Suramin sodium

General description

Suramin sodium is an antiparasitic drug used for the treatment of african trypanosomiasis.

INN	Suramin sodium
ATC codes	P01CX02
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 1977 (TRS 615) for Rhodesiense trypanosomiasis Changed in 1977 (TRS 615) for Filariasis Removed in 2011 (TRS 965) for Filariasis
Wikipedia	Suramin sodium
DrugBank	Suramin sodium (Suramin)

Recommendations

Section Medicines for the treatment of 1st stage African trypanosomiasis

- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 1 g in vial

Indications

Rhodesiense trypanosomiasis

Section Antifilarials

- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 1 g in vial

Indications

Filariasis