

Composition : Azilsartan equivalent to Azilsartan Medoxomil 40mg.

Indication : Azilsartan Medoxomil is indicated for the treatment of hypertension to lower blood pressure. Lowering blood pressure reduces the risk of fatal and nonfatal cardiovascular events, primarily stroke and myocardial infarction. Azilsartan medoxomil may be used either alone or in combination with other antihypertensive agents.

Dosage and Administration : The recommended starting dose in adults is 40mg (1 tablet) taken orally once daily. The dose may be increased to a maximum of 80 mg once daily, if required. Consider a starting dose of 40mg for patients who are treated with high doses of diuretics. Azilsartan may be taken with or without food. Or, as directed by the registered physician.

Side Effect : The most common adverse reaction in adults is diarrhoea. The other side effects are nausea, asthenia, fatigue, muscle spasm, dizziness and cough.

Precaution : Caution should be exercised when using Azilsartan in kidney disease, liver disease an electrolyte imbalance & congestive heart failure and dehydrated.

Contraindication : It is contraindicated to co-administer Aliskiren with Azilsartan in patients with Diabetes. Azilsartan is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to any components of this medicine.

Drug Interaction : No drug interactions have been observed in studies of Azilsartan Medoxomil or Azilsartan given with amlodipine, antacids, chlorthalidone, digoxin, fluconazole, glyburide, ketoconazole, metformin, pioglitazone and

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warfarin. The antihypertensive effect of Azilsartan may be attenuated by the non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs including selective COX-2 inhibitors. Dual blockade of the RAS with angiotensin receptor blockers, ACE inhibitors or aliskiren is associated with increased risks of hypotension, hyperkalemia and changes in renal function.

Use in Pregnancy and Lactation : Pregnancy Category D. The risk to the fetus reduces renal function & death increases if Azilsartan Medoxomil is administered during the second or third trimesters of pregnancy. It is not known whether Azilsartan Medoxomil is excreted in human milk, as many drugs are excreted in human milk and because of the potential for adverse effects on the nursing infant, a decision should be made whether to discontinue nursing or discontinue the drug, taking into account the importance of the drug to the mother.

Packing : Tanzil Tablet : 1 x 14's tablets in Alu-Alu blister pack.