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Riboflavin

 **Tablet**

DESCRIPTION

Yellow, round, flat beveled edge tablet with 'KK' marking on one side and double breakline on the other.

COMPOSITION

Each tablet contains Riboflavin 3 mg.

ACTIONS

Riboflavin (inactive) is converted in the body to two coenzymes, flavine mononucleotide (FMN) and flavine adenine dinucleotide (FAD).

These are involved as coenzymes in the respiratory chain and in oxidative phosphorylation.

Riboflavin is readily absorbed from the gastrointestinal tract, except in malabsorption syndromes. Riboflavin is absorbed mainly in the duodenum. Riboflavin is excreted in the urine mainly in the unchanged form.

INDICATIONS

Riboflavin is used in the treatment of Riboflavin deficiency states. Riboflavin deficiency in man is characterised by a well defined syndrome, the features of which are angular stomatitic glossitis, reddened, shiny and denuded lips, seborrhoeic follicular keratosis of the nasolabial folds, nose and forehead, dermatitis of the ano-genital region, and burning feet.

CONTRAINDICATIONS

No known absolute contraindications.

ADVERSE REACTIONS

Riboflavin may cause yellow discoloration of urine. No cause for concern.

PRECAUTIONS

Drugs such as probenecid, tricyclic antidepressants and phenothiazines may impair intestinal absorption of Riboflavin. Mega doses of Riboflavin is not recommended without physician's advice.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION

Adult:

Treatment dose: Up to 30 mg daily.

Maintenance dose: 1 to 3 mg daily.

Paediatric:

Treatment dose: 3 – 10 mg daily.

Parenteral administration is indicated when oral administration is not acceptable (for example in nausea, vomiting, preoperation and postoperation, or in malabsorption syndromes).

OVERDOSAGE

Overdosage is quite unlikely.

ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION

Oral.

STORAGE CONDITIONS

Store below 30°C. Protect from light.

SHELF LIFE

Product should not be used beyond the expiry date imprinted on the product packaging.

PRESENTATION

In blisters of 1512 and 6930 tablets.

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PRODUCT REGISTRATION HOLDER / MANUFACTURER:

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