Cerumol Ear Drops Solution

Arachis oil refined (peanut oil) 57.3% w/v, chlorobutanol hemihydrate 5% w/v, hemihydrate, an antibacterial agent, which also helps to loosen the wax.

This product is used to soften and help remove ear wax.

Read all of this leaflet carefully because it contains important information for you. This medicine is available without prescription. However, you still need to use Cerumol Ear Drops carefully to get the best results from it.

1. What Cerumol Ear Drops are and what they are used for

Cerumol Ear Drops contains arachis oil refined to help lubricate the ear wax and chlorobutanol hemihydrate, an antibacterial agent, which also helps to loosen the wax. This product is used to soften and help remove ear wax.

2. Before you use Cerumol Ear Drops

Do not use the medicine if you or your child have:

- An allergy to any of the ingredients listed in section 6
- A sore or inflamed ear canal
- A dermatitis or eczema on the outer ear
- A perforated ear drum.

Take special care with Cerumol Ear Drops...

- Do not use for more than three days without talking to your doctor.
- Do not swallow the ear drops.

Pregnancy and breastfeeding...

Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before using this medicine if you are pregnant, might be pregnant or are breastfeeding.

Driving and using machines

There are no known effects of driving and using machines, but an ear wax plug may cause temporary deafness.

3. How to use Cerumol Ear Drops

Use the dropper to put 5 drops into the ear:

- Moisten the small pad of cotton wool with the drops.
- Place the pad of cotton wool in the ear but do not flush with water.
- Repeat twice a day for three days.
- Do not use for longer than 3 days without consulting your doctor.

4. Possible side effects

Like all medicines, Cerumol Ear Drops can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

Possible side effects:

- Local irritation.
- Redness.
- Rash.

If any of the side effects gets serious, or if you notice any side effects not listed in this leaflet, please tell your doctor or pharmacist.

5. How to store Cerumol Ear Drops

- Keep out of the sight and reach of children.
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- Store in a cool place.
- Use the ear drops as soon as you remember.
- Take the pack with you to show which medicine you are using.
- Do not use the medicine after the expiry date shown on the carton.
- Once opened, use within 6 months.
- Do not use the medicine if you or your child are allergic to peanut oil.
- Do not use for more than three days without talking to your doctor.
- Do not swallow the ear drops.

6. Further information

What is in this medicine

The active ingredients are:

Arachis oil refined (peanut oil) 57.3% w/v, chlorobutanol hemihydrate 5% w/v.

The other ingredients are:

- Turpentine oil, 3-methoxy butyl acetate, o-dichlorobenzene, p-dichlorobenzene.

What the medicine looks like

Cerumol Ear Drops are a pale amber oily liquid which smells of turpentine.

They are supplied in 11ml bottles.

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