

## **PARTICULARS TO APPEAR ON THE OUTER PACKAGING (Carton)**

### **1. NAME OF THE MEDICINAL PRODUCT**

Strepsils Extra Blackcurrant Lozenges

### **2. STATEMENT OF ACTIVE SUBSTANCE(S)**

Each lozenge contains the active ingredient: Hexylresorcinol Ph Eur 2.4mg.

### **3. LIST OF EXCIPIENTS**

Strepsils Extra Blackcurrant Lozenges contain:

Glucose & Sucrose: 1.121 g glucose and 1.408 g sucrose per lozenge. This should be taken into account in patients with diabetes mellitus. If you have been told by your doctor that you have an intolerance to some sugars, contact your doctor before taking this medicinal product.

Wheat Starch: This medicine contains only very low levels of gluten (from wheat starch). It is regarded as 'gluten free' and very unlikely to cause problems if you have coeliac disease. One lozenge contains no more than 22.42 micrograms of gluten. If you have wheat allergy (different from coeliac disease) you should not take this medicine.

Propylene glycol: This medicine contains 10.8 mg propylene glycol per lozenge.

Sodium: Contains less than 1 mmol sodium (23 mg) per lozenge, that is to say essentially 'sodium-free'.

Sulphur Dioxide (E220) which may rarely cause severe hypersensitivity reactions and bronchospasm.

Contains fragrances with d-Limonene and linalool which may cause allergic reactions.

Azo colouring agent Carmoisine (E122) may cause allergic reactions.

Also contains Levomenthol.

### **4. PHARMACEUTICAL FORM AND CONTENTS**

Lozenge

24 lozenges

Strepsils Extra Blackcurrant Lozenges are formulated to bring effective relief from painful sore throats. The active ingredient in Strepsils Extra Blackcurrant is an antiseptic which combats the bacteria which can cause sore throat conditions and also has a local anaesthetic action which brings relief from pain and discomfort.

### **5. METHOD AND ROUTE(S) OF ADMINISTRATION**

For oral use.

## **6. SPECIAL WARNING: THAT THE MEDICINAL PRODUCT MUST BE STORED OUT OF THE SIGHT AND REACH OF CHILDREN**

Keep out of the sight and reach of children.

## **7. OTHER SPECIAL WARNINGS: IF NECESSARY**

- Remember young children can choke on lozenges.
- If you are allergic to any of the ingredients listed, do not use this product
- Like all medicines, this medicine can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them. Side effects may include rash, swelling of the face, neck, throat or tongue that could affect breathing and allergic reactions.
- Consult your doctor if symptoms persist, or anything unusual happens.
- Do not use after the expiry date shown on the pack.
- Consult your doctor or pharmacist if you are pregnant or breastfeeding.

## **8. EXPIRY DATE**

**DO NOT USE AFTER**

Do not use after the expiry date shown on the pack.

## **9. SPECIAL STORAGE CONDITIONS**

Do not store above 30°C.

Store in the original packaging.

## **10. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS FOR DISPOSAL**

N/A

## **11. NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE MARKETING AUTHORITY HOLDER**

PA Holder: Reckitt Benckiser Ireland Ltd, 7 Riverwalk, Citywest Business Campus, Dublin 24.

Manufacturer: RB NL Brands B.V. Schiphol Blvd 207, 1118 BH Schiphol, NL.

Product queries: Tel: 01 6305429

**12. MARKETING AUTHORISATION NUMBER(S)**

PA 979/42/1

**13. BATCH NUMBER**

LOT

**14. GENERAL CLASSIFICATION FOR SUPPLY**

GSL

**15. INSTRUCTIONS ON USE**

**How to use:** Check the foil packaging is not damaged before use. Children of 6 years and over, adults and the elderly: For oral use. Dissolve one lozenge slowly in the mouth every 3 hours as required. Do not take more than 12 lozenges in any 24 hour period. Do not give to children under 6 years of age.

Do not take for more than 3 days unless told to do so by your doctor.

**16. INFORMATION IN BRAILLE**

Strepsils Extra Blackcurrant