## **TOCERANIB**

(BRAND NAME: Palladia)

**STRENGTH:** 10 mg, 15 mg, 50 mg Tablets.

**ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION: ORAL** 

May be given with or without food.

**ACTION OF MEDICATION:** Tyrosine Kinese inhibitor mostly used against Grade 2 or Grade 3 mast cell tumors but has been found effective for many other tumors.

**MOST COMMON SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED:** Vomiting, diarrhea, appetite loss, lameness, weight loss.

**SEVERE SIDE EFFECTS REPORTED:** Any of the above can be serious. The manufacturer recommends stopping the drug and reporting: more than 2 episodes of vomiting or diarrhea in a 24 hour period, appetite loss, more than 2 days of fresh blood in stool, unexplained bruising. Other serious effects include reduced blood albumin levels, kidney disease, pancreatitis, seizures, and nose bleeds.

**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:** Wear gloves when handling this medication as well as when handling waste produced by an animal on this medication. Waste should be double bagged when disposed in the trash. Animals on this medication should not be allowed to urinate or defecate in public places.

Wash items of laundry contaminated with toceranib separately.

Do not break the tablets or crush them.

This medication may be used in dogs as well as cats but has not been tested for safety in dogs under 11 lbs.

For a more detailed presentation, visit:

www.marvistavet.com/toceranib-phosphate.pml