

ENCELIN M 50/500; 50/850; 50/1000

Abbreviated Prescribing information for Encelin M (Vildagliptin/Metformin tablets, 50mg/500mg; 50/850; 50/1000) [Please refer the complete prescribing information available at www.torrentpharma.com]

PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES: Encelin M contains vildagliptin and metformin. Vildagliptin acts primarily by inhibiting DPP-4, the enzyme responsible for the degradation of the incretin hormones GLP-1 (glucagon-like peptide-1) and GIP (glucose-dependent insulintropic polypeptide). Metformin exerts its glucose-lowering effect by reduction of hepatic glucose production through inhibition of gluconeogenesis and glycogenolysis; by modestly increasing insulin sensitivity, improving peripheral glucose uptake and utilisation; and by delaying intestinal glucose absorption.

INDICATIONS: Treatment of type II diabetes mellitus when single drug therapy along with diet, exercise do not result in adequate glycaemic control.

DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION: Administer orally with or just after food. Tablets should be swallowed whole with a glass of water and should not be chewed or crushed. Dosing must be individualized for patients with impaired renal function.

WARNINGS & PRECAUTIONS: Lactic acidosis (especially in patients with impaired renal function), administration of iodinated contrast agents, patients with underlying hepatic impairment and/or hepatic dysfunction, skin disorder, acute pancreatitis and hypoglycaemia.

ADVERSE REACTIONS: Hypoglycaemia, tremor, headache, dizziness, chills, hyperhidrosis, fatigue, asthenia, nausea, diarrhoea, constipation, flatulence, abdominal pain, loss of appetite, metallic taste, gastro-oesophageal reflux disease, pancreatitis, upper respiratory tract infection, nasopharyngitis, oedema peripheral, arthralgia, myalgia, decrease of vitamin b absorption and lactic acidosis, liver function test abnormalities or hepatitis, skin reactions such as erythema, pruritus, urticaria, exfoliative and bullous skin lesions, including bullous pemphigoid.

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