

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Ambu® Neuline™ Ground, 700, 710, 715 Neurology surface electrodes

Single-use

Abridged version - eng.

Read these safety instructions carefully before using the Ambu® Neuline™ Ground, 700, 710, 715 Neurology surface electrodes.

The instruction for use may be updated without further notice. Copies of the instruction for use or a revised version of it are available. Please be aware that these instructions do not explain or discuss clinical procedures. They describe only the basic operation and precautions related to the operation of the electrodes.

There is no warranty on the Ambu Neuline Ground, 700, 710, 715 Neurology surface electrodes.

1. Intended use
Ambu Neuroline Ground electrode is to ensure the presence of the same electrical potential at ampoules and the measuring point during a neurophysiological examination of muscles and/or nerves.

Ambu Neuline solid gel electrodes are applied directly to patient's skin to record physiological signals.

1.2. Indications for use
The Ambu Neuroline Ground and Neuline solid gel electrodes are indicated when there is a need for neurophysiological before applications of muscles and/or nerves to investigate neurophysiological abnormalities.

1.3. Intended patient population
The Ambu Neuroline Ground and Neuline solid gel electrodes are intended to be used for adults (age 22 and up) and pediatrics (from birth through the age of 21).

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1.4. Intended user/e environment
The intended user is healthcare professional trained in neurophysiological examinations.

The electrode is for use in a hospital clinic setting.

1.5. Contra indications
None known.

1.6. Clinical benefits
Ambu Neuroline Ground facilitates neurophysiological examination by ensuring the presence of the same signal at the measuring point and the acquisition system.

Ambu Neuline solid gel electrodes (700, 710 and 715)
Facilitates neurophysiological examination through detecting and transmitting the signal to the acquisition system.

1.7. Warnings and cautions
WARNINGS

- Surface electrodes should be applied only to intact, clean skin (e.g., not over open wounds, lesions, infected or inflamed areas).
- For single use only. Reuse of the product may cause contamination, leading to infection.
- Do not use the electrode for electrical stimulation as this may lead to patient discomfort/skin burn.
- Do not use the electrode on patient with body weight less than 2.5 kg as this may lead to severe irritation (Ambu Neuroline Ground only).

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- To minimize the risk of skin irritation, when replacing electrodes find a new area of skin on which to place them.
- Electrodes should only be used by in consultation with a health care provider familiar with their proper placement and use.
- Electrodes may damage the skin if removed carelessly.
- Do not soak, rinse, or sterilize the electrodes as these procedures may leave residues or cause malfunction of the electrodes.
- During surgical procedures electrodes should be placed as far as possible from the electro-surgical area to minimize unwanted RF current flow.
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Duration of use
The duration of use is 2 to 8 hours.

Open pouch shelf life
Open pouch shelf life for Ambu Neuroline 715 is 7 days.

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1.8. Undesirable side effects
Skin irritation, skin redness, epidermal skin stripping, skin allergic and skin burn.

1.9. General notes
This document is a technical document and as a result of its use, a serious incident has occurred. Please report it to the manufacturer and to your national authority.

2. Device description
The Ambu Neuroline Ground and Neuline solid gel electrodes are non-sterile single-use products consisting of a sensor element, a conductive and adhesive solid gel, a fibre, and a cover pad composed of a pre-attached lead wire with connector which enables connection to a neurophysiological acquisition system.

3. Explanation of symbols used

Symbol	Description	Symbol	Description
	Medical Device		Prescription use only
	UK Conformity Assessed		UK Responsible Person
	Importer (For products imported into Great Britain only)		
	Date of Manufacture		Country of Manufacture

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Duration of use
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Shave the patient if the skin surface at which the electrodes have to be placed is covered with hair. Prepare the skin using an abrasive. Clean the skin with alcohol and allow the alcohol to evaporate. Peel the electrode from its protective liner and apply. The electrode can be repositioned for other measurements.

Connect the lead wire to the acquisition system.

After monitoring remove the electrode from the skin. Should the electrode be difficult to remove use water to dissolve the adhesive.

Self-adhesive electrodes should be replaced if they no longer stick firmly to the skin.

Gel residue can be removed using paper towels or water.

Electrodes in an opened pouch may dry out. Therefore do not open pouch until necessary.

The electrodes are disposable and must be disposed of according to local hospital procedures.

5. Technical product specifications

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1. Dôležité informace – Před použitím čtěte
Před použitím povrchových elektrod Ambu® Neuline™ Ground, 700, 710, 715 Neurology si nejprve pozorně přečtěte tyto bezpečnostní pokyny. Tento návod k použití může být aktualizován bez předchozího oznámení. Pokud k tomu dojde, budete si muset být vědomi, že tento návod nevytvěříte klinické postupy a ani se jimi nezabývá. Popisuje pouze základní úkony a špatně srozumitelné používání elektrod.

Na povrchové elektrody Ambu Neuline Ground, 700, 710, 715 Neurology se nezahrnuje žádná záruka.

1.1. Určené použití
Elektroda Ambu Neuroline Ground slouží k zjištění vhodného elektrického potenciálu a amplitudy u pacientů s poruchami v oblasti nervů a/nebo svalů.

1.2. Indikace pro použití
Elektroda Ambu Neuroline Ground a gelové elektrody Neurology jsou indikovány v případech, kdy je žádoucí neurofysiologické vyšetření svalů nebo nervů za účelem posouzení neurofysiologických abnormalit.

1.3. Určená populace pacientů
Elektroda Ambu Neuroline Ground a gelové elektrody Neurology jsou určeny k použití u dospělých (od 22 let*) a dětí (od narození do 21 let**).

^{*}Věkové kategorie vycházejí z pokynů FDA: Leveraging Existing Clinical Data for Extrapolation to Pediatric Uses of Medical Devices (Sep 19, 2016).

1.4. Určeny uživateli/prostředím použití
Určeným uživatelem je zdravotnický pracovník vyškolený v provádění neurofysiologických vyšetření.

Elektrody je určená k použití v nemocnici nebo ambulantním prostředí.

1.5. Kontraindikace
Žádné nejsou známy.

1.6. Klinické přínosy
Ambu Neuroline Ground umožňuje neurofysiologické vyšetření zjištění vhodného elektrického potenciálu a amplitudy u pacientů s poruchami v oblasti nervů a/nebo svalů.

Gelové elektrody Ambu Neuroline (700, 710 a 715)
Prostředek umožňuje neurofysiologické vyšetření detekci a přenášením signálu do akvizičního systému.

1.7. Varování a upozornění
VAROVÁNÍ

- Povrchové elektrody by měly být aplikovány pouze na neporušenou čistou kůži (neměly by se např. aplikovat na otevřené rány, léze, infarktové oblasti).
- Proze pro jednorázové použití. Opakované použití výrobku může způsobit kontaminaci vedoucí k infekcím.
- Nepoužívejte elektrody