

SETAMOL FILM COATED TABLET

Paracetamol (500 mg)

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What Setamol is used for

Setamol is used for temporary relief of mild pain, including headache, muscle ache, toothache and fever.

How Setamol works

This product contains paracetamol that works by stopping the pain messages from getting through to the brain. It also acts in the brain to reduce fever.

Before you use Setamol

- When you must not use it

Do not take Setamol if you or your children are allergic to paracetamol, aspirin or any other ingredients of this medicine (listed in Product Description).

- Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if you or your children have / are:

- kidney or liver impairment
- drinking alcohol long term
- pregnant, planning for pregnancy or breast-feeding

- Taking other medicines

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking any other medicines, including medicine that you buy without prescription from a pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

How to use Setamol

- How much to use

For oral administration only.

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.

Adults: 2 tablets to be taken every 4 hours, not exceeding 8 tablets daily.

Children (7 to 12 years): 1 tablet to be taken every 4 hours, not exceeding 4 tablets daily.

- When to use it

Use every 4 hours or when necessary or as directed by your doctor or pharmacist.

- How long to use it

Use Setamol for the duration as your doctor recommends.

- 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 used too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention.

Taking too much paracetamol may cause nausea, vomiting, abdominal discomfort, increased tendency to bleed, liver or kidney failure, too much acid in the body, and loss of consciousness.

While you are using it

- Things you must do

- Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are using Setamol.
- Contact your doctor if symptoms do not improve or if fever lasts longer than 3 days or recurs.

- Things you must not do

- This preparation contains paracetamol. Do not take with other paracetamol containing medicines at the same time.
- Do not use any new medicines without consulting your doctor or pharmacist.
- Do not give Setamol to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

- Things to be careful of

Long term use should be avoided unless directed by doctor.

Side effects

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 using it and seek medical assistance right away.

Other reported adverse effects include blood disorder.

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

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- Storage

Store below 30°C.

Protect from moisture.

Keep out of reach and sight of children.

- 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

Round, orange film-coated tablet, bevel edged, shallow convex faces; 'SETAMOL' embossed on one face.

- Ingredients

- Active ingredient(s)

- Paracetamol

- Inactive ingredients

- Polyvinylpyrrolidone (PVP K90), Microcrystalline Cellulose PH102, Pregelatinized Starch, Colloidal Silicon Dioxide, Croscarmellose Sodium, Stearic Acid, Propylene Glycol, Sunset Yellow Lake, Hydroxypropyl Methylcellulose E-5, Hydroxypropyl Methylcellulose E-15, Titanium Dioxide, Talc, Iron Oxide Red, Purified Water

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