Formulation
100 mL of solution contain
Active ingredients:
Sodium Chloride 0.9 g
Excipient:
Water for Injections
Theoretical osmolarity: 308 mOsm/L
Titration acidity: < 0.3 mmol/L
pH: 4.5 - 7.0
Electrolyte concentrations:
Sodium 154 mmol/L
Chloride 154 mmol/L
Pharmaceutical form
Solution for injection
Pharmaco-therapeutic group
Vehicle solution.
Indications
Solvent for the preparation or dilution of parenterally administered drugs.
Contraindications
0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection should only be administered with particular caution to patients with
- hypernatraemia
- hyperchloraemia
Caution
Foods, Drugs, Devices & Cosmetics Act prohibits dispensing without prescription.
Precautions for use and special warnings
None
Interactions
When mixing with other medicaments, possible incompatibilities should be considered.

Dosage
The quantity to be chosen depends on the desired concentration of the medicament to be dissolved.
For the use of this solution as solvent/diluent for compatible electrolyte concentrates or medicaments, the instructions for use relating to the medicament to be added should be observed.

Method of administration
Intravenous or subcutaneous injection.

Overdose
Symptoms
Overdose of 0.9% Sodium Chloride solution may result in hypernatraemia, hyperchloraemia, hyperhydration, hyperosmolarity of the serum, and metabolic acidosis.
Emergency treatment, antidotes
Immediate stop of administration, administration of diuretics with continuous monitoring of serum electrolytes, correction of electrolyte and acid-base imbalances.

Undesirable effects
Administration of larger amounts of the solution may lead to hypernatraemia and hyperchloraemia

Note
Patients are advised to inform their doctor or pharmacist of any adverse reaction they experience in connection with the administration of this drug.

Usage during pregnancy
No adverse reaction has been reported. However, risk versus benefits should be assessed before using.

Storage
Store at temperatures not exceeding 30°C.
Shelf life
The product must not be used beyond the expiry date stated on the label.

Availability
In plastic ampoules "Mini-Plasco®" of 10 mL, 20 mL in box of 20's.

Instructions for use / handling
The solution is supplied in single-use containers.
Discard unused contents.
Use contents immediately after opening the container.
Only to be used if solution is clear and the container undamaged.

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