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API: active product ingredient.

BLT: Buoyancy Lag Time

CO_2 : Carbon Dioxide

CRGRDF: Controlled Release Gastric Retentive Drug Floating system

CDC: Center for Disease Control and Prevention

CBC: Complete Blood Count

CR: Controlled Release

DMT: Divalent Metal Transporter

EAR: Estimated Average Requirement

FLT: Floating Lag Time

FDDS: Floating Drug Delivery SystemFDA: Food and Drug Administration

GIDS: Gastric Intra Drug Delivery System

GIT: Gastro Intestinal Tract

GRT: Gastric Retention Time

GET: Gastric Emptying Time

GRDDS: Gastric Retentive Drug Delivery System

HPMC: Hydroxyl Propyl Methyl Cellulose

HBS: Hydrodynamic Balanced System

HCL : Hydrochloric acid

HA: Hydroxyl Amine

H_2SO_4 : Sulfuric acid

ID: Iron Deficiency

KCL: potassium chloride

MMC: Migrating Myo-electric Complex

MCH: Ministry Clinic Health Center

MOH: Ministry of Health

MCC: Micro Crystalline Cellulose

$NaHCO_3$: Sodium bicarbonate

PVP: Poly Vinyl PyrrolidoneQT: Quality Control Test

RDA: Recommended Dietary Allowance

RLS: Restless Leg Syndrome

RBC: Red Blood Cells

SR: Sustained Release

TFT: Total Floating Time

UL: Upper Tolerance Level

USP: United States Pharmacopeia

WHO: World Health Organization