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## Monthly report on application procedures, guidelines and related documents for veterinary medicines

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This report, which is updated every month, provides current information related to the volume and evaluation of pre- and post-authorisation applications for medicinal products for veterinary use received by the European Medicines Agency (EMA) for the current and previous three years on:

- scientific advice requests;
- applications for initial evaluations, extensions, variations and renewals concerning marketing authorisations (MAs);
- applications for initial evaluations, extensions, modifications and extrapolations for maximum residue limits (MRLs);
- arbitration and referral procedures;
- requests for classification and re-classifications of products as Minor Use Minor Species (MUMS)/limited market.

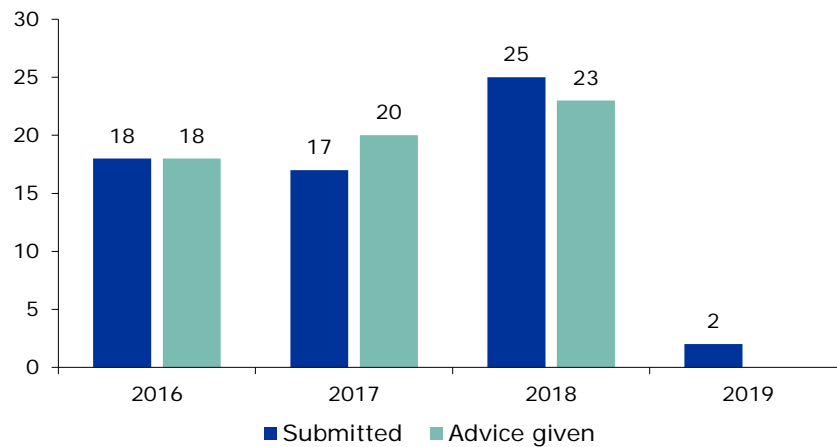
In addition, the report includes a summary table of the opinions issued by the Committee for Medicinal Products for Veterinary Use (CVMP) in the current year, as well as a list of adopted guidelines and other public guidance documents.

The purpose is only to provide ongoing factual information. Commentaries and analysis are provided in the Agency's annual reports.

## Statistics on pre- and post-authorisation applications for medicinal products for veterinary use

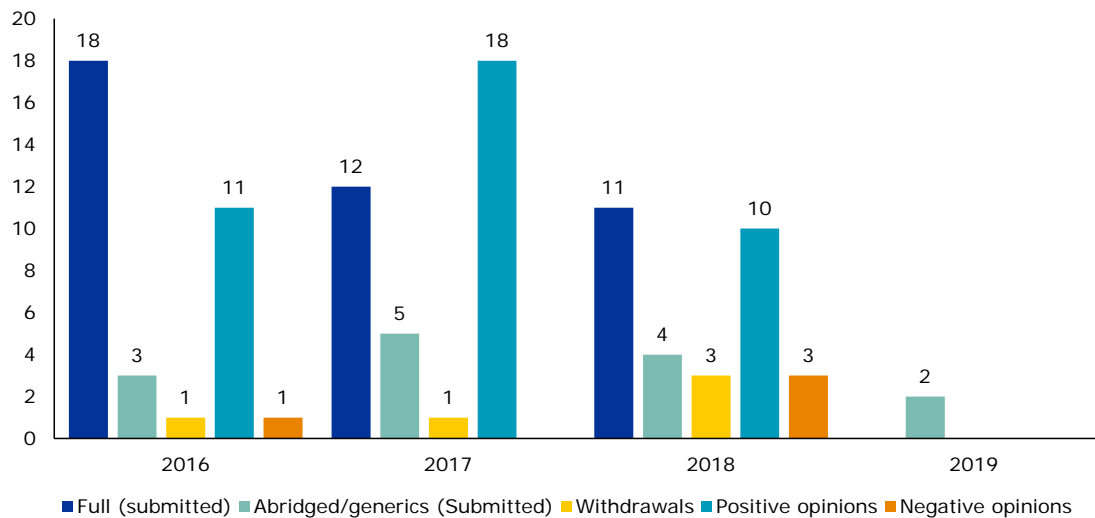
Scientific advice requests				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted and validated	18	17	25	2
Advice given	18	20	23	0

Scientific advice requests submitted and advice given



Initial evaluation of marketing authorisation applications				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Full (submitted)	18	12	11	0
Abridged/generics (submitted)	3	5	4	2
Withdrawals	1	1	3	0
Positive opinions <sup>1</sup>	11	17(1)	10	0
Negative opinions <sup>1</sup>	1	0	3	(1)

MMA submissions and outcomes



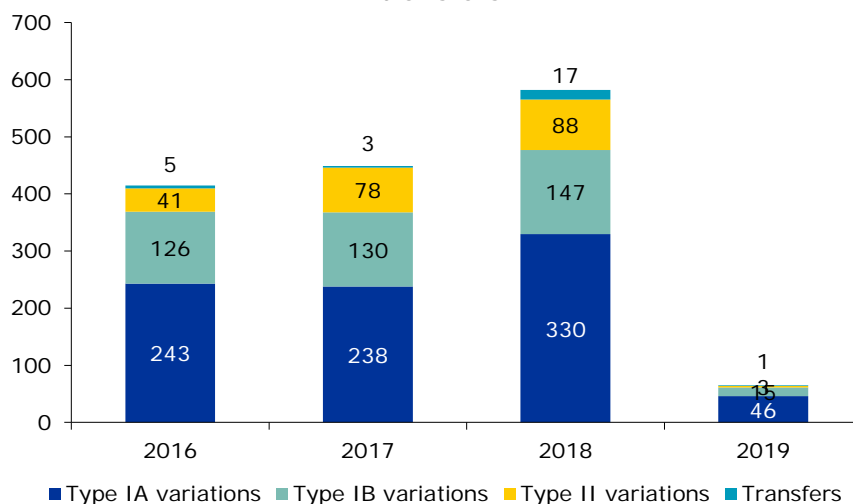
<sup>1</sup> Re-examination or re-consideration (request by European Commission) of opinion are in brackets

Marketing authorisations				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Granted	7	18	9	2
Withdrawals	1	0	5	0
Refusal	0	0	1	0
Not renewed	1	0	2	0

Extensions — applications				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted	3	5	1	0
Withdrawals	0	0	0	0
Positive opinions	5	2	5	0
Negative opinions	0	0	0	0

Variations — applications submitted				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Type-IA variations	243	238	330	46
Type-IB variations	126	130	147	15
Type-II variations	41	78	112	3
Transfers	5	3	17	1

Post-authorisation: submissions of variations and transfers



Renewals — applications				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted	13	9	24	0
Positive opinions	14	10	15	3
Negative opinions	0	0	0	0

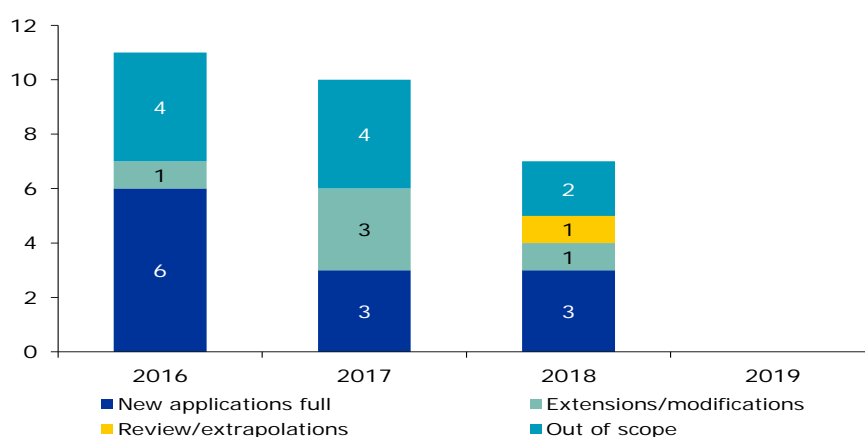
Establishment of MRLs for new substances <sup>2</sup> — applications				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted	6	3	3	0
Withdrawals	0	2	2	0
Positive opinions <sup>3,4</sup>	2	4	1	0
Negative opinions	0	0	0	0

Extensions/modifications of MRLs <sup>5</sup> — applications				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted	1	3	1	0
Withdrawals	1	0	0	0
Positive opinions <sup>3</sup>	3	2	2	0
Negative opinions	0	0	0	0

Review of opinions/extrapolations of MRLs <sup>6</sup>				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted	0	0	1	0
Opinion <sup>3</sup>	0	0	1	0

Substances considered as not falling within the scope of Regulation (EC) No 470/2009 — requests				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Submitted	4	4	2	0
Agreed	3	2	1	0
Not agreed	0	0	0	0
Scientific advice recommended	1	1	2	0

**MRL-related submissions**



<sup>2</sup> Establishment of MRLs for new substances under article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 470/2009.

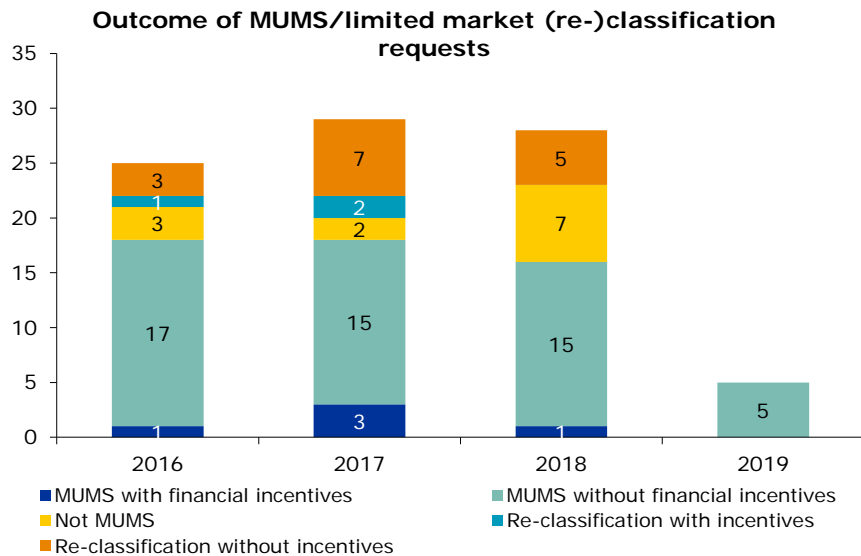
<sup>3</sup> Including opinions recommending the extension of the expiry date for provisional MRLs or definitive MRLs for substances previously with provisional MRLs.

<sup>4</sup> Re-examinations of opinions are indicated in brackets.

<sup>5</sup> Extension or modification of MRLs under article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 470/2009.

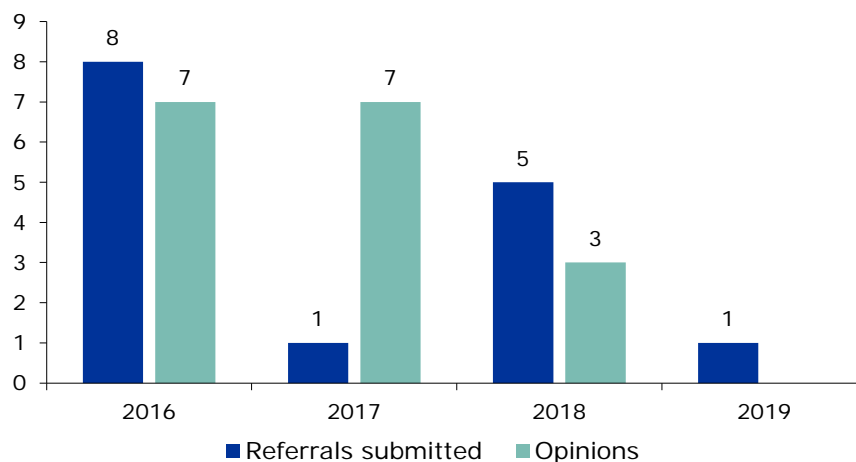
<sup>6</sup> Review of opinions under article 11 of Regulation (EC) No 470/2009 or requests under article 27 of Regulation (EC) No 470/2009.

MUMS/limited market (re)classification requests — outcome				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
MUMS/limited market with financial incentives	1	3	1	0
MUMS/limited market without financial incentives	17	15	15	5
MUMS/limited market reclassification with financial incentives	1	2	0	0
MUMS/limited market reclassification without financial incentives	3	7	5	0
Not MUMS/limited market	3	2	7	0



Arbitrations and referrals				
	2016	2017	2018	2019
Arbitrations and referrals submitted	8	1	5	1
Opinions <sup>7</sup>	7	7(1)	3(1)	0

**Arbitrations and referrals submissions and opinions**



<sup>7</sup> Re-examinations of opinions are in brackets.

## CVMP opinions in 2019 on medicinal products for veterinary use

### *Positive opinions*

<b>Product</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Invented name</li><li>• INN/Common name</li></ul>	<b>Marketing authorisation holder</b>	<b>Target species</b>	<b>Regulatory information</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Procedure number</li><li>• Opinion date</li></ul>
•	•	•	•

### *Negative opinions*

<b>Product</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Invented name</li><li>• INN/Common name</li></ul>	<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Target species</b>	<b>Regulatory information</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Procedure number</li><li>• Opinion date</li></ul>
•	•	•	•

## CVMP opinions in 2019 on establishment of MRLs

### *Positive opinions*

<b>Product</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Substance</li></ul>	<b>Target species</b>	<b>Regulatory information</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Procedure number</li><li>• Opinion date</li></ul>
•	•	•

## Arbitrations and referrals in 2019

### Ongoing procedures

Type of procedure	Date <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clock start</li> <li>• CVMP opinion</li> </ul>	Product <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Product name</li> <li>• INN</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Referral under Article 35 of Directive 2001/82/EC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 14/02/2018</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Veterinary medicinal products containing 50 mg closantel per ml presented as solutions for injection for subcutaneous use in sheep</li> <li>• Closantel</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Referral under Article 35 of Directive 2001/82/EC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10/10/2018</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Veterinary medicinal products containing paromomycin to be administered parenterally to pigs</li> <li>• Paromomycin</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Referral under Article 35 of Directive 2001/82/EC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10/10/2018</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Veterinary medicinal products containing tylosin presented as solution for injection to be administered to sheep</li> <li>• Tylosin</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Referral under Article 35 of Directive 2001/82/EC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 23/01/2019</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Veterinary medicinal products containing tylosin base (as a single active substance) presented as solutions for injection for intramuscular use in pigs</li> <li>• Tylosin base</li> </ul>



## **Guidelines and working documents in 2019**

No guidelines or working documents have yet been agreed in 2019.