

Fibritor

Pemafibrate INN

COMPOSITION

Each film coated tablet contains Pemafibrate INN 0.1 mg.

PHARMACOLOGY

Pemafibrate activates PPAR α by binding to this receptor and regulates the target gene expression, leading to decreased plasma triglyceride (TG), decreased triglyceride-rich lipoprotein, decreased apolipoprotein (Apo) C-3 and increased HDL-cholesterol.

INDICATION

It is indicated as adjunctive therapy to diet or other nonpharmacological treatment (e.g. exercise) to reduce TG and to increase HDL-C in patients with dyslipidemia characterised by high TG ≥ 150 mg/dL, particularly when there is evidence of associated risk such as hypertension and smoking.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

The usual adult dosage is 0.1 mg (orally), twice daily in the morning and evening. The dose may be adjusted according to the patient's age and symptoms. The maximum dose is 0.2 mg twice daily.

CONTRAINDICATION

It is contraindicated in the following cases:

- In patients with known hypersensitivity to Pemafibrate or any of the excipients.
- In patients with severe hepatic disorder, Child-Pugh grade B or C cirrhosis or biliary obstruction.
- In patients with cholelithiasis.

WARNING & PRECAUTION

Patients need to be careful, in the following cases:

- Muscle toxicity, including very rare cases of rhabdomyolysis (with and without acute renal failure). In such cases, treatment with this medicine should be stopped. This medicine should be used with caution in patients receiving statins.
- Patients with hepatic disorder or those with a history of hepatic disorder.
- Patients with renal impairment. Renal function should be monitored periodically during treatment with this medicine.
- Patients with a history of cholelithiasis.

SIDE EFFECT

The most commonly reported side effects include cholelithiasis, diabetes mellitus and increased blood creatine phosphokinase.

USE IN PREGNANCY & LACTATION

The safety of this medicine has not been established for use during pregnancy. The use of this medicine should be avoided in breast-feeding women.

USE IN CHILDREN & ADOLESCENTS

No data is available.

DRUG INTERACTION

Concomitant administration of Cyclosporine or Rifampicin with Pemafibrate increased the plasma concentration of Pemafibrate.

OVERDOSAGE

There is no specific treatment in the event of overdose. The patient should be treated symptomatically and supportive measures instituted as required.

STORAGE

Store below 30°C temperature in a cool and dry place. Protect from light & moisture. Keep out of the reach of children.

HOW SUPPLIED

Each box contains 30 tablets in Alu-Alu blister pack.