GINGICAINE GEL, CHOCOLATE MINT- gingicaine gel, chocolate mint flavor gel Gingi-Pak a Division of the Belport

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GingiCaine Gel, Chocolate Mint

Active Ingredient

Active ingredient	Purpose
Benzocaine 20% w/v	Oral Anesthetic

Inactive Ingredient

Polyethylene Glycol 3350

Polyethylene Glycol 400

Potassium Sodium Saccharate

Precautions Dentists should avoid application to severely traumatized mucosal areas which are infected or areas of the posterior pharynx that might obtund protective reflexes. Local anesthetics should be used with caution in patients with known drug sensitivities, particularly those known to be allergic to ester-type anesthetics (procaine, benzocaine, tetracaine). Dentists should avoid contact with all local anesthetics to avoid possible sensitization.

Consult a doctor promptly

Consult a doctor promptly if sore throat is severe, persists for more than 2 days, is accompanied or followed by fever, headache, rash, nausea, or vomiting ● if mouth sore does not go away within 10 days ● if irritation, pain, or redness persists or worsens. Avoid contact with eyes. Keep out of reach of children. If more than normal usage amount is accidentally swallowed, get medical help or contact a Poison Control Center immediately. Do not exceed recommended dosage.

Allergy Alert and Contraindications

Allergy alert Do not use if you have history of allery to any "caine" local anesthetics.

Contraindications should not be used in patients with history of hypersensitivity to ester-type local anesthetics. Do not use the product for teething or in infants and children younger than 2 years.

Purpose

Gingicaine Gel is a topical anesthetic used by Dentists just prior to an injection patients gum.	i. Gingicaine is usually spread on a



Dosage & Administration Mucosa should be dried prior to application. Removal of excess saliva

with cotton rolls or saliva ejectors will minimize dilution of the local anesthetic. Sterile cotton or gauze should be used in applying anesthetic to mucosa. Care must be taken to avoid cross-contamination between patients. Total dose should not exceed the amount required for anesthesia. • Apply to the affected area. Remain in place for at least 1 minute and then split out. • Use up to 4 times daily or as directed by a dentist or doctor. • Do not exceed recommended dosage. • This product is for adults and children 2 years of age and older.

Children under 2 years of age should consult a dentist or a doctor.

Indications and Uses

Indications Anesthesia of mucous membranes of oropharynx. Minimizes the pain of ulcers, needle puncture, deep scaling procedures, and the application of matrix bands. Also an aid in the taking of impressions or intraoral radiographs of patients with an excessive gag reflex.

Uses Reduce pain or discomfort caused by • minor dental procedures • minor gum injury • canker sores • sore throat • minor mouth or gum irritations caused by dentures or orthodontic appliances

Avoid excessive heat

Avoid Excessive heat Above 40 °C (104 °F).

Warnings

Warnings For external use only. Use of this product may cause methemoglobinemia, a rare but serious condition that must be treated promptly because it reduces the amount of oxygen carried in blood. Cease use and seek immediate medical attention if one of the following symptoms develops: ◆ Pale, gray, or blue colored skin (cyanosis) ◆ Headache ◆ Rapid heat rate ◆ Shortness of breath ◆ Dizziness or lightheadedness ◆ Fatigue or lack of energy. **Do not use in children under 2 years of age.**

Mint chocolate flavor



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Product Information			
Product Type	HUMAN OTC DRUG	Item Code (Source)	NDC:10129-034
Route of Administration	ORAL, PERIODONTAL, DENTAL		

Active Ingredient/Active Moiety		
Ingredient Name	Basis of Strength	Strength
BENZOCAINE (UNII: U3RSY48JW5) (BENZOCAINE - UNII:U3RSY48JW5)	BENZOCAINE	200 mg

Inactive Ingredients		
Ingredient Name	Strength	
POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL 3350 (UNII: G2M7P15E5P)	260 mg	
POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL 400 (UNII: B697894SGQ)	520 mg	
POTASSIUM SODIUM SACCHARATE (UNII: 73U34YC90U)	20 mg	

Product Characteristics			
Color		Score	
Shape		Size	
Flavor	CHOCOLATE (chocolate mint)	Imprint Code	
Contains			

ı	Packaging			
	# Item Code	Package Description	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
	NDC:10129- 034-01	1 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC; Type 0: Not a Combination Product	07/06/1993	
	NDC:10129- 034-05	6 in 1 BOTTLE, PLASTIC; Type 0: Not a Combination Product	07/06/1993	

Marketing Information			
Marketing Category	Application Number or Monograph Citation	Marketing Start Date	Marketing End Date
OTC monograph not final	part356	07/06/1993	

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