Ferrous salt

General description

Ferrous salts are iron compounds used to prevent and treat iron deficiency anaemia.

ATC codes	B03AA07 B03AA02
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Iron deficiency anaemia
Wikipedia	Ferrous salt
DrugBank	Ferrous salt (Iron)

Recommendations

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- Oral > Liquid: 25 mg per mL elemental iron; 9 mg per mL elemental iron
- Oral > Solid > tablet: 60 to 65 mg elemental iron

Indications

Iron deficiency anaemia