# **COSEICURE**



## **CATTLE BOLUS APPLICATOR INSTRUCTIONS**

1 Remove boluses from foil pack and ensure they are at body temperature before administering. We recommend removing the boluses from all packaging (including the foil and plastic) and placing the boluses inside your pockets close to your body. The boluses use unique soluble glass technology which means that they are sensitive to sudden changes in temperature such as may happen when very cold boluses are swallowed by the animal. Failure to ensure the boluses are warmed prior to administration may result in the development of fine cracks which can alter the activity of the bolus.



2 Insert the boluse(es) completely into the applicator, until the push rod is engaged.

#### **TOP TIP**

To prevent the bolus falling out of the applicator, ensure the flat edge of the bolus is placed against the ridged edge in the applicator.

Place the bolus end of the applicator into the centre of the cow's mouth to the back of the tongue and squeeze the trigger. The bolus should release easily. If resistance is felt you will need to adjust the position of the gun until the bolus easily releases.

Bolusing, like the use of any oral applicator, can damage the throat if rushed or carried out without care. Ensure that the animal swallows the bolus. The swallow reflex should happen easily and the cow should have no trouble swallowing the bolus. If the reflex does not occur easily you may not be administering the bolus onto the very back of the tongue and you will need to adjust your technique to ensure that the positioning of the bolus is just right. The stem of the applicator should be straight down the centre line of the head and the trigger handle should be in the vertical plane.

### **COSECURE CATTLE**

**Quantity to administer:** Ruminating cattle over 2 months of age and weighing over 100kg: 2 boluses

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**Quantity to Administer:** Ruminating cattle 100-250kg: 1 bolus, 250kg + : 2 boluses

- Refer to product packaging and data sheet for complete dosage and administration information.
- Only use in cases where there is a proven copper deficiency in the herd.
- Only use when the copper level of the diet is known
- If in doubt, please consult your vet.

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