

FavinilTM Tablet

Favipiravir 200 mg

Composition

FavinilTM Tablet: Each film coated tablet contains Favipiravir INN 200 mg.

Pharmacology

Favipiravir functions as a prodrug and undergoes ribosylation and phosphorylation intracellularly to become the active favipiravir-RTP. Favipiravir-RTP binds to and inhibits RNA dependent RNA polymerase (RdRp), which ultimately prevents viral transcription and replication

Indications

Treatment of novel or re-emerging pandemic influenza virus infections

Dosage & Administration

The usual adult dosage is 1600 mg of Favipiravir administered orally twice daily on Day-1 followed by 600 mg orally twice daily from Day 2 to Day 5. The total treatment duration should be 5 days.

Side Effects

Most common side effects are Diarrhea and increase of blood uric acid levels.

Precautions

Favipiravir should not be given in pregnant women, requirement of the confirmation of non-pregnancy in women of childbearing potential before use, thorough contraception measures from the start of the treatment to 7 days after the end of the treatment. Caution should be taken for Hepatic and renal impaired patient or use Favipiravir as per the direction of registered Physician

Contraindication

Favipiravir is contraindicated for pregnant women and women who may possibly be pregnant.

Drug Interaction

Pyrazinamide, an antituberculous drug, is considered to interact with favipiravir. This drug is reported to increase blood uric acid level through a urate transporter (hURAT1).

Use in Pregnancy & Lactation

Favipiravir may cause delayed development or death of embryos during the early stage of pregnancy. Should not be given during pregnancy.

Over Dose

In animal studies, decreased RBC production, and increases in liver function parameters such as AST, ALP, ALT and total bilirubin, and increased vacuolization in hepatocytes. Toxicity information regarding Favipiravir in humans is not readily available.

Storage

Store below 30°C, protected from light and moisture. Keep out of reach of children.

How Supplied

FavinilTM Tablet: Each box contains 10 tablets in blister pack.

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