

METEOSPASMYL® CAPSULE

Alverine citrate (60 mg), Simeticone (300 mg)

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What METEOSPASMYL®

CAPSULE is used for

METEOSPASMYL® CAPSULE is an antispasmodic that reduces intestinal gas. This medication is recommended for relieving painful digestion with stomach distension. It is indicated for use in the relief of smooth muscle spasm, in conditions such as irritable bowel syndrome.

How METEOSPASMYL®

CAPSULE works

A combination of a musculotropic spasmolytic, alverine citrate and a liquid silicone enriched with fine silica particles, simeticone gives METEOSPASMYL® CAPSULE its properties. Alverine citrate inhibits the action of smooth muscle contracturant agents. Simeticone acts as a protective film and as an antifatulent and anti-distension agent. It also decreases gaseous distension by means of its antiwetting effect and its antifoaming effect, reinforced by the presence of silica.

Before you use

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- When you must not use it

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CAPSULE is contraindicated in the following cases:

- Paralytic ileus (bowel obstruction due to lack of intestinal activity).
- History of allergy reaction to or intolerance of alverine, simeticone or one of the excipients.
- Combination with sterculia (bulk-forming laxative) is contraindicated if patient has difficulty in swallowing.
- Contraindicated in pregnancy and breast feeding.

- Before you start to use it

Always ask your doctor or pharmacist before using this product if you have any doubts.

- Taking other medicines

There are no known drug interactions reported with other drugs.

In order to avoid any potential interactions between several medications, you must systematically inform your doctor or pharmacist of all other current treatments.

How to use METEOSPASMYL® CAPSULE

- How much to use

For Adult use only: 1 capsule 2 to 3 times a day at the beginning of meals.

- When to use it

At the beginning of meals.

- How long to use it

Take this medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.

- If you forget to use it

Do not take a double dose to make up for the forgotten dose.

- If you use too much (overdose)

Cases of vertigo have been reported when a higher than recommended dosage is taken.

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

While you are using it

- Things you must do

Talk to your doctor if symptoms persist or become worse or in case of prolonged constipation.

- Things you must not do

This medicine has been prescribed for you only. Do not pass it on to others. It may harm them, even if their signs of illness are the same as yours.

- Things to be careful of

METEOSPASMYL® CAPSULE can increase liver enzyme levels in the blood. Your doctor may decide to prescribe blood tests during treatment to check the condition of your liver. Elevated liver enzymes levels may cause your doctor to stop the treatment.

Side effects

Like all medicines, this medicine can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. If you experience any of the adverse reactions below, contact a doctor immediately.

- Signs of severe allergic reaction, particularly swelling of the face, lips, mouth, tongue and or throat, that can cause difficulties in breathing or swallowing, skin

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rash, itching, severe dizziness with increased heart rate and copious sweating (severe allergic reaction considered to be very rare).

- Signs suggestive of a liver dysfunction. Symptoms may include yellowing of the skin or the white of the eyes, dark colour of urine, loss of appetite, nausea or vomiting (effect on the liver considered to be very rare).

If any of these side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please inform your doctor or pharmacist.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by visiting the website npa.gov.my [Consumers → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)]

Storage and Disposal of METEOSPASYL® CAPSULE

- Storage
Keep at dry and cool place not exceeding 30°C.
Never use after the expiry date clearly indicated on the outer packaging
- Disposal
Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product Description

- What it looks like
Size 6, opaque white to yellowish oblong soft capsules, containing a thick whitish suspension.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredient(s)
Alverine citrate, simeticone.
- Inactive ingredients
Gelatine, glycerol, titanium dioxide (E171)

- MAL number

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