


## Bovaclox Dry Cow

## Section 1: Identification of the Substance and Supplier

<b>Product name</b>	<b>Bovaclox Dry Cow</b>
<b>Recommended use</b>	Veterinary antibiotic for treatment and prevention of mastitis in cattle.
<b>Company details</b>	<b>Schering Plough Animal Health Ltd</b> <b>33 Whakatiki Street, Upper Hutt 5018, New Zealand</b>  <b>Phone: 0800 800 543 – Fax: 0800 808 100</b> <b>Website: www.msd-animal-health.co.nz</b> <b>Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Mon – Fri</b>
<b>Emergency telephone</b>	<b>0800 764 766 (0800 POISON) 24 hours human health</b> <b>0800 243 622 (0800 CHEMCALL) 24 hours</b>
<b>Date of preparation</b>	April 2019

## Section 2: Hazards Identification

<b>Hazard classifications</b>	6.3B: Skin Irritant 6.5B: Contact sensitiser
<b>GHS Pictogram:</b>	
<b>Signal word</b>	Warning
<b>Hazard statement</b>	H316: Causes mild skin irritation. H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
<b>Prevention statement</b>	P102: Keep out of the reach of children. P103: Read label before use. P261: Avoid breathing mist. P272: Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. P280: Wear protective gloves.
<b>Response statement</b>	P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. P321: See first aid instruction on the label of the product. P333 + P313: If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. P362 + P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
<b>Disposal</b>	P501: Dispose of product, packaging and waste at an approved landfill or other approved facility.

## Section 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Chemical name	CAS number	Concentration
Cloxacillin (as benzathine salt)	23736-58-5	11.11%
Ampicillin (as trihydrate)	7177-48-2	5.55%

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

<b>Necessary first aid measures</b>	Penicillins may cause hypersensitivity (allergy) following injection, inhalation, ingestion or skin contact. Do not handle this product if you know you are sensitised, or if you have been advised not to work with such preparations. Handle this product with great care to avoid exposure.
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**SKIN CONTACT** While wearing protective gloves, carefully remove any contaminated clothing, including shoes, and wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. If irritation or symptoms occur or persist, consult a doctor.

**EYE CONTACT** Immediately rinse eyes thoroughly with plenty of water. If wearing contact lenses, remove only after initial rinse, and continue rinsing eyes for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs or persists, consult a doctor.

**INGESTION** Rinse mouth and drink a glass of water. Do not induce vomiting unless under the direction of a qualified medical professional or National Poisons Centre. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

**INHALATION** Remove to fresh air. If any trouble breathing, get immediate medical attention. Administer artificial respiration if breathing has ceased. If irritation or symptoms occur or persist, consult a doctor.

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<b>Required instructions</b>	For advice contact the National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON (0800 764 766) or a doctor.
<b>Notes for medical personnel</b>	Inhalation: remove to fresh air & provide oxygen if breathing is difficult
<b>Workplace facilities</b>	Emergency showers and eyewashes may be warranted depending on quantity and type of use.

### Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

<b>Type of hazard</b>	Not classified as flammable
<b>Fire hazard properties</b>	Not applicable
<b>Regulatory requirements</b>	Not applicable
<b>Extinguishing media and methods</b>	Water, carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), foam, or dry chemical.
<b>Hazchem code</b>	Not applicable
<b>Recommended protective clothing</b>	Wear full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Prevent spilled material from flowing onto adjacent land or into streams, ponds, or lakes. Avoid release to the environment.
<b>Emergency procedures</b>	Wear chemical resistant gloves and overalls, facemask or goggles. Prevent further spillage. Adsorb spilled product and place in sealable container for disposal. Wash down affected area with water plus detergent. Absorb and collect washings and place in the same sealable container for disposal. Seek advice from the local authority regarding disposal.

**Bovaclox Dry Cow****Section 7: Handling and Storage**

<b>Precautions for safe handling</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and mucosa. Keep containers adequately sealed during material transfer, transport, or when not in use. See Section 8 (Exposure Controls) for additional guidance.  Penicillins and cephalosporins may cause hypersensitivity (allergy) following injection, inhalation, ingestion or skin contact. Do not handle this product if you know you are sensitised, or if you have been advised not to work with such preparations. Handle this product with great care to avoid exposure.
<b>Regulatory requirements</b>	Emergency Plan required where quantities greater than 1000 L are present.
<b>Handling practices</b>	Avoid contact with skin or eyes. Keep containers adequately sealed during material transfer, transport, or when not in use.
<b>Certified handlers</b>	Not required.
<b>Conditions for safe storage</b>	Store in original container in a cool, dry, ventilated place away from direct heat or direct sunlight. Keep container sealed when not in use. Keep out of reach of children.
<b>Store site requirements</b>	Store in a cool (5°C to 20°C). DO NOT REFRIGERATE.
<b>Packaging</b>	Schedule 4

**Section 8: Exposure Control/Personal Protection**

<b>Occupational exposure limits</b>	No WES is set for this substance.
<b>Application in the workplace</b>	Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep container sealed when not in use.
<b>Exposure standards outside the workplace</b>	No TEL or EEL is set for this substance at this time
<b>Personal protection</b>	Wear chemical resistant gloves, facemask or goggles.
<b>Engineering controls</b>	The health hazard risks of handling this material are dependent on many factors, including physical form, duration and frequency of process or task, and effectiveness of engineering controls. Site-specific risk assessments should be conducted to determine the feasibility and the appropriateness of all exposure control measures. Exposure controls for normal operating or routine procedures follow a tiered strategy. Engineering controls are the preferred means of long-term or permanent exposure control. If engineering controls are not feasible, appropriate use of personal protective equipment (PPE) may be considered as alternative control measures. Exposure controls for non-routine operations must be evaluated and addressed as part of the site-specific risk assessment.

**Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Appearance	Off-white cream
Boiling Point	Not applicable
Melting/Softening point	Not applicable
Vapour Pressure	Not determined

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Specific Gravity	Not determined
Solubility (H <sub>2</sub> O)	Not determined
Percent Volatiles	Not determined
Evaporation Rate	Not determined

**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

<b>Stability of the substance</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Avoid open flames and high temperatures
<b>Material to avoid</b>	Avoid strong acids and bases, and oxidisers.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Carbon oxides (CO <sub>x</sub> ).

**Section 11: Toxicological Information****Acute effects for individual ingredients only**

ORAL	Ampicillin: Oral LD50: 15,200 mg/kg (mice), 10,000 mg/kg (rats). Mice given 2000 mg/kg caused muscle tremors, slowed respiration and mild convulsions. Cloxacillin: Oral LD50: 5000 mg/kg (rat and mouse)
TEL	No TEL is set for this substance at this time.

**Chronic effects for individual ingredients only****Section 12: Environmental Information****Acute effects for individual ingredients only**

EEL	No EEL is set for this substance at this time
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**Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

<b>Disposal information</b>	<p><b>Disposal</b> Dispose of unused contents in a suitable landfill. Where possible, dispose of unused product through AgRecovery Chemicals. Avoid contamination of any water source or the environment with product or empty container.</p> <p><b>Container Disposal</b> Dispose of empty container by puncturing and burying in a suitable landfill. Where possible, recycle through AgRecovery. Do NOT burn.</p>
<b>Reference</b>	Current version of NZS 8409 Management of Agrichemicals.

**Section 14: Transport Information**

<b>Relevant information</b>	Not classified as a dangerous good for transport
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### Section 15: Regulatory Information

**Regulatory status**

HSNO Approval Code: HSR002346.  
For a full listing of controls see [www.epa.govt.nz](http://www.epa.govt.nz)

ACVM registration number: A4495.  
For conditions of registration see [www.foodsafety.govt.nz](http://www.foodsafety.govt.nz)

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### Section 16: Other Information

**Additional information**

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