

Flupitale 100 capsule

Flupirtine 100mg Capsule Information

Generic Name: Flupirtine

Strength: 100mg

Form: Capsule

Therapeutic Class: Non-Opioid Analgesic

Description

Flupirtine is a centrally acting non-opioid analgesic with muscle-relaxant properties. It works by acting as a selective neuronal potassium channel opener (SNEPCO) and NMDA receptor antagonist, providing pain relief and muscle relaxation. Unlike opioids, it does not induce dependency or respiratory depression.

Indications

Flupirtine 100mg capsules are indicated for the management of:

- Acute and chronic pain of various origins, such as:
 - Musculoskeletal pain (e.g., back pain, neck pain).
 - Post-surgical pain.
 - Dysmenorrhea (menstrual pain).
 - Headaches not related to migraines.
- Pain associated with tension and muscle spasms.

Dosage and Administration

- **Adults:** 100mg 2-3 times daily. In severe cases, the dose may be increased to 400mg daily, divided into multiple doses.
- **Maximum Dose:** Should not exceed 600mg/day.
- **Elderly or Patients with Hepatic Impairment:** Dosage adjustments may be required; consult a healthcare professional.

Duration of Use:

- Use for the shortest duration necessary to control pain, generally not exceeding 2 weeks without reassessment.
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Contraindications

- Hypersensitivity to flupirtine or any excipients in the formulation.
 - Severe hepatic impairment or active liver disease.
 - History of chronic alcohol abuse.
 - Use in patients with cholestasis or myasthenia gravis.
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Precautions

- **Hepatic Monitoring:** Regular liver function tests are recommended during prolonged use. Discontinue if significant liver enzyme elevation occurs.

- **CNS Effects:** May cause dizziness or drowsiness; avoid activities requiring mental alertness until the effect is known.
 - **Dependency:** Long-term use is not recommended to avoid potential abuse or dependency.
 - **Pregnancy and Lactation:** Use only if clearly needed and prescribed by a healthcare provider.
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Side Effects

Common side effects:

- **Dizziness**
- **Drowsiness**
- **Nausea**
- **Fatigue**

Rare but serious side effects:

- **Hepatotoxicity** (jaundice, elevated liver enzymes)
 - **Allergic reactions** (rash, itching, swelling)
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Drug Interactions

- May enhance the sedative effects of alcohol and CNS depressants.
 - Concomitant use with hepatotoxic drugs (e.g., paracetamol, certain antibiotics) may increase the risk of liver damage.
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Storage Instructions

- Store at room temperature (15-25°C).
- Protect from light and moisture.

- **Keep out of reach of children.**
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Additional Notes

- **Flupirtine is intended for short-term use and should be taken under medical supervision.**
- **Seek immediate medical attention if signs of liver dysfunction (e.g., dark urine, yellowing of the skin or eyes) occur.**

Always follow your healthcare provider's instructions and report any unusual symptoms during use.

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