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Zucapsaicin

Trade Name:

Zuacta

Manufacturer/Distributor:

Valeant / Sanofi-Aventis

1-800-361-4261

Classification:

Topical agent for joint and muscular pain

ATC Class:

M02AB02 Capsaicin and similar agents

Status:

active

Notice of Compliance (yyyy/mm/dd):

2010/12/08

Date Marketed in Canada (yyyy/mm/dd):

2011/08/24

Presentation:

Topical cream, 30 gm or 60 gm. DIN: 02354772

Comments:

Zucapsaicin is the synthetically produced Z-isomer of the naturally occurring capsaicin. It is a topical analgesic cream for use in conjunction with oral COX-2 inhibitors or NSAIDs for the relief of severe pain in adult patients with osteoarthritis of the knee, not controlled with oral COX-2 inhibitors or NSAIDs alone, for a duration of no more than three months. Tubes should be used within six weeks of opening.

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Access:

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