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### **Abridged Drug Information**

**Name of drug:** CARBOTOX tablets. **Composition:** One tablet contains carbo activatus 320 mg and natrii thiosulfas 25 mg. **Pharmaceutical form:** Tablet. **Therapeutic indications:** Acute diarrhoea caused by food poisoning, flatulence, indigestion, irritable bowel syndrome, ulcerative colitis, gastritis, gastroenteritis, and diagnostic investigation of the gall bladder and bile ducts. The drug is intended for treatment of adults, adolescents and children over 3 years of age. **Dosage and method of administration:** *Adults and adolescents:* The usual dose is 2-3 tablets 3-4 times daily. *Children from 3 years of age:* The usual dose is 2-3 tablets 3-4 times daily. Tablets should be swallowed whole with a small amount of water or allowed to disintegrate in a small amount of water. Administration to children: always in the form of a suspension; one dose should be swallowed with a glass of water or warm tea. **Contraindications:** The drug is not intended for treatment of children below 3 years of age. **Special precautions:** CARBOTOX may cause blackening of stools that may mask gastrointestinal bleeding. The drugs may decrease the absorption and thus the effect of other drugs administered orally, and therefore an interval of at least two hours should be maintained between the administration of CARBOTOX and other drugs. Women using oral contraceptives should be secured by another method of contraception while taking CARBOTOX. CARBOTOX is not sufficient in treatment of infectious diarrhoea. Patients with rare hereditary fructose intolerance, glucose-galactose malabsorption or sucrose-isomaltase deficiency must not use this drug. **Drug and other interactions:** Concurrent administration of CARBOTOX and oral medicinal products is not appropriate as their absorption could be clearly limited. **Use in pregnancy and lactation:** CARBOTOX can be used during pregnancy and lactation. **Effects on ability to drive or use machines:** None. **Adverse events:** slowed absorption rate of concomitantly administered oral drugs, blackening of stools. **Packaging:** 20 tablets. **Marketing authorisation holder:** IMUNA PHARM, a.s., Jarková 17, 082 22 Šarišské Michaľany, Slovenská republika. **Method of dispensing:** The drug is not subject to medical prescription. **Detailed information is provided in the Summary of Product Characteristics of CARBOTOX. Date of the last revision of the text:** May 2014.