

## **Ilaxten 10 mg orodispersible tablets and 2.5mg/ml oral solution (bilastine)**

### **Prescribing Information**

Please consult the Summary of Product Characteristics (SmPC) for full prescribing information.

**Presentation:** Orodispersible tablets (ODT): round, slightly biconvex white tablets containing 10 mg bilastine. Oral Solution (OS): clear, colourless, slightly viscous aqueous solution.

**Use:** Symptomatic treatment of allergic rhino-conjunctivitis (seasonal and perennial) and urticaria in children aged 6 to 11 years with a body weight of at least 20 kg.

**Dosage and administration:** Oral administration. Children aged 6 to 11 years with a body weight of at least 20 kg. ODT: Take 1 tablet once daily. OS: Take 4 ml of oral solution once daily. ODT and OS: Take one hour before or two hours after food or fruit juice. Children under 6 years: no information. In adults and adolescents (over 12 years of age) the administration of Ilaxten 20 mg tablets is appropriate.

**Contra-indications:** Hypersensitivity to the active substance or to any of the excipients.

**Warnings and Precautions:** Avoid co-administration with P-glycoprotein inhibitors in patients with moderate or severe renal impairment. Do not use in children under 6 years of age.

**Interactions:** No interaction data available for children. Consider interactions as for adults: food, grapefruit juice, ketoconazole, erythromycin, diltiazem; medicinal products that are substrates or inhibitors of P-gp, such as cyclosporine.

**Pregnancy and Lactation:** Avoid use during pregnancy.

**Side-effects:** Common: rhinitis, headache, allergic conjunctivitis, abdominal pain/upper abdominal pain. Uncommon: dizziness, loss of consciousness, eye irritation, diarrhoea, nausea, lip swelling, eczema, urticaria, fatigue. Frequency not known: palpitations, tachycardia, hypersensitivity reactions, and vomiting.

**Package quantities and prices:** ODT: 30 orodispersible tablets: £5.00. OS: One bottle containing 120 ml oral solution: £5.00.

**Legal Category:** POM.

**Marketing Authorisation Numbers:** PL 16239/0044-0045.

**Marketing Authorisation Holder:** Menarini International Operations Luxembourg S.A, 1 Avenue de la Gare, L-1611 Luxembourg.

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