MD-Gastroview®

DESCRIPTION
MD-GASTROVIEW® (Diatrizoate Meglumine and Diatrizoate Sodium Solution) is a palatable lemon-vanilla flavored water-soluble iodinated radiopaque contrast medium for oral or rectal administration only. Each ml contains 660 mg diatrizoate meglumine and 100 mg diatrizoate sodium; pH has been adjusted to 6.0 to 6.5 with sodium hydroxide. Each ml contains approximately 4.8 mg 0.21 mg sodium and 387 mg organically bound iodine. MD-GASTROVIEW does not contain any sensitizing agent (polyvinyl pyrolidone). The inactive ingredients are: Eustate Disodium Hydrate, Lemon-Vanilla Flavor, Sodium Citrate, Sodium Hydroxide, Sodium Saccharin, Water for Injection. Air in the container is displaced with nitrogen.

 назначен in fetal tissues. Consideration should be given to the potential for precipitation of water-soluble contrast media in the presence of any iodinated agent. However, thyroid function can be evaluated after use of these agents. Lesions at the esophagogastric or esophagopharyngeal junctions, or injuries, should be kept in mind. The routine preparatory measures employed for barium studies are also appropriate for this medium. Non-oral routes of administration are not indicated. A 1:1 dilution is also recommended when the contrast medium is used in elderly or debilitated individuals.

Storage
- MD-GASTROVIEW should be diluted when it is used for enemas and enterostomy instillations. When used as an enema, the suggested dilution for adults is 240 ml (89.4 g iodine) in 1,000 ml of tap water. For children under 5 years of age, a 1:5 dilution in tap water is suggested; for children over 5 years of age, 90 ml (33 g iodine) in 500 ml of tap water is a suitable dilution.

Tobpography (Body Imaging)
A usual adult dose is 240 ml of a dilute MD-GASTROVIEW solution prepared by diluting 25 ml (5.17 g iodine) to one liter with tap water. Less dilute solutions (up to 75 ml (58.26 g iodine) diluted to one liter with tap water) may be used when indicated. The dose is administered in about 15 to 30 minutes prior to imaging in order to permit the contrast medium to reach the pelvic loops.

HOW SUPPLIED
Available as an aqueous lemon-vanilla flavored solution in bottles of 30 ml in packages of 25 (NUC 0019-4816-6), in bottles of 120 ml in packages of 12 (NUC 0019-4816-05), and in bottles of 240 ml in packages of 12 (NUC 0019-4816-06).

Storage
- Protect from light. Store at 20° to 25°C (68° to 77°F) [See USP Controlled Room Temperature]. Avoid excessive heat. If precipitation or solidification has occurred due to storage in the cold, the bottle should be brought to room temperature. Shake intermittently to redisolve any solids. As with all contrast media, containers or tubing should be inspected prior to use to ensure that breakage and/or other damage has not occurred during shipping and handling. All containers should be inspected for closure integrity. Damaged containers should not be used.

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