

# Pirfenidone Tablets

## Product Information :

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Pharmaceutical form : Tablet

Category : Anti Cancer

Pack : 1x15/Tabs

Brand name : Pirfenidone Tablets

Content : Pirfenidone (200mg)

Therapeutic Use : Treatment of Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis



## Product Description :

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### What are Pirfenidone Tablets?

Pirfenidone tablets are used to treat idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, a kind of lung illness (IPF). Scar tissue forms deep into your lungs as a result of IPF. This condition causes scarring and stiffening of the lungs, making it difficult to breathe. When your brain, heart, and other organs don't get enough oxygen, other medical issues can arise. Pirfenidone may be able to help slow the progression of your IPF. Pirfenidone is a fibrotic treatment. It works by lowering pulmonary fibrosis (scarring) and oedema. This makes it easier to breathe.

### How to Use Pirfenidone

- Take this medicine by mouth with food three times a day, as directed by your doctor.
- Taking pirfenidone tablets with food can assist with nausea and dizziness. Your doctor may advise you to begin taking this medicine at a low dose and gradually raise it to avoid the chance of adverse effects.
- Make a list of all the products you use and give it to your doctor (including prescription

drugs, nonprescription drugs, and herbal products).

- To receive the best benefit from this drug, take it on a daily basis. Take it at the same time every day to help you remember.

#### **Pirfenidone Tablets - Side Effects**

- It's possible that you'll experience fatigue, a lack of energy, a loss of appetite, weight loss, or a change in taste. Dizziness, nausea, upset stomach, vomiting, diarrhoea, or heartburn may also occur however taking pirfenidone tablets with food may minimise these side effects.
- If you experience any indications of liver problem, such as persistent vomiting, loss of appetite, stomach pain, yellowing eyes/skin, or dark urine, seek medical attention immediately.
- This medicine occasionally causes a severe allergic reaction. However, if you detect any symptoms of a major allergic response get medical treatment right away.

#### **Precautions of Pirfenidone**

- If you are allergic to pirfenidone tablets or have any other allergies, inform your doctor before taking them.
- Tell your doctor or pharmacist about your medical history, especially if you have liver or kidney disease.
- Pirfenidone Tablets have the potential to make you dizzy. You may become dizzy if you consume alcohol. Do not drive, operate machinery, or engage in any other activity that requires attentiveness until you are sure you can do so safely. Limit your intake of alcoholic beverages.
- This drug could make you more sun-sensitive. Spend as little time as possible in the sun. When you're outside, use sunscreen.
- Tell your doctor or dentist about all the products you consume before surgery (including prescription drugs, nonprescription drugs, and herbal products).
- This drug should only be taken during pregnancy only if absolutely necessary.

- This drug does not appear to transfer into breast milk. Before you start breastfeeding, talk to your doctor.

#### FAQ for Pirfenidone

- **What kind of monitoring will I require while using Pirfenidone?**
  - Before you start taking Pirfenidone Tablets, your doctor will assess your liver function. This test will be done monthly for the first six months, then every three months after that. In addition, your doctor will check your lung function on a regular basis to assess how well Pirfenidone is working.
- **What are the benefits of continuing Pirfenidone treatment?**
  - It's critical to slow the disease's course by conserving your lung function, which can't be replaced once it's gone. As a result, it is strongly advised that you begin and continue your therapy with Pirfenidone Tablets as directed by your doctor.
- **Can I discontinue taking Pirfenidone if my condition is stable?**
  - Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis is a condition that progresses in an unpredictable manner. Stopping the medication without visiting your doctor is not a good option. Continue to use Pirfenidone Tablets to limit the disease's progression.
- **What should I stay away from while on Pirfenidone?**
  - While taking Pirfenidone, you should limit your exposure to the sun. To avoid overexposure to the sun, use sunscreen every day and cover your arms, legs, and head. Also, refrain from smoking.

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