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# Ketozol

Ketoconazole USP 2%

**Description:**

Ketoconazole is a broad spectrum synthetic antifungal agent which inhibits the growth of dermatophytes, such as *Trichophyton sp.*, *Epidermophyton sp.*, *Microsporum sp.* and yeasts, such as *Candida sp.* and *Malassezia sp.* (*Pityrosporum sp.*).

**Composition:**

Each ml shampoo contains Ketoconazole USP 20 mg.

**Indications:**

Ketozol shampoo is indicated in the treatment of

- Dandruff (Pityriasis capitis)
- Pityriasis versicolor (localized)
- Inflammatory skin condition with greasy, red and scaly areas (Seborrhoeic dermatitis).

**Dosage and application:**

To use Ketozol shampoo, follow these steps:

- Shake the bottle well before each use.
- Apply the shampoo on wet hair & leave for 5 minutes after forming lather.
- Rinse the hair thoroughly with water.
- Use twice a week.

**Treatment:**

- Dandruff (Pityriasis capitis) and Seborrhoeic dermatitis- Twice a week.
- Pityriasis versicolor-Once daily for maximum 5 days.

**Side Effects:**

Topical treatment with Ketoconazole 2% shampoo is generally well tolerated. As with other shampoos, a local burning sensation, itching or contact dermatitis (due to irritation or allergy) may occur on exposed areas. Oily and dry hair may occur rarely.

**Precautions:**

In patients who have been on prolonged treatment with topical corticosteroids, it is recommended that the steroid therapy should be gradually withdrawn over a period of 2 to 3 weeks, while using Ketoconazole 2% shampoo to prevent any potential rebound effect. Avoid contact with the eyes. If the Shampoo enters into the eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water.

**Contraindications:**

It is contraindicated for known hypersensitivity to Ketoconazole or any of the excipients.

**Use in pregnancy & lactation:**

Ketoconazole is not detected in plasma after chronic shampooing that's way Ketoconazole 2% shampoo is not contraindicated in pregnancy and lactation.

**Use in children:**

Safety and efficacy have not been established.

**Drug Interactions:**

Not known.

**Overdose:**

Not expected as Ketoconazole 2% shampoo is intended for external use only. Accidental oral ingestion is usually followed by nausea and vomiting due to detergent, only supportive measures should be carried out.

**Storage:**

- Store below 30° C, protect from light.
- Keep away from children.

**Packing:**

**Ketozol Shampoo:** Plastic bottle containing 60 ml/100 ml shampoo.



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