b. Quantitative particulars are required as the product is unofficial. As the products are powders for internal administration, the quantitative particulars will be expressed per powder:

Each powder contains:

Bendroflumethiazide BP 2.5 mg Lactose BP 197.5 mg

- c. 'Store in a dry place' will need to be added to the label as the products are individual dose powders.
- d. 'Take the contents of ONE powder each morning in water.'
- e. Not applicable.
- The products are individual unit dose powders and so will attract a 3month discard date.

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Bendroflumethiazide Powders 2.5 mg

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Take the contents of ONE powder each morning in water.

Discard after (3 months) Store in a dry place

Each powder contains:

Bendroflumethiazide BP 2.5 mg Lactose BP 197.5 mg

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7. The patient would be advised to take the contents of one powder each morning in water. In addition, the discard date and the need to store the product in a dry place would be highlighted to the patient.

14. Imipramine 50 mg capsules

- 1. The product is used to treat nocturnal enuresis in children (*British National Formulary* 51st edn, p 198).
- 2. This is an unofficial preparation, therefore the formula will need to be checked to ensure that it is safe and suitable for use. Imipramine is used to treat nocturnal enuresis (for children aged 8–11 years) at a dose of 25–50 mg at bedtime (*British National Formulary* 51st edn, p 198). Lactose BP is a suitable diluent unless the patient is lactose-intolerant. Therefore the preparation is safe and suitable for the intended purpose.
- 3. Prepare 6 imipramine 50 mg capsules.

Calculations

	1 capsule	10 capsules	
Imipramine Hydrochloride BP	50 mg	500 mg	
Lactose BP	150 mg	1500 mg	

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- a. Not applicable.
- b. Lactose BP is used as a diluent (so long as the patient is not lactose-intolerant).