

Edofoam ER 600 Tablet

Etodolac (600mg) Tablet

Etodolac is a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID) used to relieve pain, inflammation, and swelling caused by a variety of conditions, including arthritis, musculoskeletal disorders, and acute pain.

Composition

- **Etodolac: 600 mg**
 - An NSAID that works by inhibiting cyclooxygenase (COX) enzymes, which are responsible for producing prostaglandins.
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Indications

Etodolac is used for the treatment of:

1. **Osteoarthritis**
 - Reduces pain, swelling, and stiffness in the joints due to osteoarthritis.
 2. **Rheumatoid Arthritis**
 - Alleviates inflammation, pain, and swelling associated with rheumatoid arthritis.
 3. **Fever**
 - Reduces fever caused by various illnesses or infections.
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Dosage and Administration

- **Adults:**

- The usual recommended dose is 1 tablet (600 mg) once or twice a day, depending on the severity of the condition.
- It can be taken with or without food, but taking it with food may help minimize stomach irritation.
- **Maximum Dose:** The daily dose should not exceed 1200 mg unless directed by a healthcare provider.
- **Administration:**
 - Take the tablet with a full glass of water.
 - Do not crush, chew, or break the tablet. Swallow it whole for optimal effectiveness.

Note: Always follow your healthcare provider's instructions for dosing.

How It Works

- Etodolac works by inhibiting the activity of cyclooxygenase enzymes (COX-1 and COX-2), which are involved in the production of prostaglandins. Prostaglandins are responsible for inflammation, pain, and fever in the body.
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Precautions

- **Gastrointestinal Risk:**
 - Etodolac may cause irritation, ulcers, or bleeding in the stomach or intestines, especially with long-term use.

- **Cardiovascular Risk:**
 - Prolonged use of Etodolac may increase the risk of heart attack, stroke, or high blood pressure, particularly in individuals with pre-existing cardiovascular conditions.
 - **Kidney and Liver Function:**
 - Etodolac may impair kidney or liver function, especially with long-term use or in patients with pre-existing kidney or liver disease.
 - **Pregnancy and Breastfeeding:**
 - Avoid using Etodolac during the third trimester of pregnancy due to potential harm to the fetus.
 - **Older Adults:**
 - Older adults may be more sensitive to the effects of NSAIDs, especially with regard to gastrointestinal and kidney-related side effects.
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Possible Side Effects

Common Side Effects:

- Upset stomach, indigestion, or nausea
- Dizziness or headache

Serious Side Effects (Seek immediate medical attention):

- Gastrointestinal bleeding (e.g., black, tarry stools, vomit with blood)
- Heart problems (e.g., chest pain, shortness of breath, irregular heartbeat)

If you experience any serious side effects, discontinue use and seek medical attention immediately.

Drug Interactions

- Anticoagulants (e.g., warfarin) may increase the risk of bleeding when taken with Etodolac.
- Other NSAIDs (e.g., ibuprofen, naproxen) should not be combined with Etodolac due to an increased risk of gastrointestinal issues.

Always inform your healthcare provider about any medications, supplements, or herbal products you are taking to avoid potential interactions.

Storage

- Store at room temperature (20–25°C / 68–77°F), away from moisture and heat.
 - Keep out of reach of children.
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Important Note: Etodolac should be used under the supervision of a healthcare provider, especially for long-term treatment.

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