# **PRESCRIBING INFORMATION**

# **ODAN-ROSE**

**Rose Bengal 1% Ophthalmic Solution** 

**Sterile Diagnostic Agent for Professional Use** 

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#### **DESCRIPTION**

ODAN-ROSE (Rose Bengal ophthalmic solution) is a sterile aqueous solution for topical use as a diagnostic aid. The product is designated for professional use only.

#### **CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY**

As a vital stain, ODAN-ROSE stains both the nuclei and cell walls of dead or degenerated epithelial cells of the cornea and conjunctiva. Rose Bengal will also stain the mucus of the precorneal tear film.

#### INDICATIONS AND CLINICAL USE

ODAN-ROSE is used as a diagnostic agent in routine ocular examinations or when superficial conjunctiva or corneal tissue change is suspected. ODAN-ROSE ophthalmic solution can also serve as an effective aid in the diagnosis of keratoconjunctivitis sicca, keratitis, abrasions or corrosions as well as the detection of foreign bodies.

#### CONTRAINDICATIONS

ODAN-ROSE is contraindicated in patients who have shown hypersensitivity to Rose Bengal or to any other component of the preparation.

# WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- Product may cause local irritation or stinging sensation.
- Rose Bengal can stain exposed skin, clothing and soft contact lenses.
- Patients should be advised of temporary colored staining of the eye, dye needs to be washed out after the examination.

# DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Instill 1 or 2 drops in the eye prior to examination.

#### STORAGE AND STABILITY

Store at room temperature 15° - 30°C.

# DOSAGE FORMS, COMPOSITION AND PACKAGING

ODAN-ROSE sterile solution contains Rose Bengal 1% (10 mg/mL), and the following non-medicinal ingredients: octoxynol-9, povidone, sodium borate, sodium chloride and water. Available in 5 mL plastic dropper bottles.