

# Avadol-Fast Tablet 500mg

Paracetamol 500 mg

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### 1. What is Avadol-Fast used for

Avadol-Fast helps to relieve fever, mild to moderate pain including: headache, migraine, backache, musculoskeletal pain, myalgia, dysmenorrhea (period pain), pain of osteoarthritis, toothache, and the discomfort from colds, influenza and sore throats.

### 2. How Avadol-Fast works

Avadol-Fast is rapidly absorbed through oral administration, and the absorption takes place mainly in the small intestine. The excretion of paracetamol is rapid and occurs via the urine.

### 3. Before you use Avadol-Fast

#### -When you must not use it

If you have ever had

- hypersensitivity to paracetamol or any of the other ingredients/ components of the product.
- taking other medicines containing paracetamol.
- Severe and active hepatic impairment.

#### -Before you start to use it

Check with your doctor, if you

- suffer from liver or kidney problems, including alcoholic liver disease
- suffer from mild arthritis and need to take painkillers every day
- are with impaired kidney or liver function.

#### -Taking another medicines

Please talk to your doctor or pharmacist, if you are taking these medicines:

- if you are taking blood thinning drugs (anticoagulants e.g. warfarin) and you need to take a pain reliever on a daily basis
- If you have recently taken any other medicines, including medicines obtained without prescription.

#### -Pregnancy and breast-feeding

Use in pregnancy:

- Considered to be the analgesic of choice in pregnant patients.
- Although it crosses placenta, paracetamol is considered to be safe in normal therapeutic doses for short-term use as a minor analgesic/antipyretic in pregnancy.

Use in Lactation:

- Excreted in breast milk.
- Maternal ingestion of paracetamol in normal therapeutic doses does not appear to present a risk to the nursing infant.

#### -Driving and using machines

It is unlikely to impair a patient's ability to drive or use machinery.

### 4. How to use Avadol-Fast

#### -How much to use it

Adults: Take 1 to 2 tabs for 3 to 4 times a day. Maximum: 8 tablets per day  
Not recommend for children.

#### -How to use it

Avadol-Fast tablet should be swallowed with water.

#### -How long to use it

The duration of treatment with Avadol-Fast is determined by your doctor.

#### -If you forget to use it

Take the next dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for a missed dose.

#### -If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention

### 5. While you are using Avadol-Fast

#### -Thing you must do

Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again. If you have any further questions, ask your doctor or pharmacist

#### -Things you must not do

This medicine has been prescribed for you. Do not pass it on to others. It may harm them, even if their symptoms are the same as yours.

#### -Things to be careful of

Do not take more than the recommended dose. If your symptoms persist (if the pain lasts for more than 10 days) or your headache becomes persistent, meet your doctor.

### 6. Side Effects

Adverse effects of paracetamol are rare and usually mild, although haematological reactions have been reported. Cutaneous hypersensitivity reactions including skin rashes, angioedema, Steven Johnson Syndrome/ Toxic Epidermal Necrolysis have been reported.

**Allergy alert:** Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash.

These could be signs of a serious condition. If these reactions occur, stop use and seek medical assistance right away.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by visiting the website portal [npa.gov.my](http://npa.gov.my) (Consumer -> Reporting Side Effects to Medicines [ConSER] or Vaccines (AEFI)).

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## 7. Storage and Disposal

### -Storage

Store below 30°C. Do not use beyond the expiry date printed on the packaging components.

### -Disposal

Medicine 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.

Keep out of reach of children.

## 8. Product Description

### -What it looks like

It is a white to off white, round tablet with 500 debossed on one side and plain on the other side.

### -Ingredients

Active ingredient: Paracetamol

Other ingredients:

Sodium starch glycolate, sodium lauryl sulphate, pre-gelatinised starch, plasdone, colloidal silica and magnesium stearate.

### -Registration Number

**Avadol-Fast Tablet 500mg  
(MAL15125042XZ)**

## 9. Manufacturer & Product registration holder

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