

NITRAZEPAM ORAL SUSPENSION 1 MG/ML

Ingredient	Quantity
Nitrazepam 5 mg	20 tablets
Ora Blend®	qs 100 mL

Equipment:

- mortar and pestle
- calibrated graduate
- stirring rod
- amber plastic bottle

Storage:

- Room Temperature
- Protect from light

Stability:

90 days

Procedure:

- 1. Using mortar and pestle pulverize tablets into a fine powder.
- 2. Add approximately 10 mL of vehicle and mix to a uniform paste.
- 3. Gradually add vehicle. Stir after each addition and transfer to graduated cylinder.
- 4. Qs to final volume. Mix thoroughly.
- 5. Transfer to amber plastic bottle.
- 6. Shake well and label.

Sample Label:

Nitrazepam 1 mg/mL Oral Suspension

Storage: Date Prepared: Shake Well Expiry Date:

Quantity: 100 mL

References:

Hospital for Sick Children *pending stability study*

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