

**Patient Package Leaflet In Accordance With
The Pharmacists' Regulations (Preparations) – 1986**
The medicine is dispensed without a doctor's prescription

OPTIVE®

Eye drops

Composition:

Active ingredients:

Carboxymethylcellulose sodium (type 7M8SFPH) 0.325% w/v

Carboxymethylcellulose sodium (type 7H3SXF 10-15) 0.175% w/v

Glycerin 0.9%

See 6. Further Information for details of Inactive Ingredients.

Read this leaflet carefully in its entirety before using the medicine. This leaflet contains concise information about the medicine. If you have further questions, refer to the doctor or pharmacist.”

You must use it in a correct manner. Consult the pharmacist if you need further information. Consult the doctor if symptoms of the illness worsen or if they do not improve after 3 days.

1. What is this medicine intended for?

For the temporary relief of burning, irritation and discomfort due to dryness of the eye or exposure to wind or sun. May be used as a protectant against further irritation.

Therapeutic group:

Used as a lubricant for dry eyes.

2. BEFORE USING THIS MEDICINE

Do not use this medicine if:

you are sensitive (allergic) to the active ingredient or any of the additional ingredients found in this medicine (see 6. Further Information for details of inactive ingredients).
the solution is discolored or cloudy.

Special warnings regarding use of this medicine:

In order to avoid contamination, do not allow the tip of the bottle to come into contact with any surface (including the eye itself). Keep the bottle tightly closed.

If you are taking, or if you took lately, other medicines, including non-prescription medicines and food supplements, tell the doctor or pharmacist.

Use of medicine and food

If you are sensitive to any type of food or medicine, inform your doctor before commencing treatment with this medicine.

Pregnancy and breastfeeding

If you are pregnant or breastfeeding consult with a doctor or pharmacist before using this medicine.

3 HOW SHOULD YOU USE THIS MEDICINE?

Check with the doctor or pharmacist if you are uncertain.

- **The standard dosage is** one or two drops in the dry eye, as necessary. If the dryness in your eyes does not improve within 3 days or condition worsens, stop treatment and refer to the doctor.
- **Do not exceed the recommended dosage.**
- Do not swallow! The medicine is intended for external use only.

Optive® can be used if you wear contact lenses.

Directions for use:

Before use, make sure the container package is closed. Use only if the transparent seal on the bottle is intact. Do not use if the solution is discolored or cloudy.

1. In order to avoid contamination, do not allow the tip of the bottle to come into contact with any surface (including the eye itself). Keep the bottle tightly closed.
2. The bottle of drops may not be full. This is meant to allow better control over the drip rate.
3. How to use the drops: First, wash your hands. Tilt your head back. Using your index finger, pull your lower lid downward to create a “pocket”. Drip the medicine into the “pocket” that is formed. Close your eyes gently. Do not blink. Leave your eyes closed for 1-2 minutes.
4. After using the medicine, wash your hands thoroughly in order to wash off remnants of the medicine.

If this medicine has been prescribed for you in addition to another eye preparation, wait approx. 5 minutes between one medicine and the other.

Do not use the medicine for more than 28 days after first opening the bottle.

If you took an overdose, or if a child has accidentally swallowed the medicine, refer immediately to a doctor or proceed to a hospital emergency room and bring the package of the medicine with you.

Do not take medicines in the dark! Check the label and the dose each time you take your medicine. Wear glasses if you need them.

4. SIDE EFFECTS:

As with any medicine, use of Optive® may cause side effects in some users. Do not be alarmed by the list of side effects. You may not experience any of them.

Stop taking the medicine and contact the doctor immediately if you feel one of the following side effects:

Eye pain, visual changes, persistent redness or irritation of the eye for more than 72 hours or if one of the side effects worsens. If you suffer from a side effect not mentioned in the leaflet, you must consult with the doctor.

5. HOW SHOULD THE MEDICINE BE STORED?

Avoid poisoning!

This medicine, and all other medicines, should be kept in a safe place out of the reach of children and/or infants, in order to avoid poisoning.

Do not induce vomiting unless explicitly instructed to do so by the doctor.

Do not use the medicine after the expiry date (exp. date) appearing on the package/bottle.

The expiry date refers to the last day of that month.

Store in a cool place, at a temperature below 25°C.

Shelf life after first opening: 28 days. Do not store different medications in the same package. Do not use Optive® if you notice that the solution is discolored or cloudy.

6 FURTHER INFORMATION

In addition to the active ingredients, the medicine also contains:

Boric acid, Erythritol, Levocarnitine, Sodium borate decahydrate, Sodium citrate dihydrate, Potassium chloride, Calcium chloride dihydrate, Magnesium chloride hexahydrate, Stabilized oxychloro complex (Purite®) and Purified water.

How does the medicine look and the contents of the package

Optive®, 15mL Sterile eye drop solution in a multidose bottle.

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License holder: Allergan Israel Ltd.

Importer: Tradis Gat Ltd., P.O. Box 7775, Petach-Tikva 49170.

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