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Active fibre for constipation

#### PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

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INDICATIONS, WARNINGS, ETC.: There are no contra-indications to the use of Lejfibre. If laxatives

are needed every day or there is consistent abdominal pain the condition should be investigated further. Legal Category: GSL. Package Quantities: 25 x 10g biscuits. Product Licence Number: PL 4483/0029. Basic NHS cost: £2.80 per pack of 25 biscuits

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day. Children's Dose: The product is not recommended for use in children. Administration: 7g (two level scoops) of Leiguar should be token at meal-times. One 3.5 accopful buring the meal. One level scoopful during the meal. One level scoopful during the meal. One level scoopful (3.5g) of granules should be stirred into a glass containing at least 200ml of woter, or fruit juice, then swallowed quickly and washed down with another 200ml of water or fruit juice.

Note: If water is not used the sugar content of the liquid should be token into account. CONTEA-INDICATIONS, WARNINGS ETC.:

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Precautions: To avoid the risk of assophageal obstruction or rupture
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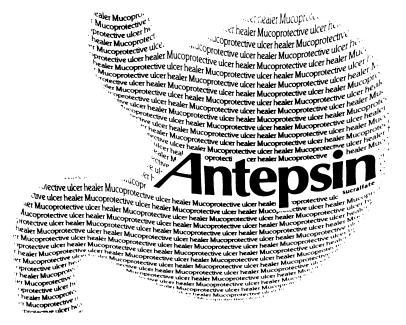
dosage of Leiguar, blood glucose levels should be carefully monitored and concurrent treatment adjusted where necessary, to minimise the danger of hypoglycoemia. **Side-Effects:** Reported side-effects are a laxative effect and increased numeroes. Occasiona assessive assent in unasern and normally improves after 1.2 weets or offer temporarily reducing the dosage. Pharmaceustical Processionas: Leiguar should be stored in a cool, dry place. Legal Cartegory: P. Package Quantifies: Each corton of Leiguar contains 250g of granules plus a 3.5g scoop. Further informations in NIP Product Liennee Number: PL 4483/0027. Basic

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#### Prescribing Information

Presentation Antepsin Tablets 1 gram are white, oblong, biconvex, uncoated tablets scored and embossed 1239 on one side and Ayerst on the other. Each tablet contains 1 gram sucralfate. Uses For the treatment of duodenal ulcer, gastric ulcer and chronic gastritis. Dosage and Administration For oral administration. Adults. Usual dose 1 gram 4 times a day. Maximum daily dose 8 grams. Four to six weeks treatment is usually needed for ulcer healing but up to twelve weeks may be necessary

in resistant cases. Antacids may be used as required for relief of pain. **Contra-indications**, **Precautions**,

Warnings, etc. Contra-Indications There are no known contra-indications. Precautions 1 Concomitant administration with some oral anti-infectives such as tetracyclines may interfere with absorption of the latter. 2. The product should only be used with caution in patients with renal dysfunction. 3. As with all medicines, Antepsin should not be used in early pregnancy unless considered essential. Side Effects A low incidence of mild side effects, e.g. constipation, has been reported.

Legal Category POM. Package Quantities Antepsin 1 gram Secuntainers of 100. Pharmaceutical Precautions No special requirements for storage are necessary. Product Licence Numbers PL No. 0607 0045 PA No. 149 4 2 Basic N.H.S. Price Average daily cost 50p.



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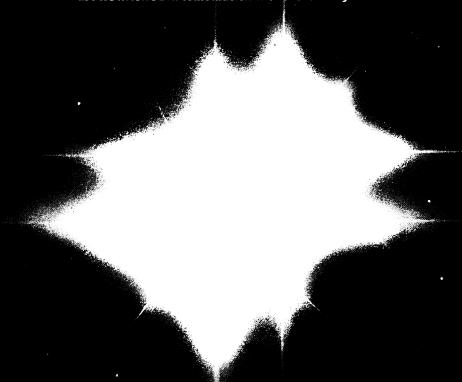
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USES
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DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION
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CONTRAINDICATIONS, WARNINGS, ETC.
Caution should be used in patients receiving oral anti-coagulants, or other agents metabolised by the liver, where the dose is critical.
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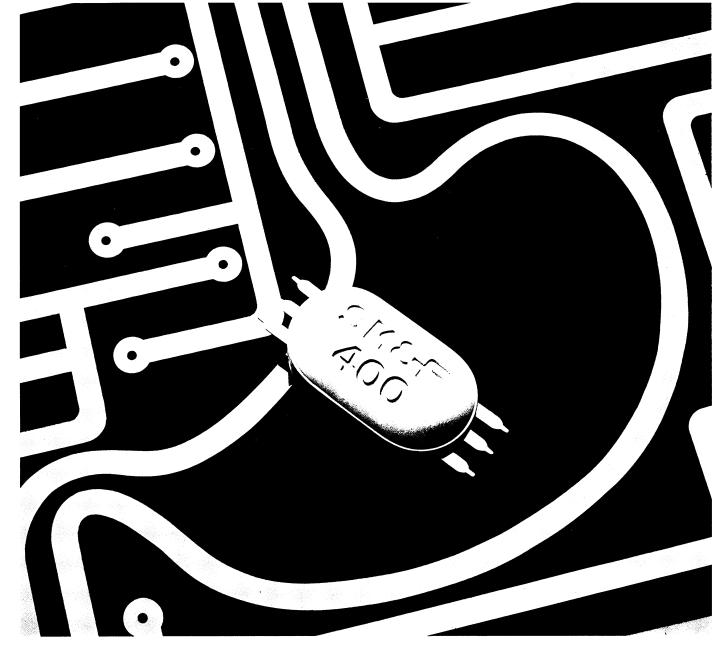
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## Tagamet acid controlled

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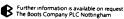
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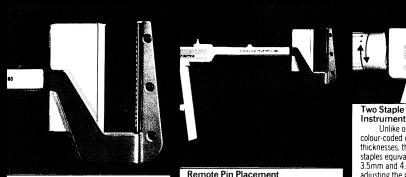
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experiments no teratogenic effects were noted. Breast milk concentration after therapeutic doses is unlikely to affect the infant. Side effects occasionally transitory dry mouth and accommodation difficulty may occur. Treatment of overdosage, entirely symptomatic. There is no specific antidote. Basic NHS price: 50 mg tablets, 60 £20:50. Product Licence No.: 50 mg tablets. PLOVATOR 100 Mg table





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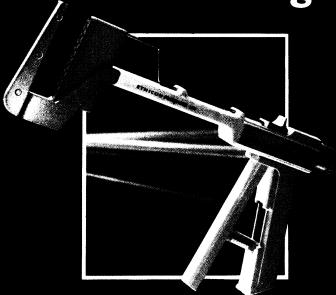
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Uses: For the treatment of symptoms of discomfort and of abdominal colic and distension experienced by patients with irritable bowel syndrome. The enteric-coating of the capsule delays release of the peppermint oil until it reaches the distal small bowel. The oil exerts a local effect of colonic relaxation and a fall of intracolonic pressure. Dosage and Administration: For oral administration

Adult dose: One capsule three times a day, preferably before meals and taken with a small quantity of water. The capsules should not be taken immediately after food. The dose may be increased to two capsules. three times a day when discomfort is more severe. The capsules should be taken until symptoms resolve, usually within one or two weeks. At times when symptoms are more persistent, the capsules can be continued for longer periods of between 2 to 3 months. There is no experience in the use of these capsules in children under the age of 15

Contraindications, Warnings, etc. Precautions: The capsules should not be broken or chewed because this would release the peppermint oil prematurely, possibly causing local irritation of the mouth and oesophagus. Patients who already suffer from heartburn, sometimes experience an exacerbation of these symptoms when taking the capsule Treatment should be discontinued in these patients.

Adverse effects: Heartburn, sensitivity reactions to menthol which are rare, and include erythematous skin rash, headache, bradycardia, muscle tremor and ataxia. Treatment of overdosage. If capsules have been recently ingested, the stomach should be emptied by gastric lavage Observation should be carried out with symptomatic treatment if necessary

Pharmaceutical Precautions: Store in a cool place Avoid direct sunlight

Legal category: P.

Package quantity: Containers of 100 capsules Further information: Nil

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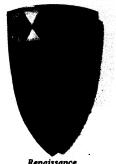
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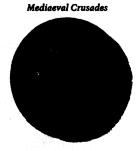
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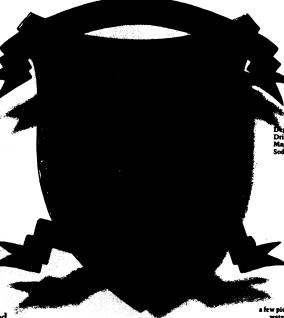
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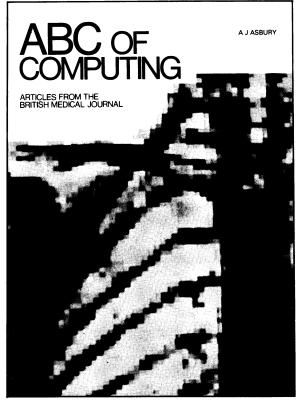
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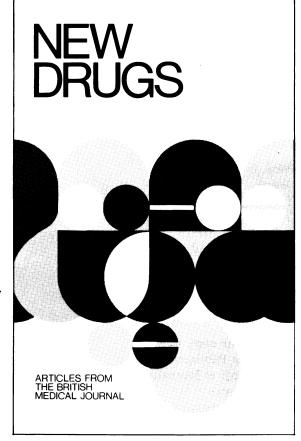
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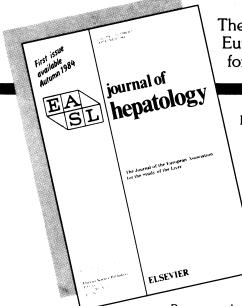
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