

HOSOLVON ELIXIR 4mg/5mL

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DESCRIPTION

Clear, colourless, aniseed and menthol flavoured viscous liquid.

COMPOSITION

Each 5 mL contains: Bromhexine hydrochloride 4 mg

PHAMACODYNAMICS

Bromhexine hydrochloride is a mucolytic agent which changes the structure of bronchial secretions by rarefaction and fragmentation of the mucopolysaccharide fibres; leading to a reduction in the viscosity of the sputum. It is well absorbed orally and is excreted in the urine mainly as metabolites.

PHAMACOKINETICS

Absorption: Well absorbed after oral administration.

Blood Concentration: Peak plasma concentrations are attained within about 1 hour.

Distribution: Rapidly distributed.

Metabolic Reactions: Sulphate and glucuronic acid conjugation; other routes are not yet elucidated.

Excretion: After an oral dose, about 70% is excreted in the urine in 24 hours and, in 5 days, about 90% is excreted in the urine and 4% in the faeces.

INDICATIONS

Reduction of sputum viscosity

CONTRAINDICATIONS

There is no absolute contraindication but caution should be observed with gastric ulceration.

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

It is advisable not to use this drug during the first trimester of pregnancy.

Give with caution to patients with gastric ulceration.

DRUG INTERACTIONS

There is no data on drug interactions/incompatibilities.

MAIN SIDE/ADVERSE EFFECTS

Gastrointestinal disturbances may occur occasionally.

OVERDOSE AND TREATMENT

Clinical features

Anorexia, nausea, vomiting, abdominal discomfort, diarrhoea, possibly bronchial hypersecretion, hypoventilation and convulsions.

Treat overdose by emesis or gastric lavage, if appropriate; with the necessary symptomatic and supportive measures, if required.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Adults : Orally, 10 mL 3 times a day.

Children 6 - 12 years : Orally, 5 mL 3 times a day.

Note: The information given here is limited. For further information, consult your doctor or pharmacist.

Storage:

Store below 30°C.

Protect from light and moisture.

Presentation/Packing:

Elixir 4 mg/5 mL x 60 mL, 90 mL, 100 mL and 120 mL.

(Not all presentation available locally)

Product Registration Holder /

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