

<b>NITRIATE<sup>®</sup></b> <b>Sodium Nitroprusside</b>
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**50 mg per vial of lyophilisate**  
**Box of 5 vials & 5 ampoules of solvent**

NITRIATE<sup>®</sup> (Sodium Nitroprusside) is a short-acting hypotensive agent with a duration of action of 1 to 10 minutes.

NITRIATE<sup>®</sup> is given to reduce blood pressure rapidly in case of renal failure, cardiac disorders (acute dissecting aortic aneurysms), acute myocardial infarction, Ergotamine poisoning, acute hypertensive crisis with pulmonary oedema, refractory malignant hypertension, neuroleptic malignant syndrome, acute attacks of Raynaud's syndrome, phaeochromocytoma, cardiac, cerebral and orthopedic surgery.

NITRIATE<sup>®</sup> is also used to produce controlled hypotension during general anaesthesia.

The effects of NITRIATE<sup>®</sup> appear within a few seconds following intravenous infusion and reverse within a few seconds following interruption of administration. Therefore NITRIATE<sup>®</sup> is given intravenously permit to control the blood pressure closely.

***Dosage : intravenous infusion of a solution containing 50 to 200 mg per mL of NITRIATE<sup>®</sup> (dilution with sterile isotonic glucose solution).***

***Initial dose : 0,3 to 1,0 µg per kg body-weight per minute.***