

# FAUNAMOR

(methylthionine chloride,  
malachite green oxalate,

acriflavine chloride immersion solution)

For ornamental finfish only

**LEGAL STATUS - In order to be legally marketed, a new animal drug intended for a minor species must be Approved, Conditionally Approved, or Indexed by the Food and Drug Administration. THIS PRODUCT IS INDEXED - MIF 900-042 - Extra-label use is prohibited."**

**This product is not to be used in animals intended for use as food for humans or food-producing animals.**

## Uses:

FAUNAMOR is indicated for the treatment of *Ichthyophthirius multifiliis* (white spot disease) and the associated bacterial infections in ornamental finfish.

- For use in public or home aquaria and small-scale home-owned ponds, not for use in commercial aquaculture ponds.
- White spot disease is a common infection of ornamental fish. Signs include white spots on the gills, fins, and entire body which can spread over wide areas. Infected fish will have drooping or contracted fins and will rub themselves against rough surfaces. Fish with a heavy infestation may become lethargic and suffer weight loss.

## Description:

FAUNAMOR is a dark blue solution for ornamental finfish.

Each mL of FAUNAMOR contains:

2.5 mg methylthionine chloride

1 mg malachite green oxalate

0.3 mg acriflavine chloride

## Warnings:

### User Safety Warnings:

Not for use in humans. Keep out of reach of children.

Use in a well-ventilated area. Avoid inhalation or contact with eyes or skin. Wear gloves, protective clothing and eyewear when using FAUNAMOR.

May be harmful if ingested. If the person is conscious, wash out mouth with copious amounts of water. Seek medical advice immediately and show the package insert or carton to the physician.

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and continue rinsing. Contact emergency medical help.

In case of contact with skin, wash area immediately with copious amount of water for at least 15 minutes.

Pregnant women, women who may become pregnant, and nursing women should not handle FAUNAMOR.

## Animal Safety Warnings:

For ornamental finfish only. Do not use on fish intended for use as food.

May be unsuitable for invertebrates. Snails, mussels, shrimps, corals, etc. should be removed from the tank prior to treatment with FAUNAMOR.

## Directions for use:

Before using FAUNAMOR, please note:

- Do not place finfish in a separate treatment tank or treat individually. The entire aquarium and contents should be treated with FAUNAMOR for successful treatment.
- The dose of FAUNAMOR calculated should be based on the volume of water in the tank, not the total volume the tank can hold.
- Any ultraviolet light systems fitted in the aquarium must be turned off during treatment with FAUNAMOR.
- The water will develop a blue color due to the active ingredients in FAUNAMOR but will return to normal again after a few days.

Follow the instructions below unless otherwise directed by your veterinarian:

**Day 1:** Remove the filter from the aquarium and place it in a separate water container to continue running in order to prevent the loss of beneficial microorganisms in the filtration media. Oxygenate the water in the treatment aquarium. If the water cannot be oxygenated without operating the filter, then run the filter without filtration media in order to ensure sufficient water circulation. In this case, keep the filtration media in a container with aquarium water and store in a cool location.

Use FAUNAMOR in well-ventilated area. Wear gloves, protective clothing and eyewear when using FAUNAMOR.

Add 8 drops (0.4 mL) of FAUNAMOR for each 10 gallons of aquarium water. Invert the dropper bottle to dispense each drop and stir to distribute. Adjust the dosage accordingly for different size aquariums, for example: 4 drops (0.2 mL) for 5 gallons of aquarium water, 44 drops (2.2 mL) for 55 gallons of aquarium water, etc. In severe cases, the dose can be doubled as long as there are no extremely delicate ornamental finfish in the aquarium (e.g., catfish).

**Day 2:** Add 8 drops (0.4 mL) of FAUNAMOR for each 10 gallons of aquarium water and stir to distribute.

**Day 3:** Do not add FAUNAMOR to the water. Put the filter back into operation in the aquarium. If the filtration media has been stored separately, then the water used to store the filtration media must not be put back into the aquarium. In this case, partially wash the filtration media out with lukewarm water (not too thoroughly in order to retain some of the microorganisms) before putting the filter back into the aquarium.

**Days 4 - 6:** Do not add FAUNAMOR to the water.

**Day 7:** Follow the instructions for Day 1.

**Day 8:** Do not add FAUNAMOR to the water. Change approximately 30% of the aquarium water. Put the filter back into operation in the aquarium. If the filtration media has been stored separately, then the water used to store the filtration media must not be put back into the aquarium. In this case, partially wash the filtration media out with lukewarm water (not too thoroughly in order to retain some of the microorganisms) before putting the filter back into the aquarium.

## How Supplied:

FAUNAMOR is supplied in 20 mL vials to treat approximately 160 gallons of aquarium water and 100 mL to treat approximately 800 gallons of aquarium water.

## Storage, Handling, and Disposal:

Keep FAUNAMOR out of direct light. Store in its original packaging at 59-77 °F (15-25°C).

Take unused FAUNAMOR and unfinished containers of FAUNAMOR to the designated collection points.

## Questions/Comments?

Contact Aquarium Munster USA, Inc. at 1-413-367-0144 or [www.aquarium-munster.com](http://www.aquarium-munster.com).

For additional information about reporting side effects for animal drugs, contact FDA at 1-888-FDA-VETS or <http://www.fda.gov/reportanimalae>

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