

**Composition :** Famotidine 20mg & 40mg Tablet.

**Indications :** Gastric ulcer, duodenal ulcer, anastomotic ulcer, acute stress ulcer, reflux esophagitis and Zollinger-Ellison syndrome. Famotid (Famotidine) is also indicated for the treatment of acute gastritis, chronic gastritis in acute exacerbation stage.

**Dosage & administration :** For gastric ulcer, duodenal ulcer, anastomotic ulcer, upper gastro-intestinal hemorrhage, reflux esophagitis and Zollinger-Ellison syndrome: Usual dose for adults: Famotid-20 twice daily (after breakfast and after supper or before bed time) or Famotid-40 can be administered orally once daily at bed time.

For the treatment of acute gastritis, chronic gastritis in acute exacerbation stage : Usual dosage for adults is Famotid-20 orally twice a day (after breakfast and after supper or before bed time). Also Famotid-40 can be orally administered once a day (before bed time), dosage should be adjusted according to age and symptoms. Most ulcer patients heal within 4-8 weeks. For maintenance therapy the recommended oral dose is 20mg once daily.

**Contraindication :** Known hypersensitivity to any component of the drug.

**Precautions :**

- I) The drug should be used in the minimum required amount depending upon the conditions of the diseases.
- II) The drug should be administered

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carefully with elderly patients, patients with renal failure and hepatic disorders.

**Side effects :** Eruption, constipation, diarrhoea, dry mouth, nausea, vomiting, tachycardia, high blood pressure, headache, drowsiness or insomnia may rarely occur.

**Use in pregnancy and lactation :** Famotidine has been assigned to pregnancy category B by the FDA.

**Packing : Famotid :** 10 x 10's blister pack.