Glycovil Cream

Glycolic Acid 6% Cream

Introduction

This Glycolic Acid 6% Cream is a dermatologically tested exfoliating and skinrenewing formulation that helps improve skin texture, tone, and clarity. Glycolic Acid, an alpha hydroxy acid (AHA), is known for its keratolytic properties, which help in removing dead skin cells, unclogging pores, and stimulating collagen production. This cream is designed to brighten dull skin, reduce fine lines, and improve acneprone or hyperpigmented skin.

Composition

Each gram of cream contains:

• Glycolic Acid: 6%

Pharmacological Profile

1. Glycolic Acid (6%) – AHA-Based Skin Exfoliant

Overview:

Glycolic Acid is a **water-soluble alpha hydroxy acid (AHA)** derived from sugarcane. It is one of the most effective **chemical exfoliators** used in skincare.

Mechanism of Action:

- Exfoliates the skin by breaking down dead skin cell bonds, promoting natural cell turnover.
- Unclogs pores, preventing acne formation.
- Stimulates collagen production, improving skin elasticity and reducing fine lines.
- Enhances skin hydration by improving moisture retention.

Clinical Benefits:

- **Removes dead skin cells**, revealing brighter and smoother skin.
- Reduces hyperpigmentation, dark spots, and melasma.
- Minimizes acne breakouts and blackheads by keeping pores clear.
- Diminishes fine lines and early signs of aging.

Indications & Therapeutic Uses

This **Glycolic Acid 6% Cream** is recommended for:

- Dull, rough, and uneven skin texture.
- Acne-prone skin and clogged pores.
- Hyperpigmentation, melasma, and dark spots.
- Fine lines and early signs of aging.
- Keratosis pilaris and mild skin roughness.

Directions for Use

- **Application:** Apply a thin layer to clean, dry skin and massage gently until absorbed.
- Frequency: Use once daily at night or as directed by a dermatologist.
- Sun Protection: Always apply sunscreen (SPF 30 or higher) during the day when using glycolic acid, as it increases sun sensitivity.

Precautions & Warnings

- For external use only avoid contact with eyes, lips, and mucous membranes.
- Mild tingling or slight redness may occur upon application, which is normal.
- **Perform a patch test** before first use, especially for sensitive skin.
- Not suitable for individuals with very sensitive or compromised skin barriers.
- Avoid using alongside other exfoliants, retinoids, or harsh skincare products unless advised by a dermatologist.

Possible Side Effects

Although well-tolerated, some individuals may experience:

- Mild irritation, redness, or tingling sensation.
- Temporary skin dryness or peeling in initial use.
- Increased sun sensitivity, requiring strict sun protection.

Storage Instructions

- Store in a **cool, dry place** away from direct sunlight.
- Keep at room temperature (below 25°C).
- Keep out of reach of children.

Conclusion

This Glycolic Acid 6% Cream is a highly effective exfoliating and skin-renewing treatment, ideal for individuals seeking brighter, smoother, and acne-free skin. With its powerful AHA action, it gently removes dead skin cells, enhances collagen production, and reduces pigmentation and acne scars.

For best results, use consistently at night and follow with a broad-spectrum sunscreen during the day. Always consult a dermatologist for personalized guidance.

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