

PROFESSIONAL INFORMATION

SCHEDULING STATUS: S0

PROPRIETARY NAME:



Aniseed Tablets



COMPOSITION:

Each tablet contains:

Active ingredients: Calcium carbonate 680 mg and magnesium carbonate 80 mg.

Inactive ingredients: Aniseed flavour, aspartame*, light liquid paraffin, liquorice flavour, magnesium stearate, maize starch, potato starch, sucrose, talc.

Contains sugar: sucrose 475 mg/ tablet.

Contains sweetener: aspartame 10 mg/tablet

*Phenylketonurics: contains a source phenylalanine.

CATEGORY AND CLASS:

A / 11.4.1 - Acid Neutraliser

PHARMACOLOGICAL ACTION:

Antacid

INDICATIONS:

When an antacid is indicated, such as indigestion and heartburn.

CONTRA-INDICATIONS:

Hypermagnesaemia, Hypercalcaemia or alkalosis.

Hypersensitivity to any of the ingredients.

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WARNINGS AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS:

Do not continue usage for longer than 2 weeks except on the advice of a doctor. Do not give to children under five years, except on the advice of a doctor. May interfere with the adsorption of other medicines given concomitantly.

DOSAGE AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE:

Adults and children \geq 12 years:

1-2 chewable tablets as a single dose, preferably to be taken one hour after meals and before going to bed but also between meals in case of heartburn or epigastric pain. A maximum daily dose of 8 g calcium carbonate (corresponding to 11 Digestif Rennie® tablets) must not be exceeded.

If symptoms persist in spite of therapy, diagnostic measures are strongly recommended in order to rule out a more serious disease.

Not recommended for children under 12 years of age.

Method of administration: For oral use. The tablets are to be chewed or sucked. No water is required.

SIDE EFFECTS:

Calcium carbonate may cause constipation. However, the Magnesium carbonate may affect the latter tendency since magnesium salts are known to be mildly laxative in action.

DIGESTIF RENNIE ANISEED Tablets should be used with caution when a state of debility, renal insufficiency or a pre-disposition to kidney stones exists.

Enough calcium may be absorbed to cause systemic and renal effects in certain cases.

Some of the magnesium may be absorbed and it is usually excreted rapidly in the urine.

If renal function is impaired, hypermagnesaemia may result.

Calcium salts may enhance the cardiac effects of digitalis glycosides, and the absorption of tetracyclines as well as iron preparations may be reduced as the result of a medicine interaction.

Flatulence from released carbon dioxide is usually not serious, eructations may occur in some patients.

Milk-alkali syndrome has occurred usually in patients taking high doses.

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KNOWN SYMPTOMS OF OVERDOSAGE AND PARTICULARS OF ITS TREATMENT:

Hypercalcaemia and alkalosis which may occur with excessive doses of Calcium carbonate respond to withdrawal of tablets. If renal function is impaired, hypermagnesaemia may result which is rapidly reversed by calcium salts given intravenously.

IN THE EVENT OF OVERDOSAGE CONTACT A MEDICAL DOCTOR OR THE NEAREST HOSPITAL.

IDENTIFICATION:

Digestif Rennie Aniseed: Cream white squares tablets with a smell and taste of liquorice and aniseed with rounded corners and concave surfaces engraved "RENNIE".

PRESENTATION:

Cartons of 2, 6, 24, 48 and 96 blister packed tablets. Available in Aniseed flavour.

STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS:

Store at or below 25 °C, in a cool, dry place.

Keep out of reach of children.

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