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## **Regaine for Men Extra Strength Scalp Solution 5% w/v Cutaneous Solution (minoxidil) Product Information**

### **Presentation:**

Cutaneous solution containing minoxidil 50mg/ml (5% w/v).

### **Uses:**

Treatment of alopecia androgenetica in men aged 18 to 65.

### **Dosage:**

1ml twice daily to affected areas of scalp. Maximum dose 2ml in 24 hours.

### **Contraindications:**

Hypersensitivity to ingredients. Hypertension. Scalp abnormality. Shaved Scalp. Occlusive dressings on scalp or other topical medical preparations being used. Also contraindicated for use in women.

### **Precautions:**

For external use only on normal healthy scalp. Wash hands thoroughly after application. Avoid contact between children and minoxidil application sites, as cases of reversible hypertrichosis have been reported in infants following skin contact with application sites of patients/caregivers who were using topical minoxidil. Avoid inhalation of spray mist and contact with eyes or sensitive surfaces. Stop use and see doctor if hypotension or other cardiovascular symptoms of systemic absorption develops. Patients with cardiovascular disease or arrhythmia to contact physician before use. This product may cause dizziness or hypotension. If affected, patients should not drive or operate machinery. It contains 280.53mg of alcohol (ethanol) in each 1ml, which may cause burning sensation on damaged skin and in the eye. In the event of accidental contact with sensitive surfaces the area should be bathed with large amounts of cool tap water. It also contains 500mg of propylene glycol in each 1ml, which may cause skin irritation. Avoid use on open wounds or damaged skin.

### **Pregnancy and Lactation:**

Should not be used.

### **Side Effects:**

Very common: headache.

Common: hypersensitivity reactions, chest pain, hypertrichosis, pruritus, rash, dermatitis, oedema peripheral and weight increase.

Uncommon: dizziness, palpitation, dyspnoea, and nausea

Rare: changes in hair texture

Not known: angioedema, depressed mood, eye irritation, heart rate increased, hypotension, vomiting, dry skin, acne (acneiform rash), temporary hair loss, changes in hair colour and application site reactions.

*Please refer to Summary of Product Characteristics for detailed information.*

**RRP (ex VAT):** Single Pack £36.52. Triple Pack £68.08

**Legal category:** GSL.

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