# TINALITE CREAM

Tolnaftate (1% w/w)

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#### What Tinalite is used for

For the treatment of fungal infections of the skin (scalp, body, groin, foot), athlete's foot and tinea versicolor (light and dark patches on the skin).

#### **How Tinalite works**

Tolnaftate belongs to the group of medicines called antifungals, which distorts or stunts the fungus growth on of the skin.

## Before you use Tinalite

When you must not use it
 If you have any unusual or allergy reaction to tolnaftate or any of the ingredients. This product is not recommended for nail and scalp

## - Before you start to use it

infections.

Tell your doctor before you start:

- if you have any unusual or allergy reaction to tolnaftate.
- if you are pregnant, may become pregnant or breast feeding.

## - Taking other medicines

If you are taking or using other medications, please ask further advice from the doctor or pharmacist.

#### How to use Tinalite

#### - How much to use

Wash and dry infected area and apply to the skin 2 times daily, or as directed by a doctor.

#### - When to use it

Always use Tinalite exactly as your doctor has told you.

#### - How long to use it

You should check with your doctor or pharmacist.

## - If you forget to use it

Apply it as soon as possible and then, continue the rest of your treatment as usual. If you only remember at the time of the next application, just apply that application and carry on as normal.

## - If you use too much (overdose)

Not applicable for topical preparation. However, if you notice any unusual effects, check with your doctor or pharmacist.

## While you are using Tinalite

## - Things you must do

To help clear the infection completely, keep using this medicine for 2 weeks after symptoms have disappeared, unless otherwise directed by the doctor.

## - Things you must not do

You must use your medication as directed and do not miss any doses.

## - Things to be careful of

If the skin problem does not improve within 10 days, or if it becomes worse, check with the doctor or pharmacist. This cream is for external use only. Avoid contact with eyes.

#### **Side effects**

No side effects caused by tolnaftate have been reported; other than occasional skin irritation at the affected area. If this occurs, discontinue use and check with the doctor or pharmacist. If any other side effects occur, consult your doctor.

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 <a href="mailto:npra.moh.gov.my">npra.moh.gov.my</a> (Public → Reporting Medicinal Problems / Side Effects / AEFI / Vaccine Safety).

## Storage and Disposal of Tinalite

## **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 colour cream.

#### - Ingredients:

- Active ingredient: tolnaftate
- Inactive ingredients: cetomacrogol emulsifying wax, white soft paraffin, liquid paraffin, chlorocresol, butyl hydroxytoluene, sodium citrate, citric acid and deionised water.

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# **Manufacturer and Product Registration** holder

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