

Linctagon®

Throat Lozenges



SCHEDULING STATUS

To be allocated.

PROPRIETARY NAME AND DOSAGE FORM

Linctagon® Lozenges (Lozenges)

COMPOSITION

Active Ingredients	Per lozenge:	Per 6 lozenges (maximum daily dosage):
<i>Pelargonium sidoides</i> Root	50 mg	300 mg
<i>Eucalyptus spp.</i> Oil	8,3 mg	50 mg
*Menthol Crystals	13,2 mg	79,2 mg

*Only in Cherry Menthol flavour.

Contains sugar (sucrose 2,55 g/ 5 ml and glucose 2,55 g/ 5 ml).

PHARMACOLOGICAL CLASSIFICATION

D.32.16 Other Substances or Agents - Others.

Western Herbal Medicine.

INDICATIONS

Linctagon® Throat Lozenges contain the active ingredients *Pelargonium sidoides* and *Eucalyptus spp.* that can assist the body by soothing and relieving irritation from coughing associated with respiratory tract infections. For a diagnosis or if symptoms persist, consult a medical practitioner. Efficacy of support may vary between users.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

Do not use if known hypersensitivity or allergy exists towards any of the ingredients. If in doubt consult your medical practitioner. Do not administer to infants or children younger than 6 years of age.

WARNINGS AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Do not use if known hypersensitivity or allergy exists towards any of the ingredients. If in doubt consult your medical practitioner. Do not administer to infants or children younger than 6 years of age. People using anticoagulant- or antiplatelet medication, such as Warfarin, should use this product with caution as *Pelargonium sidoides* may have a blood thinning effect. Contains sucrose and glucose. People with rare hereditary conditions such as fructose intolerance, glucose-galactose mal-absorption or sucrase-isomaltase insufficiency should not take this product. Contains sucrose and glucose which may have an effect on the glycaemic control of people with diabetes mellitus. Products containing herbal ingredients may interact with some medication. If you are taking any chronic medication, do not use this product without consulting your medical practitioner. Do not exceed the recommended daily dosage. Do not use after date of expiry. Check expiry date on unit. Porphyrria: Safety has not been established.

STORE OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

INTERACTIONS

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PREGNANCY AND LACTATION

Safety for use during pregnancy and lactation (breastfeeding) has not been established.

DOSAGE AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Do not exceed the recommended daily dosage.

Do not administer to infants or children younger than 6 years of age.

Adults 12 years and older:

Dissolve 1 - 2 lozenge(s) in the mouth, three times per day.

Children between 6 and 12 years of age:

Dissolve 1 lozenge in the mouth, three times per day.

SIDE EFFECTS

If you experience any side effects or sensitivity towards any of the ingredients, discontinue use. If symptoms persist, or if any adverse reactions occur, consult a medical practitioner. No side effects have been reported.

KNOWN SYMPTOMS OF OVERDOSAGE AND PARTICULARS OF ITS TREATMENT

Do not exceed the recommended daily dosage. If an accidental overdose occurs, consult a medical practitioner. Symptoms may include, but are not limited to; epigastric burning, nausea, vomiting, dizziness, muscular weakness, constricted pupils, a feeling of suffocation, delirium, headache and convulsions. Treatment is symptomatic and supportive.

IDENTIFICATION

Different flavour variants available.

Linctagon® lozenges original variant: round dark brown lozenge.

Linctagon® lozenges lemon flavour variant: round yellow lozenge.

Linctagon® lozenges cherry menthol flavour variant: round red lozenge.

PRESENTATION

15 individually wrapped lozenges in a plastic bag, in a unit carton, with a package insert.

15 + 5 individually wrapped lozenges in a plastic bag, in a unit carton, with a package insert.

STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS

Store below 25 °C. Store away from moisture and direct sunlight.

STORE OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

REGISTRATION NUMBER

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This medicine is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent any disease.

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