

Dexpoten Plus[®]

Dextromethorphan HBr USP, Phenylephrine HCl USP and Triprolidine HCl USP Syrup

DESCRIPTION

Dexpoten Plus[®] is a combined preparation of Dextromethorphan HBr, Phenylephrine HCl and Triprolidine HCl. This combination temporarily relieves the symptoms due to common cold, hay fever (allergic rhinitis) or other upper respiratory allergies.

INDICATIONS

Symptomatic relief of upper respiratory tract disorders accompanied by non-productive cough, like:

- Cough due to minor throat or bronchial irritation
- Runny nose
- Sneezing
- Itching of the nose, throat or eyes
- Nasal congestion
- Reduction of swelling of nasal passages

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Adults and Children 12 years of age and over: 1 teaspoonful (5 mL) 4 times daily, or as directed by a doctor

Children 6-12 years of age: ½ teaspoonful (2.5 mL) 4 times daily, or as directed by a doctor

A physician should be consulted before administering this combination to children below 6 years of age.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

- Patients with hypersensitivity to Dextromethorphan HBr, Phenylephrine HCl and Triprolidine HCl
- Persons under treatment with Monoamine Oxidase Inhibitor (MAOI) within 2 weeks of stopping such treatment

SIDE EFFECTS

The most common side effects include-

- Nervousness
- Dizziness
- Sleeplessness

PRECAUTION AND WARNING

As with other sympathomimetic agents, caution should be exercised in patients with hypertension, heart disease, diabetes, thyroid disease or glaucoma. This combination should not be used for persistent or chronic cough which occurs with smoking, asthma, chronic bronchitis or for a cough with excessive secretion of phlegm unless directed by a physician. Precaution should be taken for persons with trouble urinating due to an enlarged prostate gland.

This combination may impair the patient's ability to drive and also to operate machinery.

USE IN PREGNANCY AND LACTATION

There are no specific data on use of this combination during pregnancy and lactation.

PHARMACEUTICAL PRECAUTIONS

Do not store above 25 °C temperature. Keep away from light and wet place. Keep out of reach of children.

PACKAGING

Dexpoten Plus[®] Syrup: Bottle containing 100 mL of Syrup. Each 5 mL contains Dextromethorphan HBr USP 20 mg, Phenylephrine HCl USP 10 mg and Triprolidine HCl USP 2.5 mg.

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