

EDDZAAR 40/EDDZAAR 80

To be sold by retail on the prescription of Cardiologist only

Abbreviated Prescribing information for **EDDZAAR 40/EDDZAAR 80** [Azilsartan medoxomil Tablets 40/ 80)] [Please refer the complete prescribing information available at www.torrentpharma.com]

PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES: Azilsartan medoxomil is an orally active prodrug that is rapidly converted to the active moiety, azilsartan, which selectively antagonises the effects of angiotensin II by blocking its binding to the AT₁ receptor in multiple tissues

INDICATION: Azilsartan is indicated for the treatment of hypertension in adult patient, either alone or in combination with other antihypertensive agents.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION: As directed by the cardiologist. The recommended starting dose is 40 mg once daily. The dose may be increased to a maximum of 80 mg once daily for patients whose blood pressure is not adequately controlled at the lower dose.

CONTRAINDICATION: Hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients, Second and third trimester of pregnancy, concomitant use of Azilsartan with aliskiren-containing products is contraindicated in patients with diabetes mellitus or renal impairment.

WARNINGS & PRECAUTIONS: Caution should be exercised in hypertensive patients with severe renal impairment, congestive heart failure or renal artery stenosis, ACE-inhibitors and angiotensin II receptor blockers should not be used concomitantly in patients with diabetic nephropathy, hyperaldosteronism, aortic or mitral valve stenosis.

DRUG INTERACTIONS: It may interact with lithium, NSAIDs, potassium-sparing diuretics, potassium supplements, salt substitutes containing potassium, or other medicinal products (e.g. heparin).

ADVERSE REACTIONS: Dizziness, hypotension, diarrhoea, nausea, rash, pruritus, angioedema, muscle spasms, fatigue, peripheral oedema, blood creatine phosphokinase increased, blood creatinine increased and blood uric acid increased / hyperuricemia.

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