

March 1, 2017

**Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory announces additional tube size for
Oronine[®] H Ointment
(available from March 7 in a 50-g tube size)**

Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Inc. announces that the antiseptic Oronine[®] H Ointment for the treatment of minor skin conditions and injuries is to become available in a new volume – a 50-g laminated tube size.

Since its introduction in 1953, for more than 60 years Oronine H Ointment has been used as a household antiseptic medicine in Japan and the product achieved its highest-ever sales in fiscal year 2014.

Oronine H Ointment is also available in bottles; however, tube sales in particular have been increasing, contributing to overall growth of the brand, because of the ease of portability of the tubes. The new 50-g tube size is launched in response to customer requests for a larger size than the 11-g tube size. The new size features a standing-tube type with a one-touch cap which is easy to use and removable, more convenient for carrying outside.

The Otsuka Group strives to help improve the health of people around the world on the basis of its corporate philosophy of, “Otsuka-people creating new products for better health worldwide.”

Product information, including for the 50-g tube size

The new 50-g laminated tube size, a standing-tube type (available in a brown individual box), with the same box and tube design of the 11-g tube size.

It is scheduled to go on sale from March 7, 2017 in stores (shipment commenced on March 1, 2017)

Product name	Oronine [®] H Ointment 50-g tube
Volume	50g
Price	600 JPY (excluding tax)
Expiration date	5 years from date of manufacture



【 Oronine official website: <http://www.otsuka.co.jp/ohn/>】

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Product Information

Brand name	Oronine [®] H Ointment
Packaging sizes	11-g tube 50-g tube (new size) 20-g tube (through special distribution channels) 30-g bottle, 100-g bottle, 250-g bottle, 500-g bottle
Category	Type-2 OTC drugs
Indications	Acne, eruptions, minor burns, chapped skin, chilblains, minor cuts, dry athlete's foot, ringworm
Active ingredient (per gram)	Each gram of Oronine H Ointment contains 20% chlorhexidine gluconate solution, 10mg
Dosage and administration	For external use only. Rub into the affected area two or three times per day until the white color of the ointment disappears. Depending on the symptoms, apply ointment with gauze, absorbent cotton or with clean fingertips directly to the affected area.
Distributed by	Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.
Manufactured and Distributed by	Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Inc.

Company Profile

Otsuka Pharmaceutical Factory, Inc.

Established	:	October 7, 1969
Capital	:	80 million yen
President	:	Shinichi Ogasawara, President and Representative Director
Head Office	:	115 Kuguhara, Tateiwa, Muya-cho, Naruto, Tokushima 772-8601, Japan
Employees	:	2,309 (as of December 31, 2016)
Business Description	:	Manufacture and sale of pharmaceutical and nutrition products
URL	:	http://www.otsukakj.jp/