

Table 1**Anthelmintics available for dogs in Italy**

Tradename	Active	Dose-rate/ regimen	Formulation	Minimum age or weight of treatment	Spectrum of activity (gastrointestinal helminths)		Heart worm preventatives
					Nemat ocidal	Cestocidal	
Izovermina	Piperazine	100mg	Tablet	-	Y		
Nemex, Pyrantel 6%	Pyrantel	5mg/kg	Paste, Suspension	-	Y		
Nemex Plus Duelmint	Pyrantel and Oxantel	5 mg/kg 20mg/kg	Tablet	-	Y		
Nemex POP Triantelm	Pyrantel Praziquantel Oxantel	5mg/kg 5mg/kg 20mg/kg	Tablet	-	Y		
Cardotek 30	Ivermectin	6mcg/kg	Tablet, chewable	6 weeks			Y
Cardotek 30 Plus	Ivermectin and Pyrantel	6 mcg/kg 5mg/kg	chewable	6 weeks	Y		Y
Stronghold	Selamectin	6mg/kg/ month	Spot on	6 weeks	Y		Y
Interceptor Interceptor Flavor	Milbemycin oxime	0.5mg/kg	Tablets and Flavoured tablet	2 weeks of age or 0.5kg	Y		Y
Milbemax	Milbemycin oxime and Praziquantel	0.5mg/kg 5mg/kg	Tablet	2 weeks of age or 0.5kg	Y	Y	Y
Sentinel	Milbemycin oxime and lufenuron	0.5mg/kg milbemycin oxime and 10mg/kg lufenuron	Tablet	2 weeks of age or 2kg	Y	-	Y
Guardian	Moxidectin	3mcg/kg	Tablet	6 weeks			Y

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Guardian SR Injectable	Moxidectin	0.05ml/kg	Injection	adult	Y		Y
Advocate	Moxidectin and Imidacloprid	2.5mg/kg 10mg/kg	Spot on	7 weeks	Y		Y
Include: Panacur and Rintal granules	Fenbendazole	50mg/kg*	Granules, Tablet	-	Y	Ta	
Caniquabtel	Fenbendazole Praziquantel	50 mg/kg 5mg/kg	Tablet		Y	Ta Di E	
Zantel	Flubendazole Praziquantel	50mg/kg 5mg/kg for 2 days*	Tablet	-	Y	Ta Di E	
Flubenol Flubenol Easy	Flubendazole	22mg/kg for two days*	Paste Chewable Tablet	-	Y	Ta	
Drontal Plus	Pyrantel, febantel, praziquantel	1 tablet per 10kg	Tablet	-	Y	Ta Di E	
Drontal Puppy	Pyrantel, febantel	1ml/kg	Suspension	-	Y		
Droncit	Praziquantel	5.68mg/kg	Injection	Not to unweaned puppies or kittens		Y	
Praziquantel 5.68%		Tablet			Y		
Len Telmin	Mebendazolo	20mg/kg 40mg	Tablet, Paste, Suspension	-	Y		
Duelmint Pralen Pralovet	Mebendazolo and Praziquantel	20mg/kg 1mg/kg for 3 days	Tablet Drops	-	Y	Di Y	
Ascarilen	Levamisolo	7mg/kg or 1ml/4 kg bw	Solution <i>per</i> <i>os</i>	-	Y		

Y: yes; Ta: *Taenia* spp. E: *Echinococcus granulosus*; Di: *Dipylidium caninum*

*: see data sheet for more details of dosing regimens

Table 2
Anthelmintics available for cats in Italy

Tradename	Active	Dose-rate /regimen	Formulation	Minimum age or weight of treatment	Spectrum of activity (gastrointestinal helminths)		Heartworm preventatives
					Nematocide	Cestocide	
Izovermina	Piperazine	100mg	Tablet	-	Y	-	-
Pyrantel 6%	Pyrantel	5mg/kg	Suspension	-	Y	-	
Felex	Pyrantel Niclosamide	1 ml per 4kg	Paste	-	Y	Ta Di	
Duantelm	Pyrantel Praziquantel	20mg/kg 5mg/kg	Paste	-	Y	Ta Di	
Cardotek 30 FX	Ivermectin	24 mcg/kg	Chewable tablet	6 weeks	Y	-	Y
Milbemax Cats	Milbemycin Oxime Praziquantel	2mg/kg 5mg/kg	Tablet	6 weeks or 0.5 kg bw	Y	Ta	Y
Stronghold	Selamectin	6mg/kg	Spot on	6 weeks	Y	-	Y
Flubenol	Flubendazole	22mg/kg for two days*	Paste	-	Y	Ta	
Panacur	Fenbendazole	100mg/kg	Chewable Tablet	2.5kg	Y	Ta	
Drontal Cat Duantelm	Pyrantel, Praziquantel	1 tablet per 4kg 5mg/kg	Tablet	6 weeks	Y	Ta Di	-
Droncit Praziquantel 5.68%	Praziquantel	5.68mg/kg 5mg/kg 8mg/kg	Injection Tablet Spot on	Not unweaned animals Not less than 1kg	-	Y Y Y	-

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Len Telmin	Mebendazolo	20mg/kg	Tablet, Paste, Suspension	-	Y	Di	
		40mg/kg			Y		
Duelmint Pralen Pralovet	Mebendazolo and Praziquantel	20mg/kg 1mg/kg for 3 days	Tablet Drops	-	Y	Y	
Ascarilen	Levamisolo	7mg/kg or 1ml/4 kg bw	Solution <i>per</i> <i>os</i>	-	Y		

Y: yes; Ta: *Taenia* spp. ; Di: *Dipylidium can*

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