

Today's Veterinary Practice **PRODUCT PROFILE**

COMMON HEARTWORM PREVENTIVE & INTESTINAL PARASITE MEDICATIONS FOR DOGS & CATS

PREVENTIVE	INSECTICIDES	SPECIES	INDICATIONS
MONTHLY CHEWABLE TABLETS			
Heartgard (Merial)	Ivermectin	Dogs (≥ 6 wks) Cats (≥ 6 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease
Heartgard Plus (Merial)	Ivermectin Pyrantel	Dogs (≥ 6 wks) Not for use in cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Treats and controls roundworms and hookworms
Interceptor (Novartis)	Milbemycin oxime	Dogs (≥ 4 wks, > 2 lb) Cats (≥ 6 wks, > 1.5 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Dogs: Treats and controls roundworms, hookworms, and whipworms Cats: Treats and controls roundworms and hookworms
Iverheart Max (Virbac)	Ivermectin Praziquantel Pyrantel	Dogs (≥ 8 wks, ≥ 6 lb) Not for use in cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Treats and controls roundworms, hookworms, and tapeworms
Iverheart Plus (Virbac)	Ivermectin Pyrantel	Dogs (≥ 6 wks) Not for use in cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Treats and controls roundworms and hookworms
Sentinel (Novartis)	Lufenuron Milbemycin oxime	Dogs (≥ 4 wks) Not for use in cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Treats and controls roundworms, hookworms, and whipworms Controls flea populations
Trifexis (Elanco)	Milbemycin oxime Spinosad	Dogs (≥ 8 wks) Not for use in cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Treats and controls roundworms, hookworms, and whipworms Prevents development of flea eggs
MONTHLY TOPICAL SOLUTIONS			
Advantage Multi (Bayer)	Imidacloprid Moxidectin	Dogs (≥ 7 wks, > 3 lb) Cats (≥ 9 wks, > 3 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Kills roundworms, hookworms, and whipworms Kills fleas and flea eggs Treats and controls ear mite infestations
Revolution (Pfizer)	Selamectin	Dogs (≥ 6 wks) Cats (≥ 8 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevents heartworm disease Kills roundworms and hookworms Kills fleas, flea eggs, and ticks Treats sarcoptic mange (dogs) and controls ear mite infestations
ONE-TIME CHEWABLE TABLET			
Cestex (Pfizer)	Epsiprantel	Dogs (≥ 7 wks) Cats (≥ 7 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kills tapeworms
Droncit (Bayer)	Praziquantel	Dogs (≥ 4 wks) Cats (≥ 6 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kills tapeworms
Drontal (Bayer)	Praziquantel Pyrantel	Cats (≥ 4 wks, > 1.5 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kills roundworms, hookworms, and tapeworms
Drontal Plus (Bayer)	Febantel Praziquantel Pyrantel	Dogs (> 3 wks; > 2 lb)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kills roundworms, hookworms, tapeworms, and whipworms
ONE-TIME TOPICAL SOLUTION			
Profender (Bayer)	Emodepside Praziquantel	Cats (≥ 8 wks)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kills roundworms, hookworms, and tapeworms

Caution: Studies have indicated that collies and certain herding breeds of dogs are more sensitive to the effects of avermectins.

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