

# FREEDOM OF INFORMATION SUMMARY

SUPPLEMENTAL NEW ANIMAL DRUG APPLICATION

NADA 97-505

LINCOMIX<sup>®</sup> 10/20/50 Feed Medications

(Lincomycin Hydrochloride)

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**I. GENERAL INFORMATION**

NADA NUMBER: 97-505

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ACCEPTED DRUG NAME: lincomycin hydrochloride

TRADE NAME: LINCOMIX® 10/20/50 Feed Medications

MARKETING STATUS: Over-the-counter

EFFECT OF SUPPLEMENT: This supplemental approval provides for the assignment of a tolerance of 0.6 ppm for lincomycin in swine liver, a tolerance of 0.1 ppm for lincomycin in swine muscle, and the assignment of an Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI) of 25 micrograms per kilograms per body weight per day for the total residues of lincomycin. In addition, this supplement reduces the slaughter period for feed uses of lincomycin in swine from 6 days to 0 days.

**II. INDICATIONS FOR USE**

Swine--For treatment of swine dysentery. For treatment and control of swine dysentery. For reduction of severity of mycoplasmal pneumonia. For increase in rate of gain in growing-finishing swine.

Broiler chickens--For increase of rate of weight gain and feed efficiency. For the control of necrotic enteritis.

**III. DOSAGE FORM, ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION, AND RECOMMENDED DOSAGE**

As discussed in the Freedom of Information (FOI) Summary for the original approval of NADA 97-505 dated February 25, 1976.

#### IV. HUMAN SAFETY

##### A. Toxicity Studies

Toxicity studies conducted for lincomycin were described in the FOI Summary for NADA 97-505 of June 1, 1990.

An ADI of 1.5 mg per 60 kg person per day (equivalent to 0.025 mg/kg body weight per day) was assigned based on procedures described in the *Guideline for Establishing a Safe Concentration* (FR 37499-37500, July 22, 1994) and the CVM document, *Guidance: Microbiological Testing of Antimicrobial Drug Residues in Food* (FDA/CVM, January 1996).

##### B. Calculations of Safe Concentrations (SC):

Based on the procedures described in the CVM document *Guideline for Establishing a Safe Concentration* dated July 1994, safe concentrations of total residues of lincomycin may be calculated:

$$\text{Safe Concentration (SC)} = \frac{\text{Acceptable Daily Intake (ADI)}}{\text{Consumption Value}}$$

The daily consumption values of edible tissues are approximated as 300 g (0.3 kg) for muscle, 100 g (0.1 kg) for liver, 50 g (0.05 kg) for fat/skin, and 50 g (0.05 kg) for kidney.

$$\text{SC (muscle)} = \frac{1.5 \text{ mg/day}}{0.3 \text{ kg/day}} = 5 \text{ mg/kg} = 5 \text{ ppm in muscle}$$

$$\text{SC (liver)} = \frac{1.5 \text{ mg/day}}{0.1 \text{ kg/day}} = 15 \text{ mg/kg} = 15 \text{ ppm in liver}$$

$$\text{SC (fat/skin)} = \frac{1.5 \text{ mg/day}}{0.05 \text{ kg/day}} = 30 \text{ mg/kg} = 30 \text{ ppm in fat/skin}$$

$$\text{SC (kidney)} = \frac{1.5 \text{ mg/day}}{0.05 \text{ kg/day}} = 30 \text{ mg/kg} = 30 \text{ ppm in kidney}$$

### C. Determination of Tolerances

Based on data from studies described in the 1998 FOI Summary for NADA 34-025, a tolerance of 0.6 part per million is established for parent lincomycin (marker residue) in the liver (target tissue) of swine. In addition, FDA is retaining the currently codified tolerance of 0.1 ppm for lincomycin in muscle.

### D. Withdrawal Times

1. Determination of the Residue Decline of Lincomycin in the Liver of Swine Treated with Lincomycin Hydrochloride (U-10149A) at 40, 100, or 200 grams of Lincomycin Freebase Equivalents per Ton of Feed
  - a. Report Number: 768-7926-95-003
  - b. Study Completion: February 13, 1996
  - c. Investigator: J.L. Nappier  
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  - d. Substance and Dosage Form: Lincomycin was provided in feed.
  - e. Species and Strain of Animal: Yorkshire-Hampshire cross swine.
  - f. Number of Animals per Group: Two pigs of each sex per dose per time point (64 total).
  - g. Levels and Duration of Dosing: Diets were fed for 7 days.
  - h. Route of Administration: Orally, via feed.
  - i. Parameters: Study parameters included assay of parent lincomycin residues in the liver and kidneys of swine at various times after the withdrawal of medicated feed. Residue levels were determined by a gas chromatographic method with mass spectrometric detection.

## j. Results:

**Table 1.** Mean levels of parent lincomycin in the livers of swine (ppm) following administration of LINCOMIX® in feed for 7 days

Treatment	0 hr	1 hr	3 hr	6 hr	12 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Control	<0.02	- <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-
40 g/ton	-	0.07	0.06	0.04	0.02	<0.02	-
100 g/ton	-	-	0.12	0.07	0.04	<0.02	<0.02
200 g/ton	-	-	0.27	0.17	0.08	0.04	<0.02

a. - samples were not taken at that dose/time point

Mean residue levels were found to be below the tolerance at all time points, even the 200 g/ton level at 3 hours after the final dose.

## 2. Calculation of Withdrawal Times

Applying its statistical method for determining withdrawal periods to the data sets for lincomycin at 40, 100, and 200 g/ton, FDA found that the 99% tolerance limit, with 95% confidence, would be below 0.6 ppm at 1 hour, 1 hour and 8 hours, respectively. Each of those statistically derived times permits the assignment of a 0-day withdrawal period for swine treated with feed containing up to 200 g/ton lincomycin.

## E. Regulatory Method:

Refer to the FOI Summary for NADA 97-505 dated February 25, 1976, for information regarding the regulatory method.

**V. AGENCY CONCLUSIONS**

Based on the revised consumption values provided in the *Guideline for Establishing a Safe Concentration* (FR 37499-37500, July 22, 1994) and the CVM document, *Guidance: Microbiological Testing of Antimicrobial Drug Residues in Food* (FDA/CVM, January 1996), the Center has established new safe concentrations and tolerances for total residues in edible tissues. The acceptable daily intake (ADI) (25 micrograms per kilogram of body weight per day) and the marker residue tolerance of 0.6 ppm for lincomycin in swine liver (target tissue) will be codified under 21 CFR 556.360. In addition, the currently codified tolerance of 0.1 ppm will be retained for lincomycin in swine muscle.

In addition, the slaughter withdrawal period for feed uses of lincomycin in swine has been reduced from 6 days to 0 days. The LIMITATIONS section in 21 CFR 558.325 will be amended to reflect the zero-day withdrawal period.

According to 21 CFR 514.106(b)(2)(x) and (xi), this is a Category II supplement. The approval of this change required a re-evaluation of the slaughter withdrawal period and the tolerance according to current food safety guidance, but did not require a reevaluation of target animal safety or effectiveness data in the parent application.

The agency has determined under 21 CFR 25.33(a)(1) that this action is of a type that does not individually or cumulatively have a significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, neither an environmental assessment nor an environmental impact statement is required.

LINCOMIX® 10/20/50 Feed Medications are not currently under any unexpired U.S. patents.

**VI. APPROVED PRODUCT LABELING**

A copy of the draft facsimile labeling is attached to this document.

- A. LINCOMIX® 50 Type A Medicated Article Bag Label
- B. LINCOMIX® 20 Type A Medicated Article Bag Label
- C. LINCOMIX® 10 Type B Medicated Feed Bag Label