

**Composition :** Gliclazide 30mg & Gliclazide 60 mg Tablet.

**Indications :** This medication is recommended in adults for non-insulin-dependent diabetes (type-II), in association with dietary measures and with physical exercise, when these measures alone are not sufficient to obtain normal blood glucose levels.

**Dosage and administration :** The usual daily dose is 1 to 4 tablets /day as a single dose or as directed by the physician. It is recommended that the drug should be taken at breakfast time.

**Contraindications :** Gliclazide modified release tablet is contraindicated in the following cases :

1. Hypersensitivity to gliclazide or to one of the excipients, to other medications of the same group (sulfonylureas).
2. Insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus (type-I).
3. Diabetic keto-acidosis.
4. Severe liver or kidney insufficiency.

**Side effects :** As with all drugs gliclazide modified release tablet, is likely to have undesirable effects.

- | Hypoglycaemic manifestations (sweating, pallor, intense hunger, malaise).
- | Skin reactions : urticaria, skin rash.
- | Gastrointestinal disorders : nausea,

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diarrhea, stomach upsets, constipation, hepatitis.

**Drug interactions :** Certain interactions with other drugs (such as : Chlorpromazine, danazol, glucocorticoids, salbutamol, terbutaline etc.) must be avoided as they can cause significant changes in blood glucose levels.

**Use in pregnancy and lactation :** **Dimerol-MR** has been assigned to pregnancy category C by the FDA.

**Packing : Dimerol-MR-30 :** 4 x 14's tablets in blister pack.

**Dimerol-MR-60 :** 2 x 10's tablets in blister pack.