



Brand Name: TELMICON-20 MG TAB Active Ingredient: Telmisartan 20mg

General Information:

TELMICON-20 MG TAB contains **Telmisartan**, a medication belonging to the **Angiotensin II receptor blocker (ARB)** class. It is primarily used to treat high blood pressure (hypertension) and reduce the risk of heart attack, stroke, and kidney damage. Telmisartan works by blocking the action of a hormone that causes blood vessels to constrict, helping to relax and widen the blood vessels, which lowers blood pressure and improves blood flow.

Indications and Uses:

- **Hypertension (high blood pressure)**: TELMICON-20 MG is used to lower blood pressure in adults and helps prevent complications such as heart disease and stroke.
- **Chronic Heart Failure**: It may be used to improve heart function in patients with heart failure.
- **Kidney Protection**: It can reduce the risk of kidney damage in patients with diabetes and high blood pressure.

- Dizziness or lightheadedness, especially when standing up suddenly
- Fatigue
- Upper respiratory tract infection (cold-like symptoms)
- Back pain

Less Common Side Effects:

- Low blood pressure (hypotension)
- Elevated blood potassium levels (hyperkalemia)
- Swelling of the feet or legs
- Nausea or abdominal discomfort

Dosage and Administration:

- **Recommended Dose**: The usual starting dose is **20mg**, taken once daily. The dose may be adjusted based on the patient's response to the medication.
- Administration: Swallow the tablet whole with a glass of water, with or without food. It is recommended to take the medication at the same time each day for the best effect.

Warnings and Precautions:

- **Kidney or Liver Issues**: If you have a history of kidney or liver disease, inform your doctor, as the medication may need to be adjusted.
- **Pregnancy and Breastfeeding**: Do not use TELMICON-20 MG during pregnancy, especially during the second and third trimesters. It is not recommended for breastfeeding mothers.
- **Electrolyte Imbalance**: TELMICON-20 MG may increase potassium levels in the blood, so regular monitoring is necessary.
- **Blood Pressure Monitoring**: Your blood pressure should be regularly monitored to ensure the medication is effective.

Drug Interactions:

- Diuretics (water pills): May increase the risk of low blood pressure or dehydration.
- NSAIDs (Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs): May reduce the effectiveness of Telmisartan.
- Lithium: Concomitant use may increase lithium toxicity.
- Other antihypertensive medications: May lead to excessive lowering of blood pressure.

Contraindications:

- Do not use if allergic to Telmisartan or any component of the tablet.
- **Pregnancy**: Not recommended during pregnancy, especially in the second and third trimesters.
- Severe liver or kidney impairment: Should not be used in patients with severe liver or kidney issues.

Dos and Don'ts:

Do:

- Take the medication as prescribed by your doctor.
- Stay hydrated and monitor your blood pressure regularly.
- Inform your healthcare provider about other medications you are using.

Don't:

- Do not stop taking the medication without consulting your doctor.
- Avoid using salt substitutes containing potassium without consulting your doctor.
- Avoid alcohol as it can increase the risk of dizziness or fainting.

Before Taking TELMICON-20 MG TAB:

Before starting this medication, inform your doctor if you have:

- Any history of heart, liver, or kidney disease
- Pregnancy or plan to become pregnant
- Any other medications or supplements you are currently taking
- Allergies to any medications

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