



SUGGESTED FORMULA

Caffeine Citrate 20mg/mL Oral Solution

Version number: 1.0

Volume: 100 mL

Caffeine Citrate, USP 2 g

Potassium Sorbate 0.1 g

Sodium Citrate, Anhydrous 2 g

Sorbitol (optional) 20 g

Water, Purified, USP qs 100 mL

Note: The ratio of therapeutic doses of caffeine base to its citrate salt is 1:2. This formulation is equivalent to 10mg/mL anhydrous caffeine.

SUGGESTED COMPOUNDING PROCEDURES

- 1. Calculate the required quantity of each ingredient for the total amount to be prepared.
- 2. Accurately weigh and/or measure each ingredient.
- 3. Dissolve Caffeine Citrate, Potassium Sorbate, Sodium Citrate and Sorbitol (if used) in about 90mL of purified water.
- 4. Dissolve Acetylcysteine into step 3.
- 5. Bring to final volume with purified water and mix well.
- 6. Package in amber container and label.
- 7. Quality Assessments:
 - a. Weight to volume calculation
 - b. Clarity
 - c. Color

Store in air-tight containers.

Store refrigerated.

No claims are made as to the safety or efficacy of this preparation. This formulation is provided solely at the unsolicited request of the pharmacist.

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products, organoleptic observations and current USP guidelines. Compounders may have stability studies performed by a reputable laboratory if they wish to extend the Beyond-Use Date. It is recommended that you follow USP <795> recommendations for potency testing.

Assign Beyond-Use Date per current standards in USP Chapter <795>.

Precautions should be taken to prevent cross-contamination and exposure of ingredients to the compounder and contamination of the preparation by the compounder. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Use safety enclosures (hoods) when weighing and mixing.

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