



Summary of Studies Supporting USDA Product Licensure

Establishment Name	Intervet Inc.
USDA Vet Biologics Establishment Number	165A
Product Code	1431.5A
True Name	Coccidiosis Vaccine, Live Oocysts
Tradename(s) / Distributor or Subsidiary (if different from manufacturer)	Coccivac-B52 - Merck Animal Health Coccivac-B52 - No distributor specified Coccivac-D2 - Merck Animal Health Fortegra - Intervet Argentina S.A. Fortegra - Intervet Argentina S.A. - Merck Sharpe and Dohme (MSD) Fortegra - Intervet LLC-Russia - Merck Sharpe and Dohme (MSD) Fortegra - Intervet South Africa (Pty) Ltd. Fortegra - Intervet South Africa (Pty) Ltd. - Merck Sharpe and Dohme (MSD) Fortegra - Intervet Thailand Ltd Fortegra - Intervet Veterinaria Chile Ltda Fortegra - Merck Sharp & Dohme Saude Animal Ltda. Fortegra - No distributor specified Merck Animal Health Merck Sharp & Dohme Saude Animal Ltda.
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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.

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Summary of Gross Lesion Scores

Challenge Controls		Vaccinates	
Bird I.D.	Emi	Bird I.D.	Emi
91	4	511	0
94	3	515	0
606	4	521	0
609	2	523	0
623	4	525	0
625	0	532	0
641	4	536	0
645	4	539	1
656	4	543	1
662	4	548	3
704	4	551	0
709	0	560	0
710	4	576	0
712	0	577	0
713	4	578	0
714	4	585	0
717	3	592	0
721	4	594	1
723	3	598	0
724	4	599	0
732	4	685	1
737	4	687	0
743	4	690	0
754	4	693	0
756	3	695	1
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Emi is Eimeria score

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Results	<p>Intestinal lesions were scored by the following criteria: 0 = No lesions 1 = Few petechial hemorrhages 2 = Petechial hemorrhages in the ceca, ceca walls thickened 3 = Slightly bloody ceca 4 = Cecal walls extended with blood or cores, +/- death</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="3">Group</th> <th colspan="10">Lesion Score</th> <th rowspan="3">All</th> </tr> <tr> <th colspan="2">0</th> <th colspan="2">1</th> <th colspan="2">2</th> <th colspan="2">3</th> <th colspan="2">4</th> </tr> <tr> <th>N</th> <th>%</th> <th>N</th> <th>%</th> <th>N</th> <th>%</th> <th>N</th> <th>%</th> <th>N</th> <th>%</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Challenged Controls</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>28</td> <td>100</td> <td>28</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Vaccinates</td> <td>19</td> <td>100</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>19</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>*Birds were considered affected by challenge (i.e. positive) if they had a lesion score ≥ 2. By this criterion:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Treatment Group</th> <th>#Positive*/Total</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Vaccinates</td> <td>0/19</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Controls</td> <td>28/28</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Raw data shown on attached page.</p>	Group	Lesion Score										All	0		1		2		3		4		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Challenged Controls	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	100	28	Vaccinates	19	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	Treatment Group	#Positive*/Total	Vaccinates	0/19	Controls	28/28
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Challenge Controls

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701*	4
706	4
711*	4
716*	4
721	4
726	4
731	4
736*	4
741	4
746*	4
751**	4
756	4
761*	4
771	4
776*	4
781*	4
786	4
791	4
901*	4
906	4
911*	4
916*	4
921	4
926*	4
931*	4
936*	4

Vaccinates

Tag No.	Gross Lesion Score
429	0
437	0
505	0
513	0
521	0
529	0
537	0
545	0
553	0
569	0
801	0
809	0
825	0
833	0
841	0
865	0
881	0
889	0
897	0

Study Type	Safety					
Pertaining to	All fractions					
Study Purpose	Field Safety					
Product Administration	Single dose, administered via spray cabinet					
Study Animals	Commercial Broilers at one day of age. 4 independent study sites.					
Challenge Description	NA					
Interval observed after challenge	Chicks were followed through grow-out to slaughter.					
Results	Site	Number of chickens	Mortality (%)		Condemnation (%)	
			Vaccinates	Controls	Vaccinates	Controls
	1	43,119	4.78	3.23	0.27	0.07
	2	44,600	4.14	4.66	0.20	0.37
	3	43,400	5.40	5.02	0.34	0.27
	4	90,437	1.17	1.78	0.09	0.13
*Mortality and condemnation rates were within normal limits for each site						
USDA Approval Date	November 23, 2010					