

Presentation

Bongel: Each gram oral gel contains Cetalkonium Chloride Ph. Gr. 0.1 mg and Choline Salicylate BP 87.14 mg.

Pharmacodynamic Properties

Choline salicylate has an analgesic & anti inflammatory effect. Like salicylic acid Choline salicylate has no antithrombotic activity. The pharmacological actions of choline salicylate are thought to be primarily mediated through inhibition of prostaglandin production. Cetalkonium chloride is an antiseptic, being bactericidal towards both Gram positive and Gram negative organisms.

Pharmacokinetic Properties

Absorption: Choline salicylate is absorbed from the gut. Distribution: Throughout extracellular water and most tissues Plasma Half life: 2-4 hours Excretion: Mainly in the Urine Protein binding: 80-90%

Indications

Bongel is indicated for the fast relief of pain, discomfort and inflammation caused by Mouth ulcer/Aphthous ulcer/Canker sore, Cold sore/Fever blister, Denture sore, Irritation from braces, Gum swelling, and sore spots due to orthodontic device.

Dosage and Administration

Adult : Wash hands, apply 1/2 inch of gel on to the sore area. This can be repeated after every 3 hours.

Contraindications

Not to be used in:

- If allergic to salicylates, e.g. Aspirin
- If have an active peptic ulcer

Side Effects

Salicylates may produce bronchospasm and induce asthma attacks in susceptible patients.

Precautions

Do not exceed the recommended dose.

Drug Interactions

Salicylates may enhance the effect of anticoagulants and inhibit the action of uricosurics.

Use in Pregnancy and Lactation

There is clinical evidence of the safety of salicylates in pregnancy. This medicine may pass into breast milk in very small amounts, but is unlikely to have any adverse effects on a nursing infant.

Storage Conditions

Store in a cool and dry place away from light. Keep out of the reach of children.

Commercial Pack

Bongel: Each aluminium collapsible tube contains 10 gram oral gel.

