

# DISINFECTING YOUR EASI-SCAN GO

## Proper Disinfection of Your Cattle Ultrasound Unit

### Why Disinfection Matters

With the high prevalence of infectious livestock diseases in South Africa, including foot-and-mouth disease (FMD), strict biosecurity measures are essential. Portable ultrasound units such as the EasiScan GO are used across multiple animals and farms and can act as vectors for disease transmission if not properly disinfected.

### Tested & Proven Safe Disinfectants

The following disinfectants have been tested and proven compatible with the EasiScan GO transducer and device components when used correctly:

- Mild soap solution
- Isopropyl alcohol 70% (wipe only – do not soak)
- T-spray II (quaternary ammonium)
- Opti-Cide 3 (quaternary ammonium / isopropyl alcohol)
- Cidex (glutaraldehyde 2%)
- Cidex Plus (glutaraldehyde 2%)
- Cidex OPA (glutaraldehyde 2%)
- Anios Wipes (Incidin Plus 1%)
- Cidalkan wipes (Sani-Cloth HB)

### Products to Avoid

Do NOT use the following products as they may damage the probe or casing:

- Acetone
- Methanol
- Mineral oil
- Iodine
- Freon
- Industrial cleaners
- Materials containing perfumes or fragrances

### Important Warning

The transducer must never be soaked in alcohol, bleach (sodium hypochlorite), or hydrogen peroxide. Soaking can compromise probe seals and cause permanent damage.

### Best Practice Tips

- Disinfect between animals and farms
- Use wipe-based disinfection only
- Allow correct contact time
- Avoid liquid near connectors and cables

**Biosecurity starts with your equipment.**



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