

Information For the User

Warfarin 5 mg tablet

# Warfin 5 Tablet

**Brand Name:** Warfin 5 Tablet

**Composition:**

Each uncoated tablet contains

Warfarin Sodium IP equivalent to Warfarin 5 mg

**Therapeutic Indication:**

Indicated for the prophylaxis and treatment of deep vein thrombosis pulmonary embolism and thromboembolic complications associated with atrial fibrillation and prosthetic heart valves

Also used to reduce the risk of stroke systemic embolism and recurrent myocardial infarction in high-risk cardiovascular patients

**Mechanism of Action:**

Warfarin is a vitamin K antagonist

It inhibits vitamin K epoxide reductase thereby suppressing the hepatic synthesis of vitamin K-dependent clotting factors II VII IX and X along with regulatory proteins C and S

This action prevents the formation and propagation of thrombi

**Dosage & Administration:**

Initial adult dose typically ranges from 2 to 5 mg once daily based on patient profile and INR response

Warfin 5 is commonly used in patients requiring a higher maintenance dose

Dose must be individualized with regular INR monitoring to maintain therapeutic range usually between 2.0 and 3.0 or 2.5 to 3.5 for mechanical valves

Take at the same time daily with or without food

Never adjust dose without physician supervision

**Contraindications:**

Hypersensitivity to Warfarin or any component of the formulation

Pregnancy due to risk of fetal warfarin syndrome and bleeding

Active major bleeding or bleeding diathesis

Recent major surgery or procedures involving CNS or eyes

Uncontrolled hypertension or known cerebral aneurysms

**Warnings & Precautions:**

Frequent INR monitoring is essential especially during initiation dose adjustments or when starting/stopping interacting drugs

Educate patients on bleeding risks and importance of adherence

Use with caution in hepatic or renal impairment history of GI bleeding or alcoholism

Avoid sudden changes in dietary vitamin K intake

Numerous drug and food interactions must be reviewed regularly

**Side Effects:**

Common: bleeding bruising headache nausea

Less common: rash alopecia diarrhea

Rare: skin necrosis purple toe syndrome hepatic dysfunction hypersensitivity

**Storage:**

Store in a cool dry and dark place below 25°C

Protect from moisture and sunlight

Keep out of reach of children

**Packaging:**

Warfin 5 Tablet is available in blister or strip packs

**Schedule:**

Schedule H Prescription Drug – To be sold by retail on the prescription of a registered medical practitioner only

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