

DRAMENEX *Tablets*

(Dimenhydrinate)

Anti-motionsickness -Antivertigo - Antiemetic

Composition:

Each tablet contains :

- Dimenhydrinate 50 mg.

Properties:

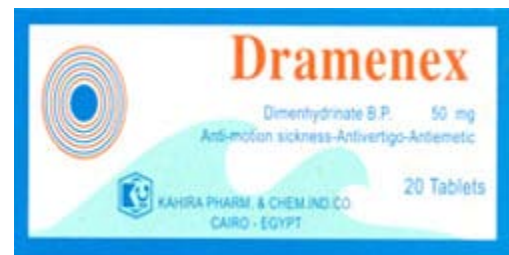
Dimenhydrinate, the active principle of DRAMENEX is the 8- chlorotheophylline salt of diphenhydramine . It is an antihistamine with considerable anti-motion sickness, antivertigo and antiemetic properties . Dimenhydrinate has also anticholinergic and central sedative effects.

Indications:

- Prevention and treatment of motion sickness.**
- Vertigo, nausea and vomiting associated with Meniere's disease and other labyrinthine disorders.**

Side Effects:

The most frequent side effect to dimenhydrinate is drowsiness. Other reported less frequent side effects, include : dryness of mouth, nose and throat, blurred vision, difficult or painful urination, headache, dizziness, restlessness or insomnia especially in children), anorexia, constipation, tachycardia, skin rash , and photosensitivity .



Contraindications:

- Hypersensitivity to dimenhydrinate or its components.
- Conditions which may be aggravated by anticholinergic drugs e.g. narrow angle glaucoma , prostatic hypertrophy , etc.

Dosage:

1- Adults and children over 12 years : 1-2 tablets 2—3 times daily.

2- Children :

- 1 - 6 years: 0.25 – 0.5 2 - 3 times daily.
- 6-12 years: 0.5 – 1 tablet 2 - 3 times daily.
- For prevention of motion sickness : The first dose should be taken at least 30 minutes before traveling.

Packing:

- Boxes of 20 tablets (2 strips X 10 tablets).
- Boxes of 100 tablets (10 strips X 10 tablets).