Granudacyn® irrigation solution and Gel for cleaning, moistening and rinsing

Granudacyn® is a wound irrigation solution for cleansing and moisturising acute, chronic and contaminated wounds as well as for first and second degree burns. Hypochlorous acid (HOCl) ensures safe preservation and makes Granudacyn a reliable wound irrigation solution. HOCl prevents the proliferation of Gram+ and Gram- bacteria including; MRSA, ORSA, VRSA, VRE, viruses, fungi and spores.

Granudacyn® advantages
• Cleans the wound mechanically
• Is free of germs and pH neutral
• Is non-cytotoxic and non-irritant
• Is hypotonic
• Is free of heavy metals
• Reduces wound malodour
• Shelf life 24 months for irrigation solution and 18 months for gel
• First choice for peritoneal lavage
• Can be applied on CNS tissue, cartilage and bones
• Well suited for cavities and fistulas
• Can remain in the wound
How Granudacyn® works
Granudacyn® is preserved to allow multi-patient use for up to 60 days (solution) and 90 days (gel) after opening. To ensure the safe use after opening, the Granudacyn products are preserved with hypochlorous acid, a substance naturally generated in the human body by activated neutrophils.¹

1. Disrupts the cell wall structures: Granudacyn
Irrigation solution surrounds the microorganisms, and the hypochlorous acid penetrates the cell wall of the microorganism and increases its permeability.²

2. Osmolysis leads to cell burst:
The hypotonic nature of the Granudacyn Irrigation solution causes water to flow into the cells. The result is osmolysis: the increasing internal pressure causes the cells to burst.

Cytotoxicity⁴
Granudacyn caused neither toxicological nor biological damages to a subconfluent layer of mousefibroblasts (L929). In contrast, the test substance with a NaOCl concentration of 800 ppm led to cytotoxic reaction in mouse fibroblasts.³ Granudacyn is graded not cytotoxic.

Composition: Granudacyn contains water, sodium chlorite, sodium hypochlorite and hypochlorous acid. The relative concentration of HOCl and NaOCl is pH dependent. At neutral pH Granudacyn Wound Irrigation solution contains 50 ppm HOCl and 50 ppm NaOCl and Wound gel contains 40 ppm HOCl and 40 ppm NaOCl.

Storage: Granudacyn solution has a shelf life of 24 months after manufacturing and 60 days after opening. Granudacyn wound gel has a shelf life of 18 months after manufacturing and 90 days after opening. Granudacyn solution and gel can be stored at room temperature.

Manufacturer: P.G.F. Industry Solutions GmbH, Austria.
Distributor: Mölnlycke Health Care AB.
CE Certificate: 44 232 169605 (0044 TÜV Nord).
Class: IIb

Granudacyn can be used for the irrigation, cleaning and decontamination of the following wound-types:
- All chronic wounds of any depths, such as diabetic foot ulcers, pressure ulcers, venous leg ulcers, etc.
- All acute wounds, such as cuts, bite wounds, lacerations, abrasions, etc.
- Surgery wounds (intraoperative and postoperative)
- Wounds with exposed cartilage, tendons, ligaments and/or bones
- Burns 1st and 2nd degree
- Radiation ulcer
- Fistulas and abscesses

How to use Granudacyn®
Irrigation solution and spray: designed for cleaning and for precise application.

1. Effective wound cleansing with Granudacyn® Irrigation solution.
2A. Spray from a distance of approx. 15–30cm onto the cleaned wound.
2B. Clean the wound or apply onto the wound with a soaked compress.
3. Can be combined with standard wound dressings.

Find out more at www.molnlycke.com

References:
1. In-vitro suspension test (EN13727, EN 13624, EN 13704, EN 14476 – phase 2) with Granudacyn® wound irrigation solution.
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