DIAMICRON® XR 60

Gliclazide extended release

Newly diagnosed diabetics

1 tablet ➡ 1½ tablets ➡ 2 tablets

The original breakable gliclazide formulation

DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500

Gliclazide and metformin hydrochloride extended release

Fixed Dose Combination Approved by DCGI#

Newly diagnosed diabetics

Uncontrolled diabetics on metformin

Drug Controller General of India

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The original SU FDC with a breakable formulation

- ☑ Powerful glycaemic control[1]
- ☑ Minimal hypoglycaemia[2]
- ☑ Proven long-term benefits[3]

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DIAMICRON® XR 60 is an extended release preparation containing 60 mg of gliclazide. **Composition**: Each uncoated scored extended release tablet contains gliclazide B.P. ...60 mg, excipients... q.s. **Indications**: Diamicron® XR 60 is indicated for the treatment of Type 2 (non insulin-dependant) mellitus in association with dietary measures and physical exercise to obtain normal blood glucose levels. **Contraindications**: Diamicron® XR 60 should NOT be used in case of known hypersensitivities to gliclazide, its excipients, any other sulfonylureas or sulphonamides; in type 1 diabetes patients; patients with diabetic keto-acidosis or precoma; severe renal or hepatic impairment. It should not be administered to pregnant and lactating women. **Drug Interactions**: Care should be exercised while co-administering danazol, corticosteroids, diuretics, and miconazole. Alcohol is reported to have a drug interaction with Diamicron® XR 60 and concurrent consumption with alcohol is not recommended. **Warnings**: This medicine is susceptible to cause episodes of hypoglycemia: in case of signs of symptoms of hypoglycaemia (sweating, intense hunger, trembling, pallor, visual disturbances, feeling of malaise, abnormal behaviour etc) may warrant medical supervision. **Dosage**: The starting dose of Diamicron® XR 60 is 1 tablet daily and should be increased to a maximum dose of 2 tablets daily. The tablet is specially designed so that it can be broken into two equal halves for sequential incrementation of the dose. **Route Of Administration**: Oral route only with breakfast. **Overdose**: Overdose of Diamicron® XR 60 may lead to hypoglycemia (refer warnings), which should be immediately treated by administering sugar (4 to 6 lumps) and could warrant immediate medical supervision. **Adverse Reactions**: Hypoglycemic manifestations (due to overdose), gastrointestinal disorders, abnormal laboratory results affecting blood and liver functions have been reported. For any other undesirable effects Not Mentioned above, immediately inform your doctor. **Presentation**: Box of 8 x 14 tablets Instructions **For Use / Handling**: Do not use after expiry date indicated on the box. Keep medicines out of reach and sight from children.

DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 is an extended release preparation containing gliclazide 60 mg and metformin 500 mg in a Fixed Dose Combination. **Composition**: Each uncoated bi-layered scored tablet contains gliclazide I.P. (as extended release). ...60 mg; metformin hydrochloride I.P. (as extended release)..... 500 mg; excipients... q.s. colour: lake ponceau 4R. Indications: DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 is indicated as an adjunct to diet and exercise to improve glycaemic control in adults with type 2 diabetes mellitus. **Contraindications**: DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 is contraindicated in patients with hypersensitivity to gliclazide, metformin or to any of the excipients; insulin dependent diabetes (type 1); acute or chronic metabolic acidosis, including diabetes ketoacidosis with or without coma; renal diseases or renal dysfunction, abnormal creatinine levels; Impaired liver functions; current treatment with miconazole, phenylbutazone and danazol (refer to drug interactions); pregnant women and lactating mothers. **Precautions**: The treatment should be followed with caution in case of any surgery, trauma, dental treatment; during a bout of fever or infection; planned pregnancy; receiving any other drugs for any other ailments and in particular an anti-inflammatory agent, beta-blocker, and corticosteroid. DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 contains metformin and in rare cases can cause lactic acidosis. As a precaution, patients with serum creatinine levels above the upper limit of normal for their age should not receive DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500. Patients should be warned against excessive alcohol intake, acute or chronic, while receiving DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500. Warnings: This medicine is susceptible to cause episodes of hypoglycaemia. The dose should be titrated in case of any episodes of hypoglycaemia. In patients in whom development of renal dysfunction is anticipated, renal function should be assessed more frequently and DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 therapy should be discontinued if evidence of renal impairment is present. **Drug Interactions**: The concomitant treatment with nifedipine, cationic drugs such as amiloride, digoxin, morphine, procainamide, quinidine, quinine, ranitidine, triamterene, trimethoprim, and vancomycin, thiazides and other diuretics, corticosteroids, phenothiazines, thyroid products, estrogens, oral contraceptives, phenytoin, nicotinic acid, sympathomimetics, calcium channel blockers and isoniazide should be monitored as they may produce hyperglycaemia and may lead to loss of glycaemic control. Concomitant Treatment With Other Hypoglycaemic Agents And Insulin: need individualization of the doses under the supervision of the medical doctor. **Pregnancy And Lactation:** DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 should not be used during pregnancy and lactation. If the patient becomes pregnant while on treatment with DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 the treatment should be discontinued immediately. DRIVING OR OPERATING MACHINERY: Patients should be made aware of the symptoms of hypoglycaemia and should be careful when driving or operating machinery. **Dosage And Method Of Administration**: **Dosage**: The starting dose for DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 is 1 tablet daily and should be increased to a maximum dose of 2 tablets daily only on the consultation of the doctor. DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 tablet is a scored tablet and can be broken for sequential incremental increase in the dose to achieve the desired glycaemic control. **Method and route of administration**: Oral route. The tablets must be taken whole, with half a glass of water just before breakfast. **OVERDOSE**: The administration of an excessive dose results in hypoglycaemia and needs immediate treatment. **Adverse reactions**: DIAMICRON® XR MEX 500 may induce hypoglycaemic manifestations, Cutaneous reactions, gastrointestinal disorders; abnormal laboratory results affecting blood and liver functions are also reported. **Presentation**: Box of 8 x 14 tablets Instructions **For Use / Handling**: Do not use after the expiry date indicated on the box. Keep out of reach and sight from children.

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