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# POTASSIUM BROMIDE

**(BRAND NAME: K-Brovect)**

**STRENGTH:** 250 mg and 500 mg Tablets, Oral Solution

**ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION:** ORAL

Should be given with food to mask the bitter taste and reduce potential for upset stomach.

**ACTION OF MEDICATION:** Treatment of seizure disorders by competing with chloride channels in the brain. Often combined with other anti-seizure medications.

**MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED:** Sedation, excessive thirst and water consumption. Increase in appetite is possible. Upset stomach especially if not given with food.

**SEVERE SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED:** Pancreatitis. Sedation can be profound.

**STORAGE:** Keep away from light and store at room temperature. Do not refrigerate.

**IF YOU MISS A DOSE:** Do not double up on the next dose. Simply give the medication when it is remembered or pick up with the next dose, allowing at least the proper interval between doses according to the label instructions.

**OTHER INFORMATION:** Low sodium diets can increase bromide blood levels. The same is ironically true for high salt diets and snacks. Dose changes take months to exert clinical change. This medication should not be used in cats.

For a more detailed presentation, visit:

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