

Glemont

Montelukast Sodium (chewable tablets 4mg & 5mg, tablets 10mg)

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What Glemont is used for

Glemont is used for:

- Asthma, including preventing your asthma symptoms during the day and night. Glemont also prevents the narrowing of airways triggered by exercise.
- Allergic rhinitis (seasonal and perennial), including daytime and nighttime symptoms: nasal congestion, runny nose, nasal itching, and sneezing; nasal congestion upon awakening, difficulty going to sleep, and nighttime awakenings; tearing, itchy, red, and puffy eyes.

How Glemont works

Glemont a leukotriene receptor antagonist that blocks substances called leukotrienes. Leukotrienes cause narrowing and swelling of airways in your lungs. Blocking leukotrienes improves asthma symptoms and helps prevent asthma attacks. Leukotrienes also cause allergy symptoms. Blocking leukotrienes improves allergic rhinitis (seasonal and perennial, also known as outdoor and indoor nasal allergies).

Before you use Glemont

- When you must not use it
Do not use this product if you are allergic to any excipients of this product.
- Before you start to use it
Consult your doctor or pharmacist before you start to use this product.

Use in children

For children 6 to 14 years old, Glemont CT 5mg are available.

For children 2 to 5 years old, Glemont CT 4mg are available.

Use in pregnancy

Women who are pregnant or intend to become pregnant should consult their doctor before taking Glemont.

Use in breast-feeding

It is not known if Glemont appears in breast milk. You should consult your doctor before taking Glemont if you are breast-feeding or intend to breast-feed.

- Taking other medicines

In general, Glemont does not interfere with other medicines that you or your child may be taking. However, some medicines may affect how Glemont works, or Glemont may affect how your other medicines work. It is important to tell your doctor about all medicines that you or your child is using or plan to use, including those obtained without a prescription.

How to use Glemont

- How much to use
Follow all directions given to you by your doctor and pharmacist carefully. They may differ from the information contained in this leaflet. If you do not understand the instructions on the label, ask your doctor or pharmacist for help.
- When to use it
Use as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.
- How long to use it
Continue taking Glemont for as long as your doctor recommends.
- If you forget to use it
Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do if you forget to use it.
Take the missed dose as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for your next dose, wait until then to take the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for the missed dose.

- If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine.

While you are using it

- Things you must do

Take your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.

Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are taking Glemont.

Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while taking this medication.

- Things you must not do

Do not stop taking the medicine unless advised by your doctor.
Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor.
Do not give Glemont to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

- Things to be careful of

Driving and using machines
Glemont is not expected to affect your ability to drive a car or operate machinery.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Glemont can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.

The most common side effects reported were abdominal pain, headache, thirst, diarrhea, hyperactivity, asthma, scaly and itchy skin, and rash.

Tell your healthcare provider right away if you notice any of the following behavior and mood-related changes:

- obsessive-compulsive symptoms

Additionally, the following have been reported:

- upper respiratory infection
- increased bleeding tendency, low blood platelet count
- allergic reactions [including swelling of the face, lips, tongue, and/or throat]

(which may cause trouble breathing or swallowing), hives, rash, and itching]

- behavior and mood related changes [agitation including aggressive behavior or hostility, depression, disorientation, disturbance in attention, dream abnormalities, feeling anxious, hallucinations, insomnia, irritability, memory impairment, obsessive compulsive symptoms, restlessness, sleep walking, stuttering, suicidal thoughts and actions, tremor, uncontrolled muscle movements]
- dizziness, drowsiness, pins and needles/numbness, very rarely seizure
- palpitations
- nose bleed; swelling (inflammation) of the lungs
- diarrhea, dyspepsia, nausea, vomiting
- hepatitis
- bruising, severe skin reactions (erythema multiforme) that may occur without warning
- joint pain, muscle aches and muscle cramps
- bedwetting in children
- weakness/tiredness
- swelling
- fever

Visit your doctor or pharmacist immediately if you experience any side effects after taking this medicine.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by visiting the website nptra.gov.my [Consumers -> Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)]

Storage and Disposal of Glemont

- Storage

Keep out of the reach and sight of children.

Store below 30°C. Protect from moisture and light.

- Disposal

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product Description

- What it looks like

IR 10mg: Round, beige coloured, biconvex film-coated tablets engraved with 'G' on one side & '392' on the other side.

CT 5mg: Round, white to off white coloured, biconvex uncoated tablets engraved with 'G' on one side and '391' on other side.

CT 4mg: Round, white to off white coloured, biconvex uncoated tablets engraved with 'G' on one side and '3901' on other side.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredient
Montelukast Sodium

- Inactive ingredients
IR 10mg: Microcrystalline cellulose (Avicel PH 101), Latose Monohydrate (Pharmatose 200M), Croscarmellose Sodium, Hydroxypropyl Cellulose (Klucel EXF), Magnesium Stearate, Opadry Yellow, Purified water.

CT 5mg & CT 4mg: Mannitol, Microcrystalline cellulose (Avicel PH 101), Croscarmellose Sodium, Hydroxypropyl Cellulose (Klucel EXF), Aspartame, Cherry Flavor, Magnesium Stearate, Purified water.

- MAL number:

Glemont IR Tablets 10mg:
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Glemont CT 5 Chewable Tablet:
MAL10120028AZ
Glemont CT 4 Chewable Tablet:
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