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## MONOCINQUE® MONOCINQUE® RETARD

*Menarini*

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### GENERIC NAME

Isosorbide-5-mononitrate

### COMPOSITION

**Tablets:** Isosorbide-5-mononitrate 40 mg.

**Capsules "Retard":** Isosorbide-5-mononitrate 50 mg.

### INDICATIONS

Monocinque® has two advantages with respect to isosorbide dinitrate: better bioavailability after oral administration and longer-lasting effects. The Monocinque® Retard delayed release formula assures therapeutically effective serum levels for 24 hours with a single daily dose. The drug is particularly indicated in the long-term treatment of coronary diseases. Maintenance treatment of coronary insufficiency, prophylaxis in the treatment of angina pectoris attacks, post-myocardial infarction treatment, maintenance treatment of chronic myocardial insufficiency also associated with diuretics and cardiotonics.

### DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

*Tablets:* 1/2 to 1 tablet 2-3 times daily.

*Capsules "Retard":* 1 capsule daily in the morning.

### SHELF-LIFE/STORAGE INSTRUCTIONS

Shelf-life: Monocinque® 5 years; Monocinque® Retard 3 years.

Store in a dry place.

### PACKAGE

*Tablets:* box of 30 scored tablets (40 mg).

*Delayed release capsules:* box of 30 capsules (50 mg).