

**Composition**

Each ml contains Hypromellose 0.3%.

**Action**

Hypromellose in an aqueous presentation provides a soothing lubricant preparation for the relief of dry eye syndrome associated with deficient tear secretion or deficient mucous.

**Indications**

As a lubricant and artificial tear in dry eye and other ocular irritation syndromes associated with deficient tear or mucous secretion.

**Contraindications**

Hypersensitivity to any of the ingredients.

**Warnings**

**For ocular use only. Not for injection or ingestion.**

**Adverse Reactions**

Hypromellose is very well tolerated by users. However, some cases of burning, stinging, allergic reactions or red eyes after instillation have been reported. Transient blurring of vision after administration has also been reported.

**Precautions**

**Wearing of contact lenses:** Izilack contains benzalkonium chloride which may cause eye irritation and is known to discolor soft contact lenses. Contact with soft contact lenses is to be avoided. Patients should be advised to remove their contact lenses prior to the application and wait at least 15 minutes before reinsertion.

If patients experience headache, eye pain, vision changes, irritation of the eyes, persistent redness, or if the condition worsens or persists for more than 3 days, they are to discontinue use and consult their doctor.

**Pregnancy**

There are no or limited amount of data from the use of Hypromellose in pregnant women. Hypromellose exert a surface protective effect and not pharmacologically active. It is not expected to be absorbed systemically, to demonstrate any systemic toxicity or to have any effect on reproduction or embryo-fetal development. Izilack can be used during pregnancy.

**Nursing Mothers**

It is unknown whether Hypromellose is excreted in human milk. Nonetheless, discontinuation of product use during breast-feeding is not considered necessary. Izilack can be used during breast-feeding.

**Geriatric Use**

No overall differences in safety or effectiveness have been observed between elderly and younger patients.

**Effects on ability to drive and use machines**

Hypromellose has no or negligible influence on the ability to drive or use machines. As with any eye drops, temporary blurred vision or other visual disturbances may affect the ability to drive or use machines. If blurred vision occurs at instillation, the patient must wait until the vision clears before driving or using machines.

**Drug Interactions**

If more than one topical ophthalmic medicinal product is being used, the medicines must be administered at least 5 minutes apart. Eye ointments should be administered last.

**Dosage and Administration**

Adults, children and the elderly:

Instil 1 or 2 drops in the conjunctival sac of the affected eye(s), as needed. The frequency of administration depends on the severity of the condition. On average, one drop is administered 1-3 times daily.

**Presentation**

Dropper bottle of 10 ml