after the MDP
Ampiclox Dry Cow	Jurox	30 days	30 days	4 days
Bovaclox DC LA	Norbrook	49 days	30 days	4 days
Cepravin Dry Cow	Schering-Plough	49 days	21 days	4 days
Durodry DC	Pharmacia	35 days	30 days	4 days
Elaclox DC	Elanco	30 days	30 days	4 days
Elaclox DCX	Elanco	35 days	30 days	4 days
Juraclox LA 600 Dry Cow	Jurox	35 days	30 days	4 days
Noroclox Dry Cow	Norbrook	30 days	30 days	4 days
Orbenin Dry Cow	Pfizer	30 days	30 days	4 days
Orbenin Enduro	Pfizer	35 days	30 days	4 days

D. Withholding period for MILK from cows given intramammary Lactating Cow treatment

Product	Company	Withholding period for milk after the last infusion
Ampiclox LC	Jurox	72 hours
Cepravin LC	Schering-Plough	72 hours (6 milkings)
Lincocin Forte	Pharmacia	96 hours (8 milkings)
Mastalone Blue	Pfizer	7 days
Orbenin LC	Pfizer	96 hours
Special Formula 17900 Forte V	Pharmacia	72 hours (6 milkings)

E. Withholding period for COW MEAT from cows given intramammary Lactating Cow treatment

Product	Company	Withholding period for cow meat after the last infusion
Ampiclox LC	Jurox	30 days
Cepravin LC	Schering-Plough	7 days
Lincocin Forte	Pharmacia	30 days
Mastalone Blue	Pfizer	30 days
Orbenin LC	Pfizer	30 days
Special Formula 17900 Forte V	Pharmacia	30 days

F. Recommended withholding period for CALF MEAT drinking milk from cows on intramammary Lactating Cow treatment

Milk from cows treated with Lactating Cow antibiotic should NOT be fed to bobby calves until after the milk withholding period (table D).

If calves do drink treated milk within the withholding period, the withholding period for the calf meat is the same as the withholding period for cow meat (table E) starting from the last feed of treated milk.