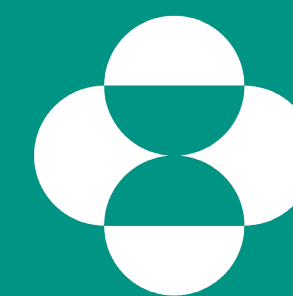


# MATRIX<sup>®</sup> (altrenogest) HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS

For the synchronization of estrus in sexually mature gilts that have had at least one estrous cycle.



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## IMPORTANT WARNINGS (See package insert for complete WARNINGS information.)

- This product is not for use in humans. Keep out of reach of children.
- Pregnant women or women who may be pregnant should not handle. Women of childbearing age should exercise extreme caution when handling this product.



**IMPORTANT: Protect your friends! Proactively warn others about how to prevent human exposure.**

## HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS



**WARNING:**  
Latex gloves  
are not protective!

Nitrile, neoprene, or vinyl gloves should always be worn when handling the product or when in contact with equipment or surfaces contaminated by the product. This may include the dosing devices, syringes, feed buckets/troughs, countertops, trash, etc.



Ensure that anyone assisting with administering MATRIX<sup>®</sup> is properly trained to exercise appropriate precautions when handling the product.

## EXPOSURE

- Accidental absorption, such as absorption through the skin, could lead to a disruption of the menstrual cycle or prolongation of pregnancy.
- Skin contact must be avoided as MATRIX<sup>®</sup> (altrenogest) is readily absorbed through unbroken skin, and exposure may result in serious effects to both women and men.

Wash off accidental spillage on the skin immediately with soap and water. Any equipment or surfaces that come in contact with MATRIX<sup>®</sup> should be adequately cleaned and decontaminated to prevent human exposure.