

DJ-CITRAL

Generic name:	Disodium Hydrogen Citrate
Category:	Systemic Alkalizer
Composition	Each 5ml contains Disodium Hydrogen Citrate BP 1.4gm
Presentation:	Available as 100ml Bottle Pack

MECHANISM OF ACTION

It is a Systemic alkalizer that relieves the discomfort of cystitis caused by lower UTI

INDICATIONS

- Acidosis following diarrhea
- Uraemic acidosis
- Renal tubular acidosis & burning micturition
- Adjuvant to Sulphonamide therapy

DOSAGE

Adult:	1-2 teaspoonfuls (5-10ml) three times daily
Children:	½ -1 teaspoonful (2.5-5ml) three times daily or as directed by the physician

PHARMACOKINETIC

Onset of action:	Within one hour
Duration of action:	4-6 hours

SIDE EFFECTS/ADVERSE EFFECTS

- Mild diuresis
- Stomach cramps
- Flatulence

PRECAUTION

Overdose or too rapid administration can cause metabolic alkalosis, especially in renal impairment

Pregnancy: Caution in toxemia of pregnancy

CONTRAINDICATION

- Patient on Sodium restricted diet
- Renal impairment
- Hyperosmolar state

DRUG INTERACTIONS AND/OR RELATED PROBLEMS

- Potassium depleting diuretics: Hypochloremic alkalosis may occur
- Tetracycline: Potentiates renal excretion of tetracycline
- Salicylates & barbiturates: Enhance elimination

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