

# ER BAC<sup>®</sup>/L5 GOLD

*Pfizer Animal Health*

**Erysipelothrix Rhusiopathiae-Leptospira Canicola-Grippotyphosa-Hardjo-Icterohaemorrhagiae-Pomona Bacterin**

## DESCRIPTION

ER Bac/L5 GOLD is for vaccination of healthy breeding swine as an aid in preventing erysipelas caused by *Erysipelothrix rhusiopathiae* and leptospirosis caused by *Leptospira canicola*, *L. grippotyphosa*, *L. hardjo*, *L. icterohaemorrhagiae* and *L. pomona*. An 18-week duration of immunity following vaccination has been demonstrated against erysipelas. ER Bac/L5 GOLD is a liquid preparation of a serum-free, clarified *E. rhusiopathiae* culture, and whole cell cultures of the 5 *Leptospira* serovars identified above. The antigens have been chemically inactivated and adjuvanted with 2 adjuvants, including Amphigen<sup>®</sup>, to enhance the immune response.

## DIRECTIONS

*General Directions:* Shake well. Aseptically administer 2 mL intramuscularly.

*Primary Vaccination:* Healthy swine should receive 2 doses 3-5 weeks apart with the second dose administered 2-4 weeks prior to breeding. Healthy gilts, however, should receive the second dose as near as possible to 14 days prior to breeding.

*Revaccination:* Revaccination with a single dose is recommended prior to subsequent breedings. Boars should be revaccinated semiannually.

Good animal husbandry and herd health management practices should be employed.

## PRECAUTIONS

Store at 2°-7°C. Prolonged exposure to higher temperatures may adversely affect potency. Do not freeze.

Use entire contents when first opened.

Sterilized syringes and needles should be used to administer this vaccine.

Do not vaccinate within 21 days before slaughter.

Contains gentamicin as preservative.

Transient injection site swelling and/or inappetence may occur following vaccination.

As with many vaccines, anaphylaxis may occur after use. Initial antidote of epinephrine is recommended and should be followed with appropriate supportive therapy.

This product has been shown to be efficacious in healthy animals. A protective immune response may not be elicited if animals are incubating an infectious disease, are malnourished or parasitized, are stressed due to shipment or environmental conditions, are otherwise immunocompromised, or the vaccine is not administered in accordance with label directions.

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**DOSES**

50 doses (100 mL)