Abstract

Transdermal therapeutic system (TTS) for delivering active ingredient through the skin to a human or animal body, comprising a matrix (5) which contains the active ingredient and has a self-adhesive active layer (2) which faces the skin and can be covered before its application with a detachable protective layer (11), and a covering layer (1) which outwardly demarcates the matrix (5) and is impermeable for active ingredient, characterized in that the active layer (2) of the matrix (5) is covered at the time of application in a part-zone (6) of its active ingredient-delivery area facing the skin with a barrier layer (3) which is impermeable for active ingredient.