

BROZIL FILM COATED TABLET

Gemfibrozil (600mg)

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What BROZIL TABLET is used for

BROZIL TABLET is used for high lipid (fat) level in the blood. It is indicated in patient who has not responded adequately to weight loss and specific dietary, or when other non-medication measures have failed.

How BROZIL TABLET works

BROZIL TABLET is a lipid regulating agent which lowers elevated serum lipid primarily by decreasing blood triglycerides (a type of fat) with variable reductions in total blood cholesterol.

Before you use BROZIL TABLET

- When you must not take it
 - Do not take Brozil if you are allergic towards gemfibrozil
 - Do not take Brozil if you are an alcoholic or have liver problem such as primary biliary cirrhosis and you have pre-existing gallstones.
- Before you start to take it
 - Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are allergic to any other medicines.
 - Tell your doctor if you are pregnant, plan to pregnant or breast feeding before taking Brozil, as you should not take Brozil during pregnancy, unless potential benefit justifies the risk
 - Inform your doctor if you have or have had history of kidney problem.
- Taking other medicines
 - Seek for your doctor or pharmacist advice if you intended to use

BROZIL TABLET together with other medication.

- You must also inform them about all the medicines you are taking, including those without a prescription.
- Tell your doctor if you are taking anticoagulant (blood thinning agent) or Lovastatin (another cholesterol lowering agent) before you start to take Brozil. This is because Brozil may increase the effect of anticoagulant and increase the risk of bleeding. Using Brozil together with Lovastatin will increase the risk of rhabdomyolysis (damage of muscle tissue that leads to the release of muscle fiber contents and may cause kidney failure.)

How to take BROZIL TABLET

- How much to take

The recommended dose for BROZIL TABLET is 1 tablet (600mg) to be taken twice daily.
- When to take it

BROZIL TABLET should be taken according to the time advised by your doctor or pharmacist. It can be taken 30 minutes before the morning and evening meals.
- How long to take it

BROZIL TABLET should be taken as long as your doctor advised you to do so. Your doctor may stop this treatment after 3 months if the effect is not satisfying.
- If you forgot to take it

If you miss a dose of BROZIL TABLET and you are taking it regularly, take it as soon as possible. If it is approaching time for the next dose, do not double the dose to make up for the forgotten dose, unless advised by your health care provider. Do not take 2 doses at once.
- If you take too much (overdose)

Seek for medical attention.

While you are using BROZIL TABLET

- Things you must do

Follow your doctor's instruction when you are taking BROZIL TABLET.

- Things you must not do

Do not stop taking this medicine or change the dosing regimen without instruction from your doctor. Do not give BROZIL TABLET to anyone else, even if they have the same condition as you.
- Things to be careful of

Do not drive or operate machinery until you know how Brozil affects you.

Side effects

Possible side effects include changes in bowel function, diarrhea, abdominal pain, and nausea. Less common side effects include muscle pain, tenderness and gallstone.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835550, or visiting the website portal.bpfk.gov.my (Consumers→Reporting)

Storage and Disposal of BROZIL TABLET

Storage
Store below 30°C, protect from light & moisture.

Disposal
BROZIL TABLET should be disposed when your doctor or pharmacist tells you to stop taking this tablet or it has passed the expiry date. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose medicines that are no longer required.

Product description

What it looks like
BROZIL FILM COATED TABLET is a white elliptical film coated tablets.



Ingredients
Active ingredient-
Gemfibrozil

Inactive ingredients-
Sodium Lauryl Sulfate

Hydroxypropyl Cellulose
Methylparaben
Polyethylene Glycol
Microcrystalline cellulose
Starch
Talc
Magnesium Stearate
Sodium Starch Glycolate
Dimethylpolysiloxane
Titanium Dioxide

MAL number

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