

## PACKAGE LEAFLET: Information for the user

### **KLORUR BENZALKONI**

Solution – 5%, 10%

(Benzalkonium chloride)

**Read all of this leaflet carefully before you start using this medicine.**

- Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.
- If you have any further questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist.
- If you get any side effects, talk to your doctor or pharmacist. This includes any possible side effects not listed in this leaflet.

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#### **1. WHAT KLORUR BENZALKONI IS AND WHAT IT IS USED FOR**

Benzalkonium chloride, as a quaternary ammonium salt, is an antiseptic and disinfectant with actions similar to those of the other cationic surfactants.

Klorur benzalkoni is used for the disinfection of:

- different surfaces (floors, walls etc.);
- metallic objects;
- surgical instruments, catheters.

## **2. BEFORE YOU USE KLORUR BENZALKONI**

There are no specific contraindications for Klorur benzalkoni but due to the corrosive and toxic effects of the solution, it should be kept out of the reach of children and pregnant women.

### **Take special care with Klorur benzalkoni**

- It is recommended that during use as a disinfectant, gloves and eyes protective masks should be worn.
- Benzalkonium chloride should not be used for disinfection of soft contact lenses.
- It should be kept away from children and pregnant women.

### **Taking other medicines**

No data available.

### **Pregnancy and breastfeeding**

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before using this medicinal product.

This medicinal product should be kept away from pregnant women.

### **Driving and using machines**

No data available.

## **3. HOW TO USE KLORUR BENZALKONI**

Always use Klorur benzalkoni as it is described in the leaflet. If you are not sure, contact your doctor or pharmacist.

### **Klorur benzalkoni 10% solution:**

- for the disinfection of different surfaces (floors, walls etc.): 1 liter of solution is diluted with 500 liters of water
- for the disinfection of metallic objects: 1 liter of solution is diluted with 100 liters of water
- for the disinfection of surgical instruments, catheters, etc.: 1 liter of solution is diluted with 50 liters of water.

### **Klorur benzalkoni 5% solution:**

Half of the above mentioned quantities of water for dilution should be used in order to obtain the same concentrations.

## **4. POSSIBLE SIDE EFFECTS**

During the use of Klorur benzalkoni may appear local corrosive irritations of the skin or necrosis.

If any of the side effects gets worse, or if you notice any side effects not mentioned in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

## **5. HOW TO STORE KLORUR BENZALKONI**

Keep out of the reach and sight of children!

Do not use Klorur benzalkoni after the expiry date which is stated on the package!

Do not store at temperature above 25°C!

Keep in the original package to protect from light and humidity!

## **6. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **What Klorur benzalkoni 10% solution contains:**

**The active substance** is benzalkonium chloride.

1 ml solution contains 0.1 g benzalkonium chloride.

**The other ingredients** are: ethyl alcohol, purified water.

### **What Klorur benzalkoni 5% solution contains:**

**The active substance** is benzalkonium chloride.

1 ml solution contains 0.05 g benzalkonium chloride.

**The other ingredients** are: ethyl alcohol, purified water.

### **Contents of the pack**

Klorur benzalkoni 10% solution: Plastic bottle with 50 ml, plastic bottle with 1000 ml.

Klorur benzalkoni 5% solution: Plastic bottle with 1000 ml.

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