

Oramet Tablet

Composition : Metformin Hydrochloride 500mg & 850mg Tablet.

Indications : **Oramet** is an oral antihyperglycemic drug used in the management of non-insulin dependent diabetes mellitus (NIDDM) & Polycystic ovarian syndrome.

Dosage & administration : The usual starting dose is one tablet 2 or 3 times daily given during or after meals. The maximum recommended dose of metformin is 3gm daily.

Or as directed by the registered physician.

Contra indications : Hypersensitivity to the drug. Diabetic coma and ketoacidosis, impairment of renal function, chronic liver disease, cardiac failure and recent myocardial infarction.

Precautions : Oramet is excreted by the kidney and regular monitoring of renal function is advised in all diabetics. The use of Oramet is not advised in conditions which may cause dehydration or in patients suffering from serious infections or trauma.

Side effects : Oramet is normally well tolerated but sometimes gastrointestinal disturbances may occur.

Use in pregnancy and lactation : Metformin has been assigned to

pregnancy category B by the FDA.

Packing : Oramet-500 : 5 x 10's tablets in blister pack.

Oramet-850 : 5 x 10's tablets in blister pack.