

PRESCRIPTION ANIMAL REMEDY
KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
FOR ANIMAL TREATMENT ONLY

Protech® Pi2  **Boehringer
Ingelheim**

Composition

Canine parainfluenza virus (10^{6.55} TCID₅₀).

Indication

Live vaccine for the immunisation of healthy dogs, 6 weeks of age or older as an aid in reduction of severity of clinical signs associated with canine cough disease in which canine parainfluenza virus type 2 is an aetiological agent.

Combined living attenuated viral vaccine

Protech Pi2 vaccine is prepared from an attenuated isolate of canine parainfluenza virus type 2.

This vaccine may fail to prevent infection or organism shedding.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Vaccinate only healthy dogs with normal temperatures.

Dogs under treatment with immunosuppressive drugs should not be vaccinated.

Use of this vaccine in pregnant bitches is not recommended.

Do not use chemicals or disinfectants to sterilise the skin, needles or syringes.

Side effects

Some animals may show transient post-vaccination reactions including pain, malaise, lethargy, inappetence, fever, depression and/or stiffness. These reactions usually disappear within 24-48 hours.

Allergic reactions such as anaphylaxis occur rarely and may require parenteral treatment with an antihistamine, a corticosteroid or adrenalin as appropriate.

Local site reactions after vaccination are rare but transient swelling, pain and subcutaneous thickening may occur.

The live vaccine strain may spread to unvaccinated animals, but does not cause canine cough disease.

Dosage and Administration

A new sterile syringe and needle should always be used to administer this vaccine.

Reconstitute the freeze-dried **Protech Pi2** vaccine with **Protech BB**, **Protech C2i** or sterile water for injection (1 mL). These mixtures may then be used to reconstitute the freeze-dried **Protech C3** or **Duramune Adult® C3** vaccines.

SHAKE THE BOTTLE WELL to obtain a uniform suspension of the vaccine before administration.

The vaccine should be used within 20 minutes of reconstitution.

Dose: Withdraw the contents of a single dose vial (1 mL) aseptically into a sterile syringe and inject subcutaneously.

RECOMMENDED VACCINATION PLAN

Vaccination with **Protech Pi2** vaccine should be followed or preceded, at an interval of 2 to 3 weeks, by another dose of the same vaccine or by a dose of **Protech C4** or **Duramune Adult C4** vaccine.

Protech Pi2 vaccine is effective in pups as young as 6 weeks of age. Early vaccination is recommended in conditions of high challenge.

Vaccination with **Protech Pi2** vaccine is recommended as part of the complete **Protech** or **Duramune Adult** puppy vaccination programs below:

Age	Annual C3 vaccination program	3-yearly C3 vaccination program
6 wks	Protech C3 + Protech C2i	Duramune Adult C3 + Protech C2i
8 wks	Protech C3 + Protech C2i and Protech Pi2 + Protech BB	Duramune Adult C3 + Protech C2i and Protech Pi2 + Protech BB
10 wks	Protech C3 + Protech Pi2 + Protech BB	Duramune Adult C3 + Protech Pi2 + Protech BB

Notes:

- In cases where **Protech C4** or **Duramune Adult C4** is used, **Protech Pi2** is not required.
- Dogs must receive two doses of parainfluenza vaccine within 2-3 weeks as a primary vaccination to be fully immunised.

This vaccine has been assessed as providing 12 months protection. Many factors influence the effectiveness of vaccination and the need for revaccination. The vaccination program for an individual animal should be determined within a veterinary-client-patient relationship, taking all these factors into account.

First Aid

If poisoning occurs, contact a doctor or Poisons Information Centre. Phone Australia 131126.

User Safety Information

Take care to avoid self-injection. In the event of self-administration, seek medical attention if you are concerned and show the package leaflet or the label to the medical practitioner.

Disposal

Discarded syringes and needles should immediately be placed in a designated and appropriately labelled "sharps" container. Discarded vials should immediately be placed in a designated and appropriately labelled "biologicals" container.

Storage

Store between 2-8°C. Do not freeze. Protect from light.

Packaging

Supplied as 25 or 10 vials of freeze dried vaccine. Not all pack sizes may be marketed.

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