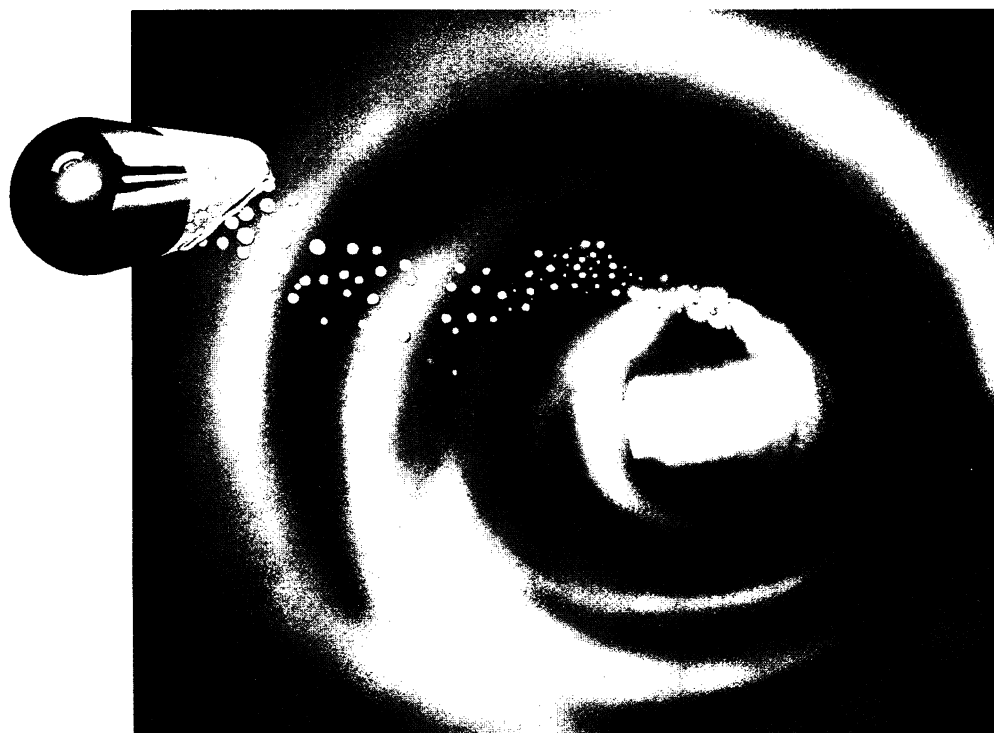


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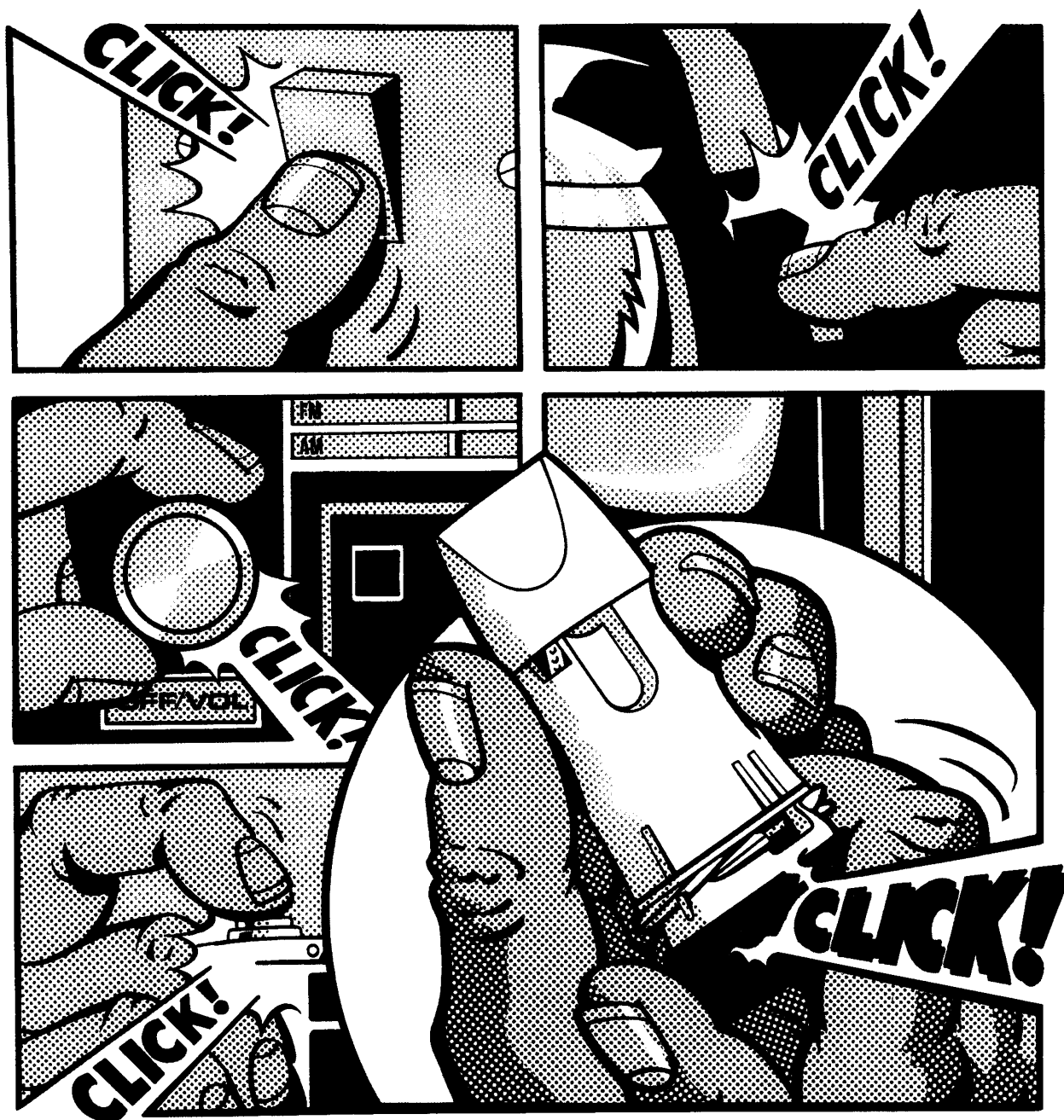
**Prescribing Information – Presentation:** Brown-yellow capsules containing enteric coated granules of pancreatin equivalent to: 9,000 BP units of amylase, 8,000 BP units of lipase, 210 BP units of protease. Available in packs of 100. Basic NHS price £13.33. **Indication:** Pancreatic exocrine insufficiency. **Dosage and administration:** Adults and children: Initially one or two capsules with meals, then adjust according to response. The capsules can be swallowed whole, or for ease of administration they may be opened and the granules taken with fluid or soft food, but without chewing. If the granules are mixed with food, it is important that they are taken immediately, otherwise dissolution of the enteric coating may result.

**Contra-indications, Warnings, etc:** Contra-indications: Substitution with pancreatic enzymes is contra-indicated in the early stages of acute pancreatitis. Warnings: Use in pregnancy: There is inadequate evidence of safety in use during pregnancy. The product is of porcine origin. Rarely cases of hyper-uricosuria and hyper-uricaemia have been reported with high doses of pancreatin. Overdosage could precipitate meconium ileus equivalent. Perianal irritation could occur, and, rarely, inflammation when large doses are used. **Product Licence Number:** 5727/0001. **Name and address of Licence Holder:** Kali Chemie Pharma GmbH, Postfach 220, D-3000, Hannover 1, West Germany.

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**Abridged Prescribing Information:**

**Presentations:** Pulmicort Turbohaler 200 – 200µg/puff dry powder inhaler containing 100 doses of budesonide. Pulmicort Turbohaler 400 – 400µg/puff dry powder inhaler containing 50 doses of budesonide. **Uses:** Bronchial asthma. **Dosage and Administration:** Individualise dose. **Adults:** 200µg-1600µg daily in divided doses. **Children:** 200µg-800µg daily in divided doses. **Maintenance:** Use lowest possible dose. Rinse mouth after each use. **Contra-indications:** None known. **Warnings, etc:** Care is needed in patients with lung tuberculosis, fungal and viral infections in the airways. Avoid administration during pregnancy. A short course of oral steroids

in addition to Pulmicort may be required in patients with excessive mucus in the bronchi. Transfer of patients dependent on oral steroids to treatment with Pulmicort demands special care. See data sheet for further details. **Side-effects:** Mild irritation in the throat; hoarseness and oral candidiasis occur in some patients. Rare cases of cataract have been reported after prolonged use of corticosteroids. **Legal Category:** POM. **Licence No:** PL 0017/0271 (400µg/puff), PL 0017/0272 (200µg/puff). **Price:** Pulmicort Turbohaler 200 and Pulmicort Turbohaler 400 £18.50. **Date of Preparation:** June 1990. For further information: Astra Pharmaceuticals Ltd., Home Park Estate, Kings Langley, Herts. WD4 8DH.