

QV[®] BATH OIL**Dry skin conditions including eczema, psoriasis, ichthyosis, and pruritus**

▶ TO THE SKIN

- ▶ Neonate: 5 mL/bath, alternatively, to be applied to wet skin and rinse.

- ▶ Child 1–11 months: 5 mL/bath, alternatively, to be applied to wet skin and rinse
- ▶ Child 1–17 years: 10 mL/bath, alternatively, to be applied to wet skin and rinse

QV[®] GENTLE WASH**Dry skin conditions including eczema, psoriasis, ichthyosis, and pruritus**

▶ TO THE SKIN

- ▶ Child: To be used as a soap substitute

ZEROLATUM[®]**Dry skin conditions | Dermatitis | Ichthyosis**

▶ TO THE SKIN

- ▶ Child 1 month–11 years: 5–10 mL/bath
- ▶ Child 12–17 years: 15–20 mL/bath

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

These preparations make the skin and surfaces slippery—particular care is needed when bathing.

MHRA/CHM ADVICE (UPDATED DECEMBER 2018): EMOLLIENTS: NEW INFORMATION ABOUT RISK OF SEVERE AND FATAL BURNS WITH PARAFFIN-CONTAINING AND PARAFFIN-FREE EMOLLIENTS See Emollient and barrier preparations p. 765.

- **DIRECTIONS FOR ADMINISTRATION** Emollient bath additives should be added to bath water; hydration can be improved by soaking in the bath for 10–20 minutes. Some bath emollients can be applied to wet skin undiluted and rinsed off. Emollient preparations contained in tubs should be removed with a clean spoon or spatula to reduce bacterial contamination of the emollient. Emollients should be applied in the direction of hair growth to reduce the risk of folliculitis.

- **MEDICINAL FORMS** There can be variation in the licensing of different medicines containing the same drug.

Bath additive

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EXCIPIENTS: May contain Acetylated lanolin alcohols, cetostearyl alcohol (including cetyl and stearyl alcohol), fragrances, isopropyl palmitate

- ▶ **Cetaben** (Genus Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
Liquid paraffin light 828 mg per 1 gram Cetaben emollient 82.8% bath additive | 500 ml [GSL] £5.75 DT = £5.75
- ▶ **Dermalo** (Dermal Laboratories Ltd)
Acetylated wool alcohols 50 mg per 1 gram, Liquid paraffin 650 mg per 1 gram Dermal bath emollient | 500 ml [GSL] £3.44
- ▶ **Doublebase** (Dermal Laboratories Ltd)
Liquid paraffin 650 mg per 1 gram Doublebase emollient bath additive | 500 ml [GSL] £5.45 DT = £5.45
- ▶ **E45 emollient bath** (Forum Health Products Ltd)
E45 emollient bath oil | 500 ml £5.29
- ▶ **Hydromol** (Alliance Pharmaceuticals Ltd)
Isopropyl myristate 130 mg per 1 ml, Liquid paraffin light 378 mg per 1 ml Hydromol Bath & Shower emollient | 350 ml £3.91 | 500 ml £4.46 | 1000 ml £8.87
- ▶ **LPL** (Huxley Europe Ltd)
Liquid paraffin light 634 mg per 1 ml LPL 63.4 bath additive and emollient | 500 ml £3.13 DT = £5.80
- ▶ **Oilatum** (Thornton & Ross Ltd)
Liquid paraffin light 634 mg per 1 ml Oilatum Bath Formula | 150 ml [GSL] £2.95 DT = £2.95 | 300 ml [GSL] £5.02 DT = £5.02 | Oilatum Emollient | 500 ml [GSL] £5.80 DT = £5.80
- ▶ **Oilatum junior** (Thornton & Ross Ltd)
Liquid paraffin light 634 mg per 1 ml Oilatum Junior bath additive | 150 ml [GSL] £2.95 DT = £2.95 | 300 ml [GSL] £5.02 DT = £5.02 | 600 ml [GSL] £7.34 DT = £7.34

- ▶ **QV** (Crawford Healthcare Ltd)
Liquid paraffin light 850.9 mg per 1 gram QV 85.09% bath oil | 250 ml £2.93 | 500 ml £4.79
- ▶ **Zerolatum** (Thornton & Ross Ltd)
Acetylated wool alcohols 50 mg per 1 gram, Liquid paraffin 650 mg per 1 gram Zerolatum Emollient bath additive | 500 ml £4.79

Gel

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- ▶ **Doublebase** (Dermal Laboratories Ltd)
Isopropyl myristate 150 mg per 1 gram, Liquid paraffin 150 mg per 1 gram Doublebase Dayleve gel | 100 gram [P] £2.65 DT = £2.65 | 500 gram [P] £6.29 DT = £5.83
Doublebase gel | 100 gram [P] £2.65 DT = £2.65 | 500 gram [P] £5.83 DT = £5.83 | 1000 gram [P] £10.98
Doublebase emollient wash gel | 200 gram [P] £5.21
Doublebase emollient shower gel | 200 gram [P] £5.21

Cream

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- ▶ **Emollient bath and shower products, paraffin-containing (Non-proprietary)**
Phenoxyethanol 10 mg per 1 gram, Liquid paraffin 60 mg per 1 gram, Emulsifying wax 90 mg per 1 gram, White soft paraffin 150 mg per 1 gram, Purified water 690 mg per 1 gram Aqueous cream | 100 gram [GSL] £1.41 DT = £0.94 | 500 gram [GSL] £6.35 DT = £4.70

Wash

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EXCIPIENTS: May contain Cetostearyl alcohol (including cetyl and stearyl alcohol), hydroxybenzoates (parabens), polysorbates

- ▶ **Aquamax** (Intrapharm Laboratories Ltd)
Aquamax wash | 250 gram £2.99
- ▶ **E45 emollient wash** (Forum Health Products Ltd)
E45 emollient wash cream | 250 ml £3.30
- ▶ **QV Gentle** (Crawford Healthcare Ltd)
QV Gentle wash | 250 ml £3.19 | 500 ml £5.32

Emollient bath and shower products, soya-bean oil-containing**● INDICATIONS AND DOSE****BALNEUM[®] BATH OIL****Dry skin conditions including those associated with dermatitis and eczema**

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- ▶ Neonate: 5–15 mL/bath, not to be used undiluted.

- ▶ Child 1–23 months: 5–15 mL/bath, not to be used undiluted
- ▶ Child 2–17 years: 20–60 mL/bath, not to be used undiluted

BALNEUM[®] PLUS BATH OIL**Dry skin conditions including those associated with dermatitis and eczema where pruritus also experienced**

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- ▶ Child 2–17 years: 10–20 mL/bath, alternatively, to be applied to wet skin and rinse

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