

KETOPROFEN

Generic Ingredient(s):	Ketoprofen
Legal Class:	POM
Drug Class:	Topical analgesics
How Supplied:	Ketoprofen
Price:	50mg cap, 28=£9.32. 100mg cap, 56=£6.66.
Indications:	Pain and inflammation in rheumatoid arthritis and other musculoskeletal disorders. Post-op. pain following orthopaedic surgery. Dysmenorrhoea Also indicated for: Topical and intra-articular preparations
Adults:	Rheumatic disease: 50—100mg twice daily with food. Pain and dysmenorrhoea: 50mg up to three times daily.
Children:	Not recommended.
Contraindications:	Aspirin/anti-inflammatory allergy, asthma. Severe renal dysfunction. Active peptic ulcer or history of recurrent peptic ulceration or chronic dyspepsia. Severe heart failure. Proctitis (suppos). Lactation.
Precautions:	History of bronchial asthma or allergic disease. Renal, hepatic or hepatic impairment, monitor on long-term therapy, history of GI disease. Coagulation defects. Mild to moderate heart failure. Elderly. Pregnancy.
Interactions:	Anticoagulants, quinolones, sulfonamides,

Side Effects:

phenytoin, lithium, methotrexate, digoxin, diuretics, mifepristone, antihypertensives, cardiac glycosides, ciclosporin, corticosteroids.

GI intolerance, ulcerative stomatitis, CNS effects, malaise, fatigue, paraesthesia, hypersensitivity reactions, nephrotoxicity, abnormal liver function, neurological, dermatological and haematological reactions.