

SCHEDULING STATUS

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PROPRIETARY NAME (and Dosage form)

1. GINKGOFORCE TABLETS (tablets) 2. GINKGOFORCE DROPS (drops)

COMPOSITION

1. **Each Ginkgoforce tablet contains:** 0,3 ml (equivalent to 10 drops) of Ginkgo Biloba mother tincture (HAB). Inactive constituents are Lactose and Magnesium Stearate.
2. **Ginkgoforce drops: Each 1 ml contains:** Ginkgo Biloba: Folium rec. T.: 905 mg (HAB). Contains alcohol: 64 % v/v.

PHARMACOLOGICAL CLASSIFICATION

D 33.6 Other (Western Herbal Medicines)

PHARMACOLOGICAL ACTION

A herbal medicine as an adjunct to the treatment of circulatory disturbances in adults. Ginkgo biloba increases blood flow, tissue oxygenation and tissue nutrition. It assists in preventing membrane damage caused by free radicals. It enhances memory and cognitive function, especially in the elderly.

INDICATIONS

A herbal medicine made from fresh ginkgo biloba leaves which assists in promoting improved circulation thereby aiding poor memory, concentration and mental fatigue. Also used for relief of Raynaud's Syndrome and tinnitus.

CONTRA-INDICATIONS

Hypersensitivity to any of the ingredients.

WARNINGS AND SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

Do not discontinue prescribed medicine except under professional guidance.

Caution should be exercised in patients when using Ginkgo biloba together with aspirin, warfarin or anticoagulant or antiplatelet medication.

DOSAGE AND DIRECTIONS FOR USE

1. **Ginkgoforce Tablets: Adults and children over 12 years:** Take 2 tablets, 3 times daily with water before meals. **Children below 12 years of age:** As prescribed by a medical / healthcare practitioner.
 2. **Ginkgoforce Drops: Adults and children over 12 years:** Take 20 drops, 3 times daily in a little water half an hour before meals. **Children below 12 years of age:** As prescribed by a medical / healthcare practitioner.
- Should the condition not improve within 4 weeks, consult your medical practitioner / healthcare practitioner.

SIDE-EFFECTS

Side effects may include headaches, dizziness, palpitations, gastro-intestinal disturbances and skin hypersensitive reactions.

KNOWN SYMPTOMS OF OVERDOSAGE AND PARTICULARS OF ITS TREATMENT

See side-effects. Treatment should be symptomatic and supportive.

IDENTIFICATION

1. **Ginkgoforce Tablets:** Small, round, speckled green convex tablets with an aromatic odour.
2. **Ginkgoforce Drops:** Brown-olive green clear liquid with fine particles and an aromatic odour.

PRESENTATION

1. **Ginkgoforce Tablets:** Round, amber glass bottles with a white aluminium pilfer proof screw-on cap, containing 120 tablets.
2. **Ginkgoforce Drops:** 30 ml, 50 ml and 100 ml amber glass dropper bottles with dropper insert and white plastic tamper-evident screw-on cap.

STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS

Store at or below 25 °C in a dry, cool place. Protect from sunlight. **KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.**

REGISTRATION NUMBER

1. **Ginkgoforce Tablets:** To be allocated.
2. **Ginkgoforce Drops:** 29/34/0535

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