

Ipec-Plus

Iron Polymaltose Complex,
Folic Acid and Zinc Sulfate

Description:

Ipec-Plus is a formulation of iron polymaltose complex, folic acid and zinc sulfate.

Composition:

Each film coated tablet contains Iron (III) Hydroxide Polymaltose Complex INN 188 mg equivalent to 47 mg elemental Iron, Folic Acid BP 0.5 mg and Zinc Sulfate Monohydrate USP 61.8 mg equivalent to 22.5 mg elemental Zinc.

Pharmacology:

Iron (III) hydroxide polymaltose complex is a water soluble, macromolecular complex of polynuclear iron (III) hydroxide and partially hydrolysed dextrin (polymaltose). It is rapidly absorbed with a high rate of iron utilization and produces an effective increase in haemoglobin. Folic acid helps to the proper development of the baby. Zinc keeps enzymes working and helps metabolize proteins.

Indications:

Prevention and treatment of iron, folic acid and zinc deficiency.

Dosage and administration:

One tablet daily. Two tablets may be required a day in severe cases or as directed by the physician.

Contraindications:

Hypersensitivity to any ingredient of the formulation.

Side effect:

Ipec-Plus is well tolerated. Occasionally gastrointestinal irritations such as sensation of repletion, pressure in the epigastric region, nausea, constipation or diarrhoea can occur.

Precautions:

As with all iron preparations, a dark coloration of the stool may occur which is without clinical significance.

High risk group:

Recommended in pregnancy and lactation.

Overdosage:

No intoxication or iron overload has been reported in case of overdose.

Drug Interactions:

No interaction have been found between iron polymaltose and food or between iron polymaltose and other drugs due to its non-ionic nature.

Storage:

- Store below 30°C, keep in dry place & protect from light.
- Keep out of reach of the children.

Packing:

Each box containing 100 tablets in blister pack.