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SILDOSO™

(Silodosin)

Capsule

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COMPOSITION:**SILDOSO Capsule 4 mg:**

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Product Specs.: Innovator

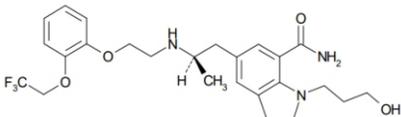
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DESCRIPTION:

Silodosin, a selective antagonist of alpha-1 adrenoreceptors. The chemical name of silodosin is 1-(3-Hydroxypropyl)-5-[(2R)-2-((2-[2-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)phenoxy]ethyl)amino)propyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-7-carboxamide and the molecular formula is C₂₅H₃₂F₃N₃O₄ with a molecular weight of 495.53. The structural formula of silodosin is:

**CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY:****Mechanism of action:**

Silodosin is highly selective for α1A -adrenoreceptors that are primarily located in the human prostate, bladder base, bladder neck, prostatic capsule and prostatic urethra. Blockade of these α1A -adrenoreceptors causes smooth muscle in these tissues to relax, thus decreasing bladder outlet resistance, without affecting detrusor smooth muscle contractility. This causes an improvement of both storage (irritative) and voiding (obstructive) symptoms (Lower urinary tract symptoms, LUTS) associated with benign prostatic hyperplasia. Silodosin has a substantially lower affinity for the α1B-adrenoreceptors that are primarily located in the cardiovascular system. It has been demonstrated in vitro that the α1A:α1B binding ratio of silodosin (162:1) is extremely high.

Pharmacodynamics:**Cardiac electrophysiology:**

Silodosin 8 mg and 24 mg daily had no statistically significant effect on ECG intervals or cardiac repolarisation relative to placebo.

Pharmacokinetics:

The pharmacokinetics of silodosin is linear throughout this dose range. The exposure to the main metabolite in plasma, silodosin glucuronide (KMD-3213G), at steady-state is about 3-fold that of the parent substance. Silodosin and its glucuronide reach steady-state after 3 days and 5 days of treatment, respectively.

Absorption: Silodosin administered orally is well absorbed and absorption is dose proportional. The absolute bioavailability is approximately 32%.

Distribution: Silodosin has a volume of distribution of 0.81 l/kg and is 96.6 % bound to plasma proteins. It does not distribute into blood cells. Protein binding of silodosin glucuronide is 91%.

Biotransformation: Silodosin undergoes extensive metabolism through glucuronidation (UGT2B7), alcohol and aldehyde dehydrogenase and oxidative pathways, mainly CYP3A4. The main metabolite in plasma, the glucuronide conjugate of silodosin (KMD-3213G), that has been shown to be active in vitro, has an extended half-life (approximately 24 hours) and reaches plasma concentrations approximately four times higher than those of silodosin. In vitro data indicate that silodosin does not have the potential to inhibit or induce cytochrome P450 enzyme systems.

Elimination: Following oral administration of 14C-labelled silodosin, the recovery of radioactivity after 7 days was approximately 33.5% in urine and 54.9% in faeces. Body clearance of silodosin was approximately 0.28 l/h/kg. Silodosin is excreted mainly as metabolites, very low amounts of unchanged drug are recovered in urine. The terminal half-life of parent drug and its glucuronide is approximately 11 hours and 18 hours, respectively.

Special populations:

Elderly: Exposure to silodosin and its main metabolites does not change significantly with age, even in subjects of age over 75 years.

Paediatric population: Silodosin has not been evaluated in patients less than 18 years of age.

Hepatic impairment: No dosing adjustment is required in patients with mild or moderate hepatic impairment. The pharmacokinetics of silodosin in patients with severe hepatic impairment have not been studied

Renal impairment: Usually no dose adjustment is required in patients with mild renal impairment. Patients with moderate renal impairment should be on lower starting dose of 4 mg. In patients with severe renal impairment administration of Silodosin is not recommended.

INDICATIONS AND USAGE:

Treatment of the signs and symptoms of benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH) in adult men.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:

The recommended dose is one capsule of Silodosin 8 mg daily. For special patient populations, one capsule of Silodosin 4 mg daily is recommended.

Elderly: No dose adjustment is required in the elderly.

Renal impairment: No dose adjustment is required for patients with mild renal impairment (CLCR ≥50 to ≤80 ml/min). A starting dose of 4 mg once daily is recommended in patients with moderate renal impairment (CLCR ≥30 to <50 ml/min), which may be increased to 8 mg once daily after one week of treatment, depending on the individual patient's response. The use in patients with severe renal impairment (CLCR <30 ml/min) is not recommended.

Hepatic impairment: No dose adjustment is required for patients with mild to moderate hepatic impairment. As no data are available, the use in patients with severe hepatic impairment is not recommended

Paediatric population: There is no relevant use of Silodosin in the paediatric population in the indication.

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Method of administration:

Oral use: The capsule should be taken with food, preferably at the same time every day. The capsule should not be broken or chewed but swallowed whole, preferably with a glass of water.

CONTRAINDICATIONS:

Hypersensitivity to any of the ingredients.

WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS:**Intraoperative floppy Iris syndrome (IFIS):**

IFIS (a variant of small pupil syndrome) has been observed during cataract surgery in some patients on α1-blockers or previously treated with α1-blockers. This may lead to increased procedural complications during the operation. The initiation of therapy with silodosin is not recommended in patients for whom cataract surgery is scheduled. Discontinuing treatment with an α1-blocker 1-2 weeks prior to cataract surgery has been recommended, but the benefit and duration of stopping the therapy prior to cataract surgery has not yet been established. During pre-operative assessment, eye surgeons and ophthalmic teams should consider whether patients scheduled for cataract surgery are being or have been treated with silodosin, in order to ensure that appropriate measures will be in place to manage IFIS during surgery.

Orthostatic effects:

The incidence of orthostatic effects with silodosin is very low. However, a reduction in blood pressure can occur in individual patients, leading in rare cases to syncope. At the first signs of orthostatic hypotension (such as postural dizziness), the patient should sit or lie down until the symptoms have disappeared. In patients with orthostatic hypotension, treatment with silodosin is not recommended.

Renal impairment:

The use of silodosin in patients with severe renal impairment (CLCR <30 ml/min) is not recommended.

Hepatic impairment:

Since no data are available in patients with severe hepatic impairment, the use of silodosin in these patients is not recommended.

Carcinoma of the prostate:

Since BPH and prostate carcinoma may present the same symptoms and can co-exist, patients thought to have BPH should be examined prior to starting therapy with silodosin, to rule out the presence of carcinoma of the prostate. Digital rectal examination and, when necessary, determination of prostate specific antigen (PSA) should be performed before treatment and at regular intervals afterwards. Treatment with silodosin leads to a decrease in the amount of semen released during orgasm that may temporarily affect male fertility. This effect disappears after discontinuation of silodosin.

DRUG INTERACTIONS:

Silodosin is metabolised extensively, mainly via CYP3A4, alcohol dehydrogenase and UGT2B7. Silodosin is also a substrate for P-glycoprotein. Substances that inhibit (such as ketoconazole, itraconazole, ritonavir or cyclosporine) or induce (such as rifampicin, barbiturates, carbamazepine, phenytoin) these enzymes and transporters may affect the plasma concentrations of silodosin and its active metabolite.

Alpha-blockers:

There is inadequate information about the safe use of silodosin in association with other α-adrenoreceptor antagonists. Consequently, the concomitant use of other α-adrenoreceptor antagonists is not recommended.

CYP3A4 inhibitors:

Concomitant use with potent CYP3A4 inhibitors (such as ketoconazole, itraconazole, ritonavir or cyclosporine) is not recommended. When silodosin was co-administered with a CYP3A4 inhibitor of moderate potency such as diltiazem, an increase in silodosin AUC of approximately 30 % was observed, but C_{max} and half-life were not affected. This change is clinically not relevant and no dose adjustment is required.

PDE-5 inhibitors:

Patients taking PDE-5 inhibitors concomitantly with silodosin should be monitored for possible adverse reactions.

Antihypertensives:

Caution should be exercised when starting concomitant use with antihypertensives and patients should be monitored for possible adverse reactions.

Digoxin: Steady state levels of digoxin, a substrate of P-glycoprotein, were not significantly affected by co-administration with silodosin 8 mg once daily. No dose adjustment is required.

USE IN SPECIFIC POPULATIONS:**Fertility:**

In clinical studies, the occurrence of ejaculation with reduced or no semen has been observed during treatment with silodosin, due to the pharmacodynamic properties of silodosin. Before starting treatment, the patient should be informed that this effect may occur, temporarily affecting male fertility.

Effects on ability to drive and use machines:

Silodosin has minor or moderate influence on the ability to drive and use machines. Patients should be informed about the possible occurrence of symptoms related to postural hypotension (such as dizziness) and should be cautioned about driving or operating machines until they know how silodosin will affect them.

ADVERSE REACTIONS:

The most frequent adverse reactions with long-term use are ejaculatory disorders such as retrograde ejaculation and anejaculation (ejaculatory volume reduced or absent). This may temporarily affect male fertility. It is reversible within a few days upon discontinuation of treatment.

OVERDOSAGE:

The dose-limiting adverse reaction was postural hypotension. If ingestion is recent, induction of vomiting or gastric lavage may be considered. Should overdose of silodosin lead to hypotension, cardiovascular support has to be provided. Dialysis is unlikely to be of significant benefit since silodosin is highly (96.6 %) protein bound.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Store below 30°C.
- Protect from heat, sunlight & moisture.
- Keep out of the reach of children.
- To be sold on the prescription of a registered medical practitioner only.

PRESENTATION:

SILDOSO Capsule 4 mg : Pack of 2 x10 capsules.

SILDOSO Capsule 8 mg : Pack of 1 x10 capsules.

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