

# CLOFEN<sup>®</sup>

## Creamagel 1%

### Percutaneous Anti-inflammatory Agent

#### Composition :

**CLOFEN Creamagel** contains diclofenac diethylamine salt equivalent to diclofenac sodium 1 per cent.

#### Properties :

**CLOFEN Creamagel** is an anti-inflammatory and analgesic preparation intended for external use.

The active substance of **CLOFEN Creamagel**, diclofenac diethylamine, is a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory agent, and it is supplied in a novel dosage form which, when applied to the skin, ensures excellent penetration and accumulation of the active component in the underlying tissue. The first response is a soothing and cooling effect, followed by relief from both acute and chronic inflammatory reactions.

In the presence of inflammation of traumatic or rheumatic origin, **CLOFEN Creamagel** elicits a clinical response characterised by a marked decrease in inflammatory swelling. **CLOFEN Creamagel** also provides an effective relief from tenderness and pain on movement.

#### Indications :

- CLOFEN Creamagel** is effective in the local treatment of :
- Traumatic inflammation of the tendons, ligaments, muscles and joints e.g. due to sprains, strains and bruises.
  - Localized forms of soft-tissue rheumatism, e.g. tendovaginitis, shoulder-hand syndrome and bursitis.
  - Localized rheumatic diseases, e.g. osteoarthritis of peripheral joints and of the vertebral column of peri-arthropathy.

#### Dosage and application :

Depending on the size of the painful site to be treated, an adequate amount (2-4 gm) of **CLOFEN Creamagel** is applied to the affected parts and rubbed in gently 3-4 times daily.

**CLOFEN Creamagel** may also be used as accompanying treatment together with other dosage forms of **CLOFEN**.

#### Contraindications :

Hypersensitivity to diclofenac sodium or any other non-steroidal anti-inflammatory agent is a contraindication.

#### Precautions :

**CLOFEN Creamagel** should not be applied to broken skin injuries, but rather only to intact skin surfaces. Contact with the eyes or with mucous membranes should be avoided.

**CLOFEN Creamagel** is not recommended for use by pregnant women.

#### Side effects :

**CLOFEN Creamagel** is usually well tolerated. Occasionally, itching, reddening or smarting of the skin or outbreak of a skin rash may occur.

Photosensitivity reactions have been reported in isolated cases.

Systemic side effects due to diclofenac sodium might occur when **CLOFEN Creamagel** is applied into large areas and over a prolonged period.

#### Presentation :

Tubes of 20 or 50 gm.

**Note: CLOFEN** is also available in the form of tablets (25, 50 and 100 mg) and suppositories (12.5, 25, 50 and 100 mg).

#### THIS IS A MEDICAMENT

- Medicament is a product which affects your health, and its consumption contrary to instructions is dangerous for you.
- Follow strictly the doctor's prescription, the method of use and the instructions of the pharmacist who sold the medicament.
- The doctor and the pharmacist are experts in medicine, its benefits and risks.
- Do not by yourself interrupt the period of treatment prescribed for you.
- Do not repeat the same prescription without consulting your doctor.

Keep all medicines out of the reach of children.



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