

Paradon-500

Paracetamol Tablets BP 500 mg

Composition:

Each uncoated tablet contains:

Paracetamol BP 500 mg

Excipients q.s.

Route of Administration:

Oral Indications: Mild to moderate pain, fever.

Side Effects:

In general, it is very well tolerated. Rarely, cutaneous hypersensitivity reactions, neutropenia, and thrombocytopenia may occur. Prolonged administration may result in nephrotoxicity or hepatotoxicity. Higher doses may cause hepatic and renal necrosis, as well as potentially fatal pancreatitis, which may occur later (3–4 days later).

Notes and Precautions:

- (1) Avoid prolonged use and consider dose reduction in patients with hepatic insufficiency, renal disease, cardiac insufficiency, pulmonary disease, chronic alcoholism, anemia, and other diseases of the hematopoietic system.
- (2) Generally well-tolerated—better tolerated than aspirin.
- (3) Devoid of anti-inflammatory activity (therefore not useful in rheumatic diseases) and does not interfere with uric acid metabolism or platelet function.
- (4) Keep the patient under prolonged observation in cases of intoxication due to the risk of developing delayed complications (as mentioned in the side effects section).
- (5) Repeated doses of Akwamol may potentiate the effects of oral hypoprothrombinemic anticoagulants; therefore, anticoagulant effects should be monitored.
- (6) It is the analgesic and antipyretic of choice during pregnancy, where therapeutic doses used for limited periods are considered safe. However, prolonged treatment with high doses may have toxic effects on the fetus.
- (7) It is excreted in breast milk; however, as it has no adverse effects on infants, it is not contraindicated during breastfeeding.

Dosage:

As directed by a physician.

Drug Classification:

Analgesics, Antipyretics, Anti-inflammatories.

Pharmacological Action:

Paracetamol possesses analgesic and antipyretic properties.

Indications:

For the symptomatic treatment of mild to moderate pain and fever in children.

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

Hypersensitivity to paracetamol. Patients with severe hepatic insufficiency.

Storage:

Store in a cool, dark, and dry place, below 30°C.

Keep this medication out of the reach of children.

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