

DUZEN OINTMENT

Sodium fusidate 2%w/w

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What *Duzen* is used for

It is used to treat conditions where the skin is infected by germs, e.g. impetigo (weeping, crusty and swollen patch of skin), boils or infected wounds.

How *Duzen* works

It contains sodium fusidate which is an antibiotic that kills the susceptible germs that cause infections.

Before you use *Duzen*

When you must not use it

- allergic to *Duzen* or other ingredients of *Duzen*.

Before you start to use it

Caution when using near the eyes as it may cause irritation. Inform the doctor if pregnant or lactating.

Taking other medicines

Please inform the doctor or pharmacist if taking other medicines. The medicine usually will have minimal effect on ability to drive or use machines. However, please check with doctor if any side effects may affect driving or using machines.

How to use *Duzen*

How much to use

Apply to affected area 2 – 3 times daily, normally for 7 days.

When to use it

Please follow the advice of the doctor or pharmacist.

How long to use it

You should check with your doctor or pharmacist.

If you forget to use it

If forget to use this medicine, use it as soon as remember. Then next, use this medicine at the usual time.

If you use too much (overdose)

If used too much *Duzen*, contact your doctor, an emergency department or a poisoning center immediately.

While you are using *Duzen*

Things you must do

Inform doctor of medications taking.

Things you must not do

Do not stop using medication although feeling better after a few days, until the prescribed course is finished.

Things to be careful of

If pregnant or become pregnant or breast-feeding during treatment, should not use *Duzen* unless doctor advised.

Side effects

Occasional occurrences of hypersensitivity reactions e.g. rashes and irritation. It may also lead to problems of resistance. If any of the side effects become serious or any other side effects not listed in this leaflet, please inform the doctor or pharmacist.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835550, or visiting the website portal.bpfk.gov.my

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Storage and Disposal of *Duzen*

Storage

Store in cool, dry place below 30°C. Protect from light. Keep out of reach of children.

Disposal

Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required.

Product description

What it looks like?

White yellowish colour ointment.

Ingredients:

- Active ingredient: sodium fusidate
- Inactive ingredients: liquid paraffin, white soft paraffin and chlorocresol.

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