

# Drug Information Sheet("Kusuri-no-Shiori")

Injection

Published: 07/2015

The information on this sheet is based on approvals granted by the Japanese regulatory authority. Approval details may vary by country. Medicines have adverse reactions (risks) as well as efficacies (benefits). It is important to minimize adverse reactions and maximize efficacy. To obtain a better therapeutic response, patients should understand their medication and cooperate with the treatment.

**Brand name:**LEUCON INJECTION 20mg

**Active ingredient:**Adenine

**Dosage form:**injection

**Print on wrapping:**



## Effects of this medicine

This medicine is taken up by RNA or DNA in bone marrow cells to be used for synthesis of nucleic acid. It subsequently suppresses decrease of leucocytes and increases the leucocytes.

It is usually used to treat leukopenia induced by exposure to irradiation or drugs.

## Before using this medicine, be sure to tell your doctor and pharmacist

- If you have previously experienced any allergic reactions (itch, rash, etc.) to any medicines.  
If you have gout or urinary calculus.
- If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.
- If you are taking any other medicinal products. (Some medicines may interact to enhance or diminish medicinal effects. Beware of over-the-counter medicines and dietary supplements as well as other prescription medicines.)

## Dosing schedule (How to take this medicine)

- Your dosing schedule prescribed by your doctor is<< to be written by a healthcare professional>>
- In general, administer intramuscularly or intravenously.
- The treatment span depends on the therapeutic effects of this medicine.

## Precautions while taking this medicine

## Possible adverse reactions to this medicine

The most commonly reported adverse reactions include rash, itching, nausea and headache. If any of these symptoms occur, consult with your doctor or pharmacist.

**The symptoms described below are rarely seen as initial symptoms of the adverse reactions indicated in brackets. If any of these symptoms occur, stop taking this medicine and see your doctor immediately.**

- sudden swelling of the joint of the first toe with severe pain, fever [hyperuricemia, gout]
- lower back pain, back pain, bloody urine, decreased urine output [urinary calculus, acute kidney failure]

**The above symptoms do not describe all the adverse reactions to this medicine. Consult with your doctor or pharmacist if you notice any symptoms of concern other than those listed above.**

## Storage conditions and other information

**For healthcare professional use only** / /

For further information, talk to your doctor or pharmacist.

SIE①