

# Calbo-C<sup>®</sup>

Calcium Lactate Gluconate, Calcium Carbonate & Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin-C)

## Active Ingredient

Calcium Lactate Gluconate, Calcium Carbonate & Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin-C).

## Indication

Indicated in increased demand for Calcium & Vitamin-C, e.g. pregnancy, lactation, periods of rapid growth (childhood, adolescence), in old age; During infectious disease & convalescence; Treatment of calcium & vitamin C deficiency; Osteoporosis; Premenstrual syndrome; Postmenopausal problems; Adjuvant in colds & influenza.

## Dosage & Administration

Adults & children of school age : 1 effervescent tablet daily, Children 3 to 7 years : 1/2 effervescent tablet daily, Infants : As prescribed by the physician. Dissolve one tablet in half glass (100 ml) of water.

## Contraindication & Precaution

Hypercalcemia, Severe hypercalciuria, Severe renal failure, Patients with hyperoxaluria, Glucose - 6 - phosphate dehydrogenase deficiency, Iron overload, Larger doses may lead to gastrointestinal tract upset. For patients with mild hypercalciuria (exceeding 300 mg = 7.5 mmol/24 hours), with mild or moderate impairment of renal function or with a history of urinary concrements, monitoring of calcium excretion in the urine is required. If necessary, the dosage should be reduced or therapy should be discontinued. High doses of Vitamin-D & derivatives should be avoided during treatment with this preparation unless especially indicated.

## Side Effect

In rare case bloating & diarrhea can occur. In predisposed patients prolonged treatment with high doses may promote the formation of calculi in the urinary tract.

## Drug Interaction

Potentially hazardous interactions: Digoxin, Tetracycline, Frusemide, Pentagastrin, Aminophylline, Erythromycin, Nitrofurantoin, Conjugated estrogens, Chloramphenicol. Potentially useful interactions: Vitamin-D, Oxytocin & Prostaglandins. Vitamin-C enhances iron absorption.

## Use in Pregnancy & Lactation

Calcium containing drugs have been widely used in pregnancy by way of oral calcium supplementation or antacid therapy. Calcium Carbonate can be safely used in lactating women. Vitamin-C may be taken safely during pregnancy & lactation.

## Preparation

Effervescent Tablet.

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