

Presentation: Z-Sil® 100 ml and 200 ml syrup: Each 5 ml contains Zinc Sulphate monohydrate USP equivalent to 10 mg of elemental Zinc. **Description:** Zinc is an important element for our body. It is an essential component of various enzyme including carbonic anhydrase, alkaline phosphatase etc. Deficiency sign of Zinc: Growth failure, delayed wound healing, anaemia, loss of taste acuity, diarrhoea, mental apathy, dermatitis, loss of hair etc. **Indications**: Z-Sil<sup>®</sup> is indicated for the following conditions: Loss of appetite, growth retardation, RTI, dermatitis, diarrhoea, immunological dysfunction, psychological disturbances, impaired spermatogenesis, congenital malabsorption, defective and delayed wound healing, acrodermatitis enteropathica. Dosage: Children under 10 kg: 1-2 teaspoonful daily in divided doses. Children within 10 to 30 kg: 2 teaspoonful 1-3 times daily. Adults & children over 30 kg: 4 teaspoonful 1-3 times daily. Or, as advised by the physician. Side effects: Zinc salts may cause mild abdominal pain and dyspepsia.  $\mbox{\bf Drug\ interaction:}$  Zinc and Tetracyclines may inhibit each other's absorption if given concurrently. When both are being given, an interval of at least 3 hours should be maintained. Pharmaceutical precautions: Store in a cool & dry place, protect from light. Commercial pack: Amber glass bottle containing 100 ml and 200 ml Z-Sil® syrup.

