

Flea and Worming comparison chart

There are so many flea and worm control products on the market now. Here is a guide to which flea product is right for your pet?

Product	Formulation	Treatments	Age	Benefits
Activyl (dogs only)	Spot on	Fleas	8 weeks	- Gentle on pets (insecticides activate only once inside fleas)
				- Quick drying
Advantage (dogs and cats)	Spot on	Fleas; lice infestations (dogs only)	Puppies any age	- Fast acting – starts working in 3-5 minutes; kills 100% of fleas within 12 hours
			Kittens 8 weeks	- Can be used on rabbits, ferrets, pregnant and lactating animals
Advantix (dogs only)	Spot on	Fleas; ticks; mosquitoes; sand flies; repels stable flies; lice infestations	7 weeks	- Ideal for dogs on bush blocks and for those travelling up North/ to Eastern states
Advocate (dogs only)	Spot on	Fleas; intestinal worms; lice infestations (dogs only); ear mites; sarcoptic mange	Puppies 7 weeks	- Convenient flea and worm treatment
			Kittens 9 weeks	- Can be used on ferrets
Capstar (dogs and cats plus puppies and kittens from 4 weeks)	Tablet	Fleas	4 weeks	- Immediate flea control
				- Single dose

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Comfortis (Dogs & cats)	Chewable tablet	Fleas	14 weeks	- Ideal for dogs with an outdoor lifestyle or who swim / are washed frequently
				- No transfer of product to furniture or skin
Panorami (Dogs only)	Chewable beef flavoured tablet	Fleas; heartworm; intestinal worms	8 weeks	- Convenient 3-in-1 long term control
Nexgard (Dogs only)	Tasty chew	Fleas; ticks	8 weeks	- Good for fussy eaters
Revolution (Dogs and cats)	Spot on	Fleas; heartworm; *intestinal worms; ear mites; sarcoptic mange (*puppies and cats only)	6 weeks	- Can be used in breeding, pregnant and nursing bitches and also in rabbits
Sentinel (Dogs only)	Tasty beef and bacon chew	Fleas; heartworm; intestinal worms	6 weeks	- Ideal 3-in-1 treatment for dogs spending more time indoors
				- Convenient (includes a tape wormer)
Bravecto (Dogs only)	Highly palatable chewable tablet	Fleas; ticks	8 weeks	- 3-monthly treatment
				- Easy administration

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Drontal	Highly palatable chewable	Intestinal worms – roundworm, hookworm, whipworm, tapeworm	Every 3 months	- Easy to administer
				- 98% palatability
Milbemax	Small tablet	Protection against all major intestinal worms	Every 3 months	- Easier to administer (the smallest tablet available)
				- Complements a flea/tick protection product
Interceptor	Tasty chicken flavoured chew	Prevention of heartworm and control of intestinal worms	Monthly	- Easy to administer
				- Complements a flea/tick protection product
Profender (Cats only)	Spot on		Every 3 months	-Kills roundworm, hookworm and tapeworm.
				-Kills larval and immature stages.