

Summary of Product Characteristics

1 NAME OF THE MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Xalatan 50 micrograms/ml eye drops, solution.

2 QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION

100 ml eye drops solution contains 5mg latanoprost.

One drop contains approximately 1.5 micrograms latanoprost.

Excipient(s) with known effect

Benzalkonium chloride 0.02% w/v is included as a preservative.

For the full list of excipients, see section 6.1.

3 PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Eye drops, solution.

Product sourced from Italy, France, The Netherlands, Norway and the United Kingdom:
The solution is a clear colourless liquid.

4 CLINICAL PARTICULARS

As per PA0822/140/001.

5 PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

As per PA0822/140/001.

6 PHARMACEUTICAL PARTICULARS

6.1 List of excipients

Sodium chloride
Benzalkonium chloride
Sodium dihydrogen phosphate monohydrate (E339a)
Anhydrous disodium phosphate (E339b)
Water for injections

6.2 Incompatibilities

In vitro studies have shown that precipitation occurs when eye drops containing thiomersal are mixed with Xalatan. If such medicinal products are used, the eye drops should be administered with an interval of at least five minutes.

6.3 Shelf life

Before first opening: The shelf-life expiry date of this product is the date shown on the container and outer package of the product on the market in the country of origin.

After first opening of container: 4 weeks

6.4 Special precautions for storage

Keep the bottle in the outer carton in order to protect from light.

For storage conditions after first opening of the medicinal product, see section 6.3.

Do not store above 25°C, and use within 4 weeks.

6.5 Nature and contents of container

Dropper container (5 ml) with either a screw cap and tamper evident overcap or with a screw cap and tamper-evident ring

Each dropper container contains 2.5 ml eye drops solution corresponding to approximately 80 drops of solution.

Pack size: 1 x 2.5 ml

6.6 Special precautions for disposal and other handling

No special requirements.

7 PARALLEL PRODUCT AUTHORISATION HOLDER

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8 PARALLEL PRODUCT AUTHORISATION NUMBER

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9 DATE OF FIRST AUTHORISATION/RENEWAL OF THE AUTHORISATION

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10 DATE OF REVISION OF THE TEXT

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