

Diclogesic Gel

Diclofenac diethylamine

DESCRIPTION:

Diclogesic Gel is diclofenac diethylamine in an emulsion gel. It is an anti-inflammatory agent with marked analgesic properties.

INDICATIONS :

Diclogesic Gel is indicated for the local treatment of:

- Acute musculoskeletal disorders and back pain.
- Traumatic inflammation of tendons, ligaments, muscles, and joints, due to sprains, strains and bruises.
- Non-articular rheumatism.
- Rheumatoid arthritis and osteoarthritis.

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

Hypersensitivity to diclofenac, acetylsalicylic acid and other non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, as well as to isopropanol or propylene glycol. Also it is contraindicated in children under 3 years of age.

SIDE EFFECTS:

Diclogesic is well tolerated, however, skin-rash, itching, reddening, and photosensitivity reactions, and smarting of skin have been observed. Cases of hair loss, bullous eruptions, erythema multiform, Steven-Johnson syndrome, have been reported.

PRECAUTIONS:

Diclogesic Gel should be applied to intact skin surfaces only. It should not be applied to open wounds or injuries, eye or any mucous membrane, avoid direct application into the nostril.

On prolonged use, some systemic side effects may arise such as gastrointestinal disturbances.

- Avoid usage when pregnant or breast feeding.
- Not suitable for children below 3 years of age; may cause convulsions.
- Severe cutaneous reactions including Steven-Johnson syndrome have been reported.
- Patients should be closely monitored for signs of hypersensitivity reactions.
- Discontinue treatment immediately if rash occurs.

DRUG INTERACTIONS:

- Avoid concomitant administration of two or more of the NSAID's.

DOSAGE AND APPLICATION:

Apply the gel to the painful site. Rub until it has fully penetrated into the skin. Repeat this process 3-4 times daily. The amount to be used depends on the size of the site to be treated. The gel can be co-administered with other forms of Diclogesic. Not to be used with occlusive dressings.

OVERDOSAGE:

The low systemic absorption of topical diclofenac makes overdosage very unlikely.

PRESENTATION:

Diclogesic Gel tubes of 30 grams.

Emulsion gel containing diclofenac diethylamine equivalent to 1% of diclofenac sodium.

STORAGE CONDITIONS :

Store in a dry place below 25°C.

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 doctors prescription, 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 medicament out of reach of children

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