



Summary of Studies Supporting USDA Product Licensure

Establishment Name	Intervet Inc.
USDA Vet Biologics Establishment Number	165A
Product Code	1081.01
True Name	Bordetella Bronchiseptica Vaccine, Avirulent Live Culture
Tradename(s) / Distributor or Subsidiary (if different from manufacturer)	Nobivac Feline Bb - Merck Animal Health Nobivac Feline Bb - No distributor specified
Date of Compilation Summary	April 09, 2019

Disclaimer: Do not use the following studies to compare one product to another. Slight differences in study design and execution can render the comparisons meaningless.

Study Type	Efficacy
Pertaining to	<i>Bordetella bronchiseptica</i>
Study Purpose	To demonstrate efficacy against <i>Bordetella bronchiseptica</i>
Product Administration	One dose administered by the intranasal route
Study Animals	4-week-old cats; 22 vaccinates and 11 controls
Challenge Description	Cats were challenged with <i>B. bronchiseptica</i> three weeks after vaccination.
Interval observed after challenge	Clinical signs were observed daily for 14 days post challenge.
Results	<p>A difference in clinical signs was observed between the Controls (Group 1) and Vaccinates (Group 2) using a scoring system approved by APHIS.</p> <p>Raw data shown on attached pages.</p>
USDA Approval Date	September 30, 2002

CLINICAL SIGN SCORING SYSTEM

Clinical Sign

Fever

103.0 - 103.9 (T3)

104.0 - 104.9 (T4)

105.0 - (T5)

Hypothermia (T6)

Ocular Discharge

Serous discharge (O1)

Mucopurulent discharge (O2)

Conjunctivitis (O3)

Nasal Discharge

Serous discharge (N1)

Mucopurulent discharge (N2)

Sneezing (N3)

Dyspnea

Audible rales (R1)

Induced coughing (R2)

Spontaneous coughing (R3)

Open mouth breathing (R4)

Depression

Inappetence (A)

Dehydration (H)

Dehydration (G1)

Death (X)

POST-CHALLENGE CLINICAL SCORES

GROUP 1		Days Post Challenge															
Cat. No.	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
5045			T3	T3			N1				N3		N1				
LA0D	N1	N1	N1	N1, R2	R2	N1	N1, R2	R2	R2	N1, R2, R3	N1, N3, R2	N2, N3	N2, R2	N1, N3	N1	N1	N1, R3
546A			T3		N1	N1, R2	N1	R2	N1, R2	N2, R3	N2	N3	N1, N3	N3			N1, N3
0535						R2, R3		N1, R2, R3	N1, N3, R2	O1, N1, R3		N3, R2, R3	O1, N1			R2	
323F	N1					R3	N1		N1, R1, R3		N1			N1		N1	
5447			T3				T3, N1	N1, N3	N2, R3	R2, R3	N3	N1					N1
2567					N1, R2	R2	R3	R2, R3		O2, R2, R3	O1, N3, R2	N1, N3		N1		N1, R2	N1
1519			T3			R1	R1, R3	O1, R3	N1, N3, R2, R3	N3, R2, R3	N1, N3, R3	R1, R2	N3	N3, R2	N3, R2, R3	N3, R2	R2
4C78			T3				N3	N1		N2, N3, R2, R3	N1	N1, N3	N1	N3, R2	R3	N1, R3	R3
4C08						R3		N3	R2, R3	N2, N3	N2, N3, R2	N3, R3					
3E48					N1			N3, R3	N3	N3, R3	R2		R3	R2		R3	R2, R3

POST-CHALLENGE CLINICAL SCORES

GROUP 2 Cat. No.	Days Post-Challenge																
	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
4C00													N3	N1			
4B75							T3										
1P6P																	
7334								N3				N3					N3
5259																	
2524													N3	N3	N1		N3
341E													N3				
0A23																	N1
3D15								N1	N1	N1	N1	N1					
6F10								N3		N3	N3					N3	N3
1338																	
3D77			T3					T3, N1	N1	N1							T6, N1, N3
690A								N3								N1, N3	
4B49												N3					
2A37																	
0C49																	
010A																	
637D																	N3
331F																	
160A																	
2C64								N1	N1	N1							N1
0022								N1									N3

Study Type	Efficacy
Pertaining to	<i>Bordetella bronchiseptica</i>
Study Purpose	To demonstrate efficacy (Onset of Immunity) against <i>Bordetella bronchiseptica</i>
Product Administration	One dose administered by the intranasal route
Study Animals	8-week-old cats; 22 vaccinates and 11 controls
Challenge Description	Cats were challenged with <i>B. bronchiseptica</i> 72 hours after vaccination.
Interval observed after challenge	Clinical signs were observed daily for 14 days post challenge.
Results	<p>A difference in clinical signs was observed between the Controls and Vaccinates using a scoring system approved by APHIS.</p> <p>Raw data shown on attached pages.</p>
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Controls Days Post Challenge

Group	1	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
AWE1											R3	N1, R2, R3	N1, R2 R2, R3							N1, N3
AWJ4															R3	R2	N1, N3, R3	N3	N3	N3
AWK6							N1				N3			N1, R2	N1, N3					
AVV4								T3, O1					N2, R2	N2, R2	N2	N2	N2, N3	N2	N2	N1
AWC3														N2, N3	R2					
AVX3											R3	R2, R3	R2	N1, N3, R2, R3	N3, R2	N3, R2	N3	N1	N1, N3	
AWE2										O1, N3		N1, N3	N1	N1					R3	N1, R3
AWH3				T3								R2, R3	N2	N3	N3	N3				
AVZ1				T3									R3	N1						N1
AWC1								R3			R2	N1, N3	N2, N3	N2	N2				N3	N1
AWG1															N2	N3				

Vaccinates (4.6)

Group	2	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
AVV2																					
AVV3														N3		N3	N1				
AVW1													R3	O2,R2	R2						
AVW4			O1												R3	N3					
AVY2			N1	N1										N3			R2				
AVY3												R2,R3	N3			N3				N3	
AVY5											O1	R2	R3			R3					
AVZ2											N1		R3				N1,N3				
AWA3											R3	R2				R3					
AWB1											N1					N3	N3				N3
AWB3														N3				N3			N3
AWC4													N3	N3	N3		N3	N3			
AWD3											R3	R3					R3				
AWE3																					N3
AWE4																					
AWE6																					
AWF2																					
AWF4												R2	N2,N3	N1,N3	N1	N1,N3	N3	N3			
AWF5											N3	N1,N3		N1,N3	N1,N3	N3	N3				
AWG2											T3	N3	R3			N1					
AWG3											R2	N3,R2,R3	N3	N3						N3	
AWK7																					N3

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Study Purpose	To demonstrate safety in pregnant animals																																																																				
Product Administration	One dose administered by the intranasal route																																																																				
Study Animals	110 queens enrolled with 78 queens producing kittens; 23 vaccinates and 3 controls in the 1 st trimester, 21 vaccinates and 4 controls in the 2 nd trimester, 23 vaccinates and 4 controls in the 3 rd trimester. 209 kittens were 4 weeks of age at time of vaccination, 184 vaccinates and 25 controls.																																																																				
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Interval observed after challenge	After vaccination, pregnant queens were observed daily for clinical signs until they gave birth. All kittens were observed for one week after birth for clinical signs. Kittens vaccinated at 4 weeks of age were observed for 21 days after vaccination for clinical signs.																																																																				
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Group	Queen	Litter Number	Total Kittens	Stillborn	Died Later	Survived
1st Trimester Controls	95AJE3	5	2	0	0	2
	Q3	1	3	0	0	3
	95APH5	6	3	0	0	3
1st Trimester Vaccinates	Z21	1	4	0	0	4
	02Z	1	4	0	1	3
	96QNP2	2	2	0	0	2
	96QPH5	2	5	0	0	5
	Z56	2	5	0	0	5
	Z13	1	2	0	0	2
	77C	1	3	2	0	1
	96QPC3	2	5	0	0	5
	77N	2	4	0	0	4
	96QPQ3	2	4	0	0	4
	95APH2	8	2	0	0	2
	73I	4	5	0	0	5
	95APE4	4	2	0	0	2
	95APH3	5	4	0	0	4
	Y96	3	6	0	0	6
	96QPT3	5	4	0	0	4
	932472	6	4	0	0	4
	96QPX5	3	5	0	0	5
	932388	8	3	0	1	2
	95AQL3	6	5	0	0	5
	156	4	6	0	0	6
	932396	7	3	0	0	3
	95ASF4	6	2	1	0	1

Group	Queen	Litter Number	Total Kittens	Stillborn	Died Later	Survived
2nd Trimester Controls	X46	3	5	0	0	5
	93CAH3	1	3	1	0	2
	93APJ5	NA	5	0	0	5
	41275	NA	3	0	1	2
2nd Trimester Vaccinates	02U	1	4	0	0	4
	935	2	3	0	0	3
	971	1	5	3	2	0
	96	1	7	0	0	7
	96QPX2	2	5	2	0	3
	X70	2	6	0	0	6
	Z18	1	2	0	0	2
	70A	3	5	0	0	5
	125	2	5	0	0	5
	95ALZ3	5	3	1	0	2
	96QPZ2	1	3	2	1	0
	96QPI5	2	4	0	2	2
	95AHH3	6	4	0	1	3
	932300	NA	6	0	0	6
	93AYP4	NA	1	0	1	0
	94BEF4	NA	5	0	0	5
	Q10	1	4	0	0	4
	942937	5	5	0	0	5
	Q7	NA	4	0	0	4
	Q2	NA	3	0	0	3
	95AJV5	NA	3	0	0	3

1 deformed kitten

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3rd Trimester Controls	96QOA4	2	6	0	1	5
	95MFQ3	6	1	0	0	1
	93AVM4	1	4	0	0	4
	96QNJ4	3	7	0	0	7
3rd Trimester Vaccinates	76D	1	4	2	0	2
	96QOO4	2	3	1	2	0
	01E	2	5	0	1	4
	072	2	5	0	1	4
	74S	3	6	0	0	6
	942813	6	2	0	0	2
	96QNH5	2	8	0	0	8
	01I	2	6	1	1	4
	96QMV1	1	7	2	0	5
	93BLH5	2	3	0	0	3
	96QNG5	2	6	0	0	6
	01D	2	7	0	0	7
	93CEC4	1	4	0	0	4
	96QNQ4	1	3	0	0	3
	155	2	4	1	0	3
	95AQW2	5	4	0	0	4
	932269	4	4	0	0	4
	113	1	5	2	0	3
	96QNC3	2	4	0	0	4
	X98	NA	2	0	1	1
Q4	1	3	0	0	3	
Q13	NA	4	0	0	4	
Q20	1	4	0	0	4	

NA = Not Available

Study Type	Safety																								
Pertaining to	ALL																								
Study Purpose	To demonstrate safety under field conditions																								
Product Administration	One dose administered by the intranasal route																								
Study Animals	Study 1: 619 cats from 8 states between 6 weeks and 18 years of age. Study 2: 587 cats from 11 states between 4 weeks and 16 years of age.																								
Challenge Description	Not applicable																								
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