ABSTRACT

An object of the present invention is to provide an indomethacin external preparation that has an excellent use feeling and excellent absorbability and causes no phase separation into an oil layer and an aqueous layer, thus exhibiting satisfactory stability of preparation with time. Provided is an indomethacin external preparation containing: 0.1 to 3 wt% of indomethacin; 25 to 50 wt% of alcohol; 0.01 to 5 wt% of gelling agent; 5 to 30 wt% of oil component; 20 to 50 wt% of water; and 0.01 to 10 wt% of one or more components selected from the group consisting of glyceryl monostearate, sorbitan monostearate, stearyl alcohol, and polyethylene glycol monostearate.