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**Centaur Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd.**  
Prescribing Information of **WOXheal®**

# Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution

## WOXheal®

### 1. Composition:

Diperoxochloric Acid topical solution is a mixture of Diperoxochloric Acid concentrate, the active ingredient presented in a 8 ml bottle (bottle A) and a Sterile Sodium Chloride Solution BP 0.9% w/v (bottle B), presented in a 30 ml bottle:

#### Each pack contains:

##### Bottle A:

Diperoxochloric Acid concentrate

Each ml contains:  
Diperoxochloric Acid concentrate ..... 1.16 mg

To be used, only after adding and mixing entire contents of Bottle A with Bottle B.

The contents of Bottle A should not be applied directly on the wound.

##### Bottle B:

Sterile Sodium Chloride Solution BP ..... 0.9% w/v  
(Cutaneous Solution)

For cutaneous use only, Not for Injection.

To be used only after adding and mixing entire contents of Bottle A into Bottle B.

The contents of Bottle B should not be applied directly on the wound.

#### Reconstituted Solution (Bottle A + Bottle B) in bottle B:

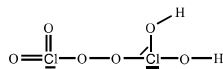
Each ml contains:

Diperoxochloric acid concentrate ..... 0.29 mg

The Solution should not be used after 14 days of mixing/ reconstitution.

### 2. Chemistry:

Diperoxochloric Acid Concentrate has a following Chemical structure



### 3. Pharmacology:

#### 3.1 Preclinical Pharmacology:

In the preclinical pharmacology, Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution was investigated to see if it fulfilled two important properties for the healing of open wounds,

- Fights bacterial infections in the wound, and
- Enhances cell proliferation of Fibroblasts specifically, to stimulate the healing and enforce closing of the wound.

#### Antibacterial action:

Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution is functionally antibacterial (especially against gram negative bacteria), which keeps the bacterial burden of open wounds low. Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution shares functional properties of Reactive Oxygen Species [ROS] at least concerning their antibacterial activity. Anti-bacterial activity according to the German standard DIN 58940 was shown against E. coli, P. aeruginosa and S. aureus bacteria.

#### Fibroblast cell proliferating action:

Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution shows fibroblast-proliferating activity towards MRC-5 fibroblast cells. This suggests that the ratio of vital to dying cells in the wound is improved by Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution. Significant growth stimulation was observed in a time course up to four days following stimulation with Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution.

#### 3.2 Clinical experience:

Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution was effective in the treatment of neuropathic, chronic, cutaneous ulcers of the lower extremity in patients with diabetes, as noted in the multi-centric, randomized, double-blind, active-controlled, comparative, parallel-group phase II study was carried out in India. The overall success rate of Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution treated patients was 93% with an over threefold faster reduction of the wound area in the Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution-group than group receiving the "control" drug Isotonic Sodium chloride solution. The safety of the Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution-solution was excellent and comparable with the "control" drug Isotonic Sodium chloride solution as elucidated by safety evaluation.

In the phase III clinical trial, the efficacy and safety of Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution was investigated in over 300 patients suffering from diabetic foot ulcer in comparison with active-control solution i.e. isotonic normal saline [0.9%]. Following results were obtained:

- Complete wound healing:** 71.03% wound completely healed in Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution group as compared to only 57.53% in Active control. This figure was statistically significant [p = 0,0156]
- Time taken for **complete closure** of wounds: Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution resulted in faster wound healing compared to active-control, as median time taken for complete closure of wounds in Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution group was 42 days as compared to 56 days in Active control group.
- Overall treatment responders: More than 90% of the patients treated with Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution had positive response as compared to 66% of active-control [treatment response defined by at least 50% wound reduction in 4 weeks].

### 4. Pharmacokinetics:

Pharmacokinetic evaluations are not applicable since Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution is not absorbed from the site of application.

### 5. Indications:

Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution is indicated for wound healing in diabetic neuropathic ulcers of skin and subcutaneous tissues.

### 6. Contraindications:

Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to the formulation or any of the components of the formulation.

### 7. Warnings and Precautions:

- In case of a hypersensitivity reaction, Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution should be discontinued immediately.
- Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution is presented in a pack of two bottles. It should only be mixed before applying to the first wound dressing.
- Do not mix contents of bottle "B" in bottle "A".

### 8. Special population:

- Pregnancy: Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution has not been tested in pregnant ladies. No reproductive toxicity studies were conducted.
- Lactation: Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution has not been tested in lactating females.
- Children: Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution has not been tested in children.

### 9. Drug Interactions:

- There are no known drug-drug interactions of Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution.
- The phase II and III clinical trials conducted in patients did not reveal any data towards drug-drug interaction.
- In the clinical laboratory investigation done as safety evaluation in the phase II and III clinical trials, no change in clinical laboratory parameters was noted.
- During phase II and III clinical trials, Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution was co-prescribed along with insulin and oral hypoglycemic drugs such as sulfonylurea, biguanides, DPP-4 inhibitors or SGLT2 inhibitors for the treatment of underlying diabetes. No drug-drug interaction was noted.
- Drug-Drug Interactions with other topical Antimicrobials and Antiseptics is not studied.
- Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution did not have any interaction with dressing material [gauze].

### 10. Adverse Reactions:

In the phase II and phase III clinical trial conducted in patients of diabetic foot ulcer, no adverse drug reaction [ADR] could be allocated to Diperoxochloric Acid Topical Solution. Following is the complete listing of adverse events noted during the clinical trials:

Adverse event	Related to Test drug DPOCL	Related to active-control drug, isotonic normal saline	No relationship to test or control drug
Hypoglycemia	-	-	2
Hyperglycemia	-	-	1
Abscess	-	-	2
Anemia	-	-	1
Osteomyelitis	-	-	1
New ulcer or increase in ulcers	-	-	2
Gangrene	-	-	1
Allergic rash and edema	-	-	1
Injury	-	-	1
Death	-	-	1

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**11. Toxicity Data:**

The toxicology studies were carried out on Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution at LPT2 labs, Hamburg, Germany and followed all concerned regulations of Good Laboratory Practice [GLP] and OECD Principles of Good Laboratory Practice, 2002. Following information was generated in the toxicological studies:

Toxicological data of WOXheal <sup>®</sup>				
Toxicity	Route	Dose	Species	Effect
11.1 Acute	Intravenous	150 mg/ kg body weight single dose	Mice	No mortality, no toxicity
		250 mg/ kg body weight single dose	Mice	0-5 minutes after administration: Reduced mobility, dyspnea
		500 mg/ kg body weight single dose	Mice	0-5 minutes after administration: Reduced mobility, dyspnea
	Intravenous	150 mg/ kg body weight single dose	Rats	No mortality, no toxicity
		250 mg/ kg body weight single dose	Rats	0-5 minutes after administration: Reduced mobility, dyspnea
		500 mg/ kg body weight single dose	Rats	0-5 minutes after administration: Reduced mobility, dyspnea
11.2 Sub-chronic	Intravenous	10 mg/ kg body weight once daily for 28 days	Rats	No mortality, no toxicity
	Intravenous	10 mg/ kg body weight once daily for 28 days	Beagle dogs	No mortality, no toxicity
11.3 Local	Acute eye irritation/corrosion test	Single instillation of 0.1 ml	Rabbits	Cornea, conjunctivae & iris not affected
	Acute dermal irritation [Patch test]	0.5 ml per patch - single dose	Rabbits	No skin reaction/ systemic intolerance

**11.4 Mutagenicity:**

11.4.1 Ames Test: No mutagenic effect (no increase in revertant colony numbers as compared with control counts) was observed for Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution tested up to cytotoxic concentrations of 1000 or 316 µg/plate in any of the 5 test strains in two independent experiments without and with metabolic activation (plate incorporation and pre-incubation test, respectively).

11.4.2 Micronucleus test on bone marrow cells: Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution tested up to the highest reasonable dose level of 150-mg/kg b.w. by intravenous administration showed no mutagenic properties in the rat bone marrow micronucleus study at the two tested sampling times of 24 hours and 48 hours. In the same system, cyclophosphamide (positive reference item) induced significant damage.

**11.5 Other toxicity:**

11.5.1 Pulmonary toxicity: Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution tested at dose levels of 15, 50 and 150 mg/kg b.w. by intravenous administration revealed no test item-related influence on pulmonary parameters.

**12. Dosage and administration:**

Before applying to the wound dressing, Diperochloric Acid concentrate [Bottle A] has to be "Reconstituted" by mixing the contents of bottle A into the contents of bottle B as per instructions provided below.

**12.1 Instructions for preparation of Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution "Reconstituted" solution and wound dressing:**

- Open 'Bottle A' and 'Bottle B'.
- Pour the contents of Bottle A into Bottle B. Close bottle B with bottle cap.
- Mix the content by moving the bottle upside down for 5 times gently.
- Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution "Reconstituted" solution is prepared
- For wound dressing we recommend a non-sticky, sterile multi wound dressing available in different sizes: 5 x 5 cm or 10 x 15 cm.

**12.2 Application**

- Wash hands thoroughly before applying Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution.
- Take out dropper from plastic bag (provided in the pack) and fill it on the bottle B.

- Apply 3.5 ml of this solution with help of the dropper on the 5 x 5 cm dressing (inner gauze swab) to bring the dressing to earth moist conditions or as directed by the Specialist.
- Do not touch the dropper to the dressing / bandage.
- Then apply this inner gauze swab on the wound.
- Cover this inner gauze swab with outer gauze swab, which will prevent the wound area from running dry.
- Finally, tie bandage rolled gauze to secure the gauzes. Daily remove the outer gauze swab and apply Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution on inner gauze swab without removing the inner gauze swab from the wound.
- Change the outer gauze swab daily and inner gauze swab on every alternate day or as per your Doctor's advice.
- The Reconstituted Solution should not be used after 14 days of mixing/reconstitution.

**13. Overdosage**

Since there is no absorption from the site of topical application, no untoward systemic effects are expected.

**14. Presentation**

Diperochloric Acid Topical Solution is presented as

**Bottle A:**  
The 8 ml HDPE bottle consisting of 7.5 ml Diperochloric Acid concentrate.

**Bottle B:**  
The 30 ml HDPE bottle consisting of 22.5 ml Sterile Sodium Chloride Solution BP 0.9% w/v (Cutaneous Solution).

**This also contains:**

- 1) Inner Gauze Swab (Sterile) - 1 Pouch (7 Numbers)
- 2) Outer Gauze Swab (Sterile) - 1 Pouch (7 Numbers)
- 3) Microtape - 1 Number
- 4) Bandage Rolled Gauze (Sterile) - 7 Numbers
- 5) Glass Dropper - 1 Number

**15. Storage instruction:**

**Bottle A – 7.5 ml Diperochloric Acid Concentrate Solution:**  
Store at a temperature not exceeding 25°C.

**Bottle B – 22.5 ml Sterile Sodium Chloride Solution BP 0.9% w/v [Cutaneous Solution]:**  
Store at a temperature not exceeding 25°C.

**Reconstituted Solution:** After mixing content of Bottle A in the content of Bottle B in Bottle B, Solution should not be used after 14 days of reconstitution and should be stored at a temperature not exceeding 25°C.

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