

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablets

Consumer Medicine Information (CMI) summary

The [full CMI](#) on the next page has more details. If you are worried about using this medicine, speak to your doctor or pharmacist.

1. Why am I using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE contains the active ingredient sumatriptan (as succinate). IMIGRAN MIGRAINE is used to relieve a migraine attack in patients who have a stable, well-established pattern of symptoms.

For more information, see Section [1. Why am I using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?](#) in the full CMI.

2. What should I know before I use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

Do not use if you have ever had an allergic reaction to sumatriptan (as succinate) or any of the ingredients listed at the end of the CMI.

Talk to your doctor if you have any other medical conditions, take any other medicines, or are pregnant or plan to become pregnant or are breastfeeding.

For more information, see Section [2. What should I know before I use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?](#) in the full CMI.

3. What if I am taking other medicines?

Some medicines may interfere with IMIGRAN MIGRAINE and affect how it works.

A list of these medicines is in Section [3. What if I am taking other medicines?](#) in the full CMI.

4. How do I use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

- The recommended dose for adults aged 18 to 65 years is 50 mg (one tablet). If the first tablet helps your migraine, but the migraine comes back later, you may take another 50 mg tablet. Wait at least 2 hours after the first tablet was taken.
- Swallow the tablets whole with a glass of water. It does not matter if you take the tablet before or after food.

More instructions can be found in Section [4. How do I use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?](#) in the full CMI.

5. What should I know while using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

Things you should do	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Remind any doctor, dentist or pharmacist you visit that you are using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE.• Tell your doctor if you feel heaviness, pressure or tightness in any part of the body including the chest or throat.
Things you should not do	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do not give IMIGRAN MIGRAINE to anyone else even if their symptoms seem similar to yours.• Do not take more than 100 mg (2 tablets) in any 24-hour period.• Do not take any more IMIGRAN MIGRAINE if the first dose has not provided any relief from your symptoms.
Driving or using machines	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be careful before you drive or use any machines or tools until you know how IMIGRAN MIGRAINE affects you.
Looking after your medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Store in a cool dry place protected from light, where the temperature stays below 30°C.• Keep out of reach of children.

For more information, see Section [5. What should I know while using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?](#) in the full CMI.

6. Are there any side effects?

There are a number of side effects associated with this medicine. It is important to be aware of them so that you can identify any symptoms if they occur.

Less serious side effects include nausea, vomiting, shaking, pain, tingling, heat or cold, flushing in any part of the body. Serious side effects include convulsions, pain in the lower tummy, irregular heart beat, and feeling heavy or tightness in any part of the body including the chest or throat.

For more information, including what to do if you have any side effects, see Section [6. Are there any side effects?](#) in the full CMI.

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablets

Active ingredient: *sumatriptan (as succinate)*

Consumer Medicine Information (CMI)

This leaflet provides important information about using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE.

You should also speak to your doctor or pharmacist if you would like further information or if you have any concerns or questions about using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE.

Where to find information in this leaflet:

[1. Why am I using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?](#)

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1. Why am I using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE contains the active ingredient sumatriptan (as succinate).

Migraine headache is due to widening of certain blood vessels in the head. IMIGRAN MIGRAINE works by making those vessels normal again and eases the symptoms of migraine.

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE is used to relieve a migraine attack in patients who have a stable, well-established pattern of symptoms.

They should not be used to prevent migraine attacks from occurring.

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE does not work in other types of headache which are not a migraine.

2. What should I know before I use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

Warnings

Do not use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE if:

- you are allergic to sumatriptan succinate or any of the ingredients listed at the end of this leaflet.
- you have had heart disease or a heart attack
- you have shortness of breath, pain or tightness in the chest, jaw or upper arm
- you have peripheral vascular disease (pain in the back of the legs) or are prone to cold, tingling or numb hands and feet

- Prinzmetal's angina (an uncommon form of angina where pain is experienced at rest rather than during activity).
- angina
- uncontrolled high blood pressure
- severe liver disease
- you have taken any of the following medication in the last 24 hours:
 - ergotamine e.g. Cafergot
 - dihydroergotamine e.g. Dihydergot
 - methysergide e.g. Deseril
 - naratriptan e.g. Naramig
 - zolmitriptan e.g. Zomig.
- you have taken any of the following medicines in the last two weeks:
 - monoamine oxidase inhibitors e.g. MAOIs, a type of medication used for depression.
 - SSRIs (selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors) or SNRIs (serotonin-noradrenaline reuptake inhibitors) used to treat depression.
- the expiry date printed on the pack has passed
- the packaging is torn or shows signs of tampering.

Check with your doctor if you:

- are allergic to any other substances such as foods, dyes, preservatives or any other medicines including any that contain sulfur e.g. sulfonamide antibiotics.
- are allergic to lactose
- are taking or have taken medicines in the last two weeks including medicines you buy without a prescription, particularly containing St John's Wort and medicines prescribed for depression.
- have other medical conditions such as liver, kidney or heart problems
- have risk factors including high blood pressure even if it is under control, high blood cholesterol levels, a family history of heart problems, obesity, diabetes, you are a male and over 40 years of age, you are female and have undergone menopause or you smoke.
- suffer from epilepsy, seizures, or fits or have been told that you are prone to this problem
- have had a stroke.

During treatment, you may be at risk of developing certain side effects. It is important you understand these risks and how to monitor for them. See additional information under Section [6. Are there any side effects?](#)

Pregnancy and breastfeeding

Check with your doctor if you are pregnant or intend to become pregnant.

Talk to your doctor if you are breastfeeding or intend to breastfeed.

3. What if I am taking other medicines?

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you are taking any other medicines, including any medicines, vitamins or supplements that you buy without a prescription from your pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

Some medicines may interfere with IMIGRAN MIGRAINE and affect how well it works.

Check with your doctor or pharmacist if you are not sure about what medicines, vitamins or supplements you are taking and if these affect IMIGRAN MIGRAINE.

4. How do I use IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

How much to take

The recommended dose for adults aged 18 to 65 years is 50 mg (one tablet).

If the first tablet helps your migraine but the migraine comes back later, you may take another 50 mg tablet.

Wait at least two hours after the first tablet was taken.

Do not take more than 100 mg (2 tablets) in any 24-hour period.

Do not take more IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablets or any other form of IMIGRAN MIGRAINE if the first dose has not provided any relief from your symptoms.

You may take your usual headache relief medication provided it does not contain ergotamine or methysergide.

If you are not what to do, ask your doctor or pharmacist.

If your migraine is not relieved by IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablets, you may use this medicine on another occasion to treat another migraine attack.

When to take IMIGRAN MIGRAINE

It is best to take IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablets when the migraine headache begins or when other symptoms of the migraine begin such as nausea, vomiting and sensitivity to light and sound. If you take your tablet later during the migraine attack, it will still work.

Do not take your IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablet before the above symptoms occur.

It does not matter whether you take the tablets before or after food.

How to take it

Swallow the tablet whole with a glass of water. Do not crush or chew the tablet.

If you use too much IMIGRAN MIGRAINE

If you think that you have used too much IMIGRAN MIGRAINE, you may need urgent medical attention.

You should immediately:

- phone the Poisons Information Centre (by calling 13 11 26), or
- contact your doctor, or
- go to the Emergency Department at your nearest hospital.

You should do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning.

5. What should I know while using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE?

Things you should do

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if, for any reason, you have not taken your medicines exactly as directed.

Otherwise, your doctor or pharmacist may think that it is not working and change your treatment unnecessarily.

Call your doctor straight away if you:

- feel heaviness, pressure or tightness in any part of the body including the chest or throat
- feel irregular heart beats
- have a fit or convulsion
- have wheezing, swelling of the lips/mouth, difficulty in breathing, hay fever, lumpy rash "hives" or fainting. These could be symptoms of an allergic reaction.
- have persistent purple discolouration and/or pain in the fingers, toes, ears, nose or jaw in response to cold.

Stop taking IMIGRAN MIGRAINE tablets and seek medical attention straight away.

These side effects are likely to be serious.

Remind any doctor, dentist or pharmacist you visit that you are using IMIGRAN MIGRAINE.

Things you should not do

Do not give IMIGRAN MIGRAINE to anyone else even if their symptoms seem similar to yours.

Do not take any more IMIGRAN MIGRAINE if the first dose has not provided any relief from your symptoms.

Do not take more than 100 mg (2 tablets) in any 24-hour period.

Driving or using machines

Be careful before you drive or use any machines or tools until you know how IMIGRAN MIGRAINE affects you.

IMIGRAINE MIGRAINE tablets may cause drowsiness in some people.

Looking after your medicine

Keep your tablets in the blister pack where the temperature stays below 30°C.

Store it in a cool dry place away from moisture, heat or sunlight; for example, do not store it:

- in the bathroom or near a sink, or
- in the car or on window sills.

Keep it where young children cannot reach it.

Getting rid of any unwanted medicine

If you no longer need to use this medicine or it is out of date, take it to any pharmacy for safe disposal.

6. Are there any side effects?

All medicines can have side effects. If you do experience any side effects, most of them are minor and temporary. However, some side effects may need medical attention.

See the information below and, if you need to, ask your doctor or pharmacist if you have any further questions about side effects.

Less serious side effects

Less serious side effects	What to do
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• pain, tingling, heat or cold, flushing in any part of the body• feeling of sleepiness, dizziness, fainting or tiredness• nausea (feeling sick) or vomiting• change in blood pressure• hayfever• shaking, tremors or uncontrolled movements.	Speak to your doctor or pharmacist if you have any of these less serious side effects and they worry you.

Serious side effects

Side effects	What to do
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• feeling heavy, pressure or tightness in any part of the body including the chest or throat• irregular heart beats• convulsion or fits• problems with eyesight• pain in the lower tummy and bloody diarrhoea• persistent purple discolour and/or pain in the fingers, toes, ears, nose or jaw in response to cold. <p>Signs of serious allergic reaction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• wheezing, swelling of the lips/mouth• difficulty in breathing• lumpy rash or hives.	Call your doctor straight away, or go straight to the Emergency Department at your nearest hospital if you notice any of these serious side effects. You may need urgent medical attention.

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you notice anything else that may be making you feel unwell.

Other side effects not listed here may occur in some people.

Reporting side effects

After you have received medical advice for any side effects you experience, you can report side effects to the Therapeutic Goods Administration online at www.tga.gov.au/reporting-problems. By reporting side effects, you can help provide more information on the safety of this medicine.

Always make sure you speak to your doctor or pharmacist before you decide to stop taking any of your medicines.

7. Product details

This medicine is available without a doctor's prescription. It can be purchased at a pharmacy.

What IMIGRAN MIGRAINE contains

Active ingredient (main ingredient)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• sumatriptan (as succinate) 50 mg/tablet.
Other ingredients (inactive ingredients)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• lactose• lactose monohydrate• microcrystalline cellulose• croscarmellose sodium• magnesium stearate• opadry YS-1-1441-G.
Potential allergen	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• lactose

Do not take this medicine if you are allergic to any of these ingredients.

What IMIGRAN MIGRAINE looks like

IMIGRAN MIGRAINE 50 mg are pink, film-coated, capsule-shaped biconvex tablets engraved '50' on one side and plain on the other side. Available in blister packs of 2 tablets.

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Who distributes IMIGRAN MIGRAINE

Aspen Pharmacare Australia Pty Ltd
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