Product Summary

1. **Trade Name of the Medicinal Product**
   
   Lactic Acid 5% Pessaries BP

2. **Qualitative and Quantitative Composition**
   
   Lactic Acid BP 5% w/w

3. **Pharmaceutical Form**
   
   Pessaries

Clinical Particulars

4.1 **Therapeutic Indications**

   For the treatment of leucorrhoea.

4.2 **Posology and Method of Administration**

   To be inserted high into the vagina.

   **Adults**

   One pessary to be inserted once or twice daily or as recommended by the physician.

   **Children**

   The product is not recommended for use in children.

4.3 **Contra-indications**

   None known.

4.4 **Special Warnings and Precautions for Use**

   If symptoms persist consult your doctor.

4.5 **Interaction with other Medicaments and other forms of Interaction**

   None known.
4.6 Pregnancy and Lactation

No evidence of harmful effect is known.

4.7 Effects on Ability to Drive and Use Machines

Not applicable.

4.8 Undesirable Effects

None known.

4.9 Overdose

Not applicable.

Pharmacological Properties

5.1 Pharmacodynamic Properties

Lactic Acid 5% Pessaries is a well established preparation reference to them has been available in the BPC, BP Martindale and BNF for a number of years.

They modify vaginal acidity helping to maintain or re-establish the normal vaginal flora and in doing so may bring relief to the condition of leucorrhoea.

5.2 Pharmacokinetic Properties

None know.

Lactic Acid is a natural secretion of the vagina.

5.3 Preclinical Safety Data

There are no additional preclinical data of relevance to the prescriber other than those stated elsewhere in the document.

Pharmaceutical Particulars

6.1 List of Excipients

Gelatin, Glycerol and Purified Water.

6.2 Incompatibilities
None known.

6.3 Shelf-life

24 months unopened.

6.4 Special Precautions for Storage

Store below 25°C in a dry place.

6.5 Nature and Contents of Container

Hydrophobic paper lined cardboard box containing 12, 36, 50, 100, 144 or 150 pessaries.

6.6 Instruction for Use/Handling

None stated.

Administration Details

7. Marketing Authorization Holder

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8. Marketing Authorization Number

PL 00156/0070

9. Date of First Authorization/Renewal of Authorization

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10. Date of (Partial) Revision of the Text

Not applicable