**SCHEDULING STATUS:** **S1**

**PROPRIETARY NAME:** **L.C.C.-P PEPPERMINT COUGH MIXTURE**

**(AND DOSAGE FORM)** **(MIXTURE)**

**COMPOSITION:**

Each 5 ml contains:

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| Ammonium chloride | 100 mg |
| Glycerin | 31,43 mg |
| Camphor | 0,7 mg |
| Anaesthetic ether | 0,007 ml |
| Alcohol | 3,42 % *v/v* |

Contains sugar:

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| Sucrose | 1,40 g |
| Liquid glucose | 1,60 g |

List of excipients: sodium carboxymethylcellulose, glucose, oil anise, sucrose, chloroform spirit, peppermint oil, caramel, purified water.

**PHARMACOLOGICAL CLASSIFICATION:**

A 10.1 Antitussives and expectorants

**INDICATIONS:**

Alleviation of cough.

**CONTRAINDICATIONS:**

Hypersensitivity to any of the ingredients of **L.C.C. P PEPPERMINT COUGH MIXTURE.**

Ammonium chloride: Impaired renal or hepatic function.

The safety of this preparation has not been established in pregnancy (see Pregnancy and Lactation).

**WARNINGS AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS:**

CAUTION: Contains CAMPHOR. Keep out of reach of children.

Contains glucose which may have an effect on the glycaemic control of patients with diabetes mellitus.

Contains glucose. Patients with rare hereditary conditions such as fructose intolerance, glucose-galactose mal-absorption or sucrase-isomaltase insufficiency should not take **L.C.C.-P PEPPERMINT COUGH MIXTURE.**

**PREGNANCY AND LACTATION:**

The safety in pregnancy and lactation has not been established.

**DOSAGE AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE:**

*Adults:* One or two medicine measures (5 ml to 10 ml) every two to three hours.

*Children 6 years and older:* Quarter to half a medicine measure (1,25 ml to 2,5 ml) four to five times daily.

**SIDE EFFECTS**

Ammonium chloride: Large doses may cause nausea, vomiting, thirst, headache, hyperventilation and progressive drowsiness and lead to profound acidosis and hypokalaemia.

**KNOWN SYMPTOMS OF OVERDOSAGE AND PARTICULARS OF ITS TREATMENT:**

As under "**SIDE EFFECTS**".

Treatment is symptomatic and supportive.

**IDENTIFICATION:**

A dark brown, viscous liquid with an odour of peppermint.

**PRESENTATION:**

75 ml and 100 ml packed in clear PVC bottles.

**STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS:**

Store in a cool place, at or below 25°C, in airtight containers. Protect from light.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

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