



Top 5

July 28 2022

MARKING: PAIN RELIEF OPTIONS

Summaried version is below, or in depth [HERE](#)

METACAM –

Vet script, injectable

60c/head. 15minutes uptake.

72hrs whole animal (anti-inflammatory and decreases fever)

Hard to overdose as big cushion

7day withholding period

TRISOLFEN-

Over counter Gel spray, 80c/head

Nearly instant, lasts min 24hrs. *Combined with a long acting, adrenaline to construct blood vessels and an antiseptic.*

Topical Anaesthetic and antiseptic . Gel so seals.

Should form a foam when applying. Spray in an upside down 'A' (3xswipes) for 10kg lamb=6mls

Meat withholding period 90days

Can apply Clik straight after but not Avenge.

BUCCALGESIC-

Vet 1-3ml (max 79c/15kg lambs)

Contains meloxicam, is a gel to gums/cheek.

Applicator looks like drench gun

Uptake 15mins minimum, lasts 24hours

Withholding of 10days sheep, 14 days cattle

Change needle every 200 lambos

Using in a combo with a short acting eg

Trisolfen or Numnuts for full cover and do on cradle

NUMNUTS-

Vet script needed. 67cents per shot. 1.5ml

numocaine (65 shots a bottle)

Deposits local anaesthetic to the two spermatic nerves

No withholding period

FLYSTRIKE ASSIST

Handy app for chemical decisions, easily

showing WH and actives. Check it out: [HERE](#)

Chemical Table				
Active Ingredient	Protective period	Wool WHP/ WHI	Meat WHP	ESI (Export Slaughter Interval)
Dicyclanil e.g. Clik Fli-Guard	18 wks	3 mths	28 days	120 days
Clik Extra	29 wks	3 mths	14 days	63 days
StrikeForce-S	18 wks	3 mths	14 days	35 days
Clikzin	9 wks	1 mths	7 days	21 days
Coopers Strikeguard	18 wks	3 mths	56 days	105 days
Cyromazine (spray on) e.g. Cyrazin Spray-on, Vetrazin SO, Cyro-fly 60	11 wks	2 mths	7 days	28 days
Cyromazine (jet) e.g. Vetrazin, Venus, Virbazine, Cyro-fly 500	12 wks	2 mths	7 days	21 days

RESISTANCE TO FLIES

With blowflies coming out early this year, it's time to start thinking about what chemicals you are going to use to prevent/treat flystrike.

There's a lot of reports of preventatives / treatments that don't seem to work as well as they used to. If you're seeing this on farm, it may be time to do a resistance test. All you need is a Maggot Collection Kit- this season AgPro have some on hand that we can send out to you, just ask!

For full details on collection of maggots and testing prices see: [FLYBOSS](#)

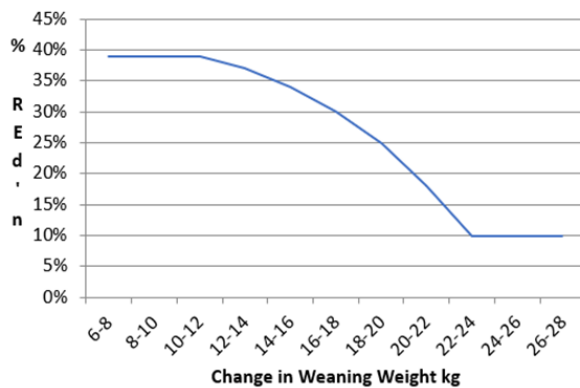
WEANING- PLAN AHEAD

Weaning for some is closer than others. It's a crucial time for your sheep, setting them up for a productive life, as well as helping

the ewe get back into a good condition after making you some cash. Ed's key points:

- Plan for cleaner pastures to wean onto - plan now
- Wean at 10 weeks- for the ewe. No detrimental impact on the lamb
- "Weaners under 25kg are either growing or dying"- as seen in the graph

Prediction of weaner survival



Each 2kg lift in weaning weight dramatically reduces mortality rates

INVITING YOU TO...

MeatUp! Georgia and several AgPro producers have been helping to organise a locally focused, practical event focused on giving you info that can be taken home and put into practice. See the program [HERE](#) and we hope to see you AUGUST 5th at MURESK.