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Devil's Claw Capsules SC

Active ingredient: devil's claw root dry extract soft capsules

To be taken by adults

Read the entire information leaflet carefully; it contains important information for you. This medicinal product is available without a prescription. However, Devil's Claw Capsules SC must be used according to the instructions to achieve the best possible results.

- Keep this information leaflet. You may want to reread it at a later date.
- Ask your pharmacist if you need any additional information or advice.
- Consult a doctor if your symptoms continue to worsen or if there has been no improvement after one week.
- Please inform your doctor or pharmacist if you are seriously affected by one of the listed side effects or if you
- notice side effects that are not included in this information leaflet.

This information leaflet contains:

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1. What are Devil's Claw Capsules SC AND WHAT ARE THEY USED FOR?

Devil's Claw Capsules SC are a traditional plant-based medicinal product.

Devil's Claw Capsules SC are traditionally used to support the digestive system.

Devil's Claw Capsules SC are a traditional medicinal product, registered for the area of application based solely on many years of experience.

2. WHAT MUST I BE AWARE OF BEFORE TAKING DEVIL'S CLAW CAPSULES SC Devil's Claw Capsules SC may not be taken

- In case of known intolerance to devil's claw, soya, peanut or any of the other components in the medicinal product,

- In the case of stomach and peptic ulcers.

Special care should be taken with Devil's Claw Capsules SC when

- In the case of gall stones, consult a doctor before taking the tablets.

- You should use Devil's Claw Capsules SC with care if you suffer from cardiovascular system complaints.

In the case of on-going symptoms or the occurrence of side effects not listed in this information leaflet, you should consult a doctor or another qualified health professional.

Please note the following when taking Devil's Claw Capsules SC together with other medicines

Interactions with other medicinal products are not known.

Investigations on reciprocal effects with Devil's Claw Capsules SC have not been carried out.

Please inform your doctor or pharmacist if you take, or have recently taken, other medicinal products if they are non-prescription medicinal products.

When taking Devil's Claw Capsules SC together with food and drink

There are no known side effects with food and drink.

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Pregnancy and lactation

What do I need to be aware of in pregnancy and during lactation? Devil's Claw Capsules SC should not be taken during pregnancy and lactation, as sufficient research has not yet been conducted in this field. Please note that use by women of childbearing age who do not use contraception should be carefully considered as the possibility of early pregnancy.

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Children

Sufficient research has not yet been conducted concerning the effect of this medicinal product on children. The medicinal product should, therefore, not be given to children and adolescents under the age of 18.

Fitness to drive and operate machinery

There is no available study data on the influence on the fitness to drive and operate machinery.

Important information about certain other components Devil's Claw Capsules SC

This medicinal product contains lactose and sorbitol. If you suffer from any incompatibilities with certain sugars you must consult your doctor before you start taking Devil's Claw Capsules SC.

3. How should Devil's Claw Capsules SC be taken?

Always take Devil's Claw Capsules SC as described in the instructions in this information leaflet. Please consult your doctor or pharmacist if you are unsure.

Adults take 1-2 soft capsules a day. Use by children and adolescents under 18 is not foreseen.

How to take the medicine

Swallow the soft capsules whole with sufficient liquid, ideally a glass of water, prior to mealtimes.

How long to take the medicine for

Devil's Claw Capsules SC should not be taken for longer than 14 days.

Please note the information under "Precautions" and "Side effects".

What to do if you take too many Devil's Claw Capsules SC

If you have accidentally taken the double or triple dose, the side effects described below may have a stronger effect. In this case and if you have taken a significant overdose of this product you should contact a doctor. Your doctor can decide on the best course of action.

If you forget to take Devil's Claw Capsules SC

Do not take a double dose; instead take the dose as described in this information leaflet or as instructed by your doctor.

If you stop taking Devil's Claw Capsules SC

It is generally considered harmless to stop the treatment or to end it prematurely. If you have any further questions about taking this medicinal product please consult your doctor or pharmacist.

4. What are the possible side effects?

As is the case with all medicinal products, Devil's Claw Capsules SC can have side effects, but they do not necessarily affect everyone. The following categories are taken as a basis for the assessment of side effects:

very often:	more than 1 in 10 people treated
Common:	1 to 10 people treated from 100
Occasional:	1 to 10 people treated from 1,000
Rare:	1 to 10 people treated from 10,000
Very rare:	less than 1 people treated from 10,000
Unknown:	frequency cannot be assessed based on available data

Possible side effects

Gastrointestinal complaints: sickness, vomiting, diarrhoea, stomach pains. Nervous system: dizziness, headaches. Over-sensitivity reactions: allergic skin rashes.

Frequency: Unknown (frequency cannot be assessed based on available data)

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Other possible side effects:

Soya proteins can very rarely cause an allergic reaction.

Please inform your doctor or pharmacist if you are seriously affected by one of the listed side effects or if you notice side effects that are not included in this information leaflet.

5. How should Devil's Claw Capsules SC BE STORED?

Keep all medicines out of the reach and sight of children.

Do not take the medicinal product if the "use by" date on the box or blister pack has expired. The use by date relates to the last day of the month in question.

Storage conditions

This medicinal product does not need to be stored in any particular way.

Reporting side effects

Please inform your doctor or pharmacist or medical specialist if you notice side effects. This also applies to side effects not stated in this leaflet. You can register any side effects directly with Bundesinstitut für Arzneimittel und Medizinprodukte, Abt. Pharmakovigilanz, Kurt-Georg-Kiesinger-Allee 3, D-53175 Bonn, website: www.bfarm.de. By reporting any side effects, you can make a contribution towards more information being available on the safety of this medicinal product.

6. Additional information Contained in Devil's Claw Capsules SC

Active ingredient: devil's claw root dry extract

1 soft capsule contains: 225 mg dry extract of devil's claw root (4.4-5.0:1), extraction agent: Ethanol 60% (V/V).

Other ingredients: Lactose Monohydrate, Precipitated Silicon Dioxide, Refined Soya Bean Oil, Refined Coconut Oil, Hydrated Palm Oil, Yellow Wax, Phospholipids from Soya Beans, Butter Fat, Gelatine, Glycerol, Solution of Partially Dehydrated Sorbitol 85 % Dry Substance, Iron (III) Hydroxide Oxide (E 172), Purified Water.

Packet sizes available

Original packet with 120 soft capsules.

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For risks and side effects please read the information leaflet and consult your doctor or pharmacist.