

Summary of Product Characteristics

1 NAME OF THE MEDICINAL PRODUCT

Atacand 16mg Tablets

2 QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION

Each tablet contains 16mg candesartan cilexetil.

Excipients: Contains lactose monohydrate

For a full list of excipients, see 6.1

3 PHARMACEUTICAL FORM

Tablets

Product imported from the UK:

Round, light pink tablets with one convex side and one scored flat side, embossing 16 on convex side.

Product imported from Italy:

Round, light pink tablets with a score and marked A/CH on one side and 016 on the other side.

4 CLINICAL PARTICULARS

As per PA0970/030/003

5 PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

As per PA0970/030/003

6 PHARMACEUTICAL PARTICULARS

6.1 List of excipients

Carmellose calcium
Hydroxypropyl cellulose
Iron oxide red (E172)
Lactose monohydrate
Magnesium stearate
Maize starch
Macrogol

6.2 Incompatibilities

Not applicable

6.3 Shelf life

The shelf-life expiry date of this product is the date shown on the blister strip and outer package of the product in the country of origin

6.4 Special precautions for storage

Do not store above 30°C

6.5 Nature and contents of container

UK Product

Cardboard carton containing 4 polypropylene blister strips (7 tablets per strip).
Pack size 28 tablets.

Italian Product

Over-labelled cardboard carton containing 2 blister strips (14 tablets per strip).
Pack size 28 tablets.

6.6 Special precautions for disposal of a used medicinal product or waste materials derived from such medicinal product and other handling of the product

No special requirements

7 PARALLEL PRODUCT AUTHORISATION HOLDER

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8 PARALLEL PRODUCT AUTHORISATION NUMBER

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9 DATE OF FIRST AUTHORISATION/RENEWAL OF THE AUTHORISATION

Date of first authorisation: 5th February 2010

10 DATE OF REVISION OF THE TEXT

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