Technical Specifications

Micronutrient tablets for pregnant and lactating women, container of 1000

General Description
Micronutrient film coated tablets, Pregnancy and Lactation, bottle of 1000

Lead time: For orders with quantities higher than 5,000 ea, we recommend that you contact your warehouse customer services focal point in UNICEF Supply Division to obtain a realistic lead-time.

Indications
Vitamin and mineral supplement for pregnant and lactating women, to prevent micronutrient deficiencies.

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Each tablet contains:
- Retinol (vitamin A) 800 RE
- Vitamin E 10 mg
- Vitamin D 200 I.U. (5 mcg)
- Vitamin B1 1.4 mg
- Vitamin B2 1.4 mg
- Niacin 18 mg
- Vitamin B6 1.9 mg
- Vitamin B12 2.6 mcg
- Folic Acid 400 mcg
- Vitamin C 70 mg
- Iron 30 mg (as ferrous fumarate or ferrous sulphate)
- Zinc 15 mg
- Copper 2 mg
- Selenium 65 mcg
- Iodine 150 mcg

Active ingredients shall comply with one of the following Pharmacopoeias:
BP, Ph. Eur., Ph. Int., USP

Add limits of components

Tablets shall comply with the following monograph: Oil- and Water Soluble Vitamins with Minerals Tablets, USP

Folic acid dissolution testing as per monograph USP is required.

Statement of quality
UNICEF enforces strict quality standards starting from raw materials to movement of the finished pharmaceutical product throughout the supply chain.
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Quality refers to the bioavailability, chemical, microbiological physical and stability attributes that a pharmaceutical product should maintain if it is to be deemed suitable for supplementary use. The term is also used to convey the properties of identity, strength, purity, efficacy and safety.

Packaging and labelling
Refer to UNICEF Technical Requirements for Pharmaceuticals, www.unicef.org/supply/index_52844.html

Packed in a tamper-evident container of 1000 tablets.

Proposed label text
Pregnancy and Lactation Micronutrient tablets
Vitamin and mineral supplement for pregnant and lactating women
Storage: In conditions as established by the stability studies.
Keep out of reach of children.

Comprimés de micronutrient pour grossesse et allaitement
Complément vitaminé et minéral pour les femmes enceintes et allaitantes
Conservation: Dans les conditions telles que définies et validées par les études de stabilité.
Tenir hors de la portée des enfants