PRODUCT INFORMATION



Fosfomycin (calcium salt)

Item No. 35535

CAS Registry No.:	26016-98-8
Formal Name:	P-[(2R,3S)-3-methyl-2-oxiranyl]-
	phosphonic acid, monocalcium salt
Synonym:	Phosphomycin Calcium
MF:	$C_3H_5O_4P \bullet Ca$
FW:	176.1
Purity:	≥95%
Supplied as:	A solid
Storage:	-20°C
Stability:	≥4 years
Information represents	s the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are pro

• Ca²⁺

provided on each certificate of analysis.

Laboratory Procedures

Fosfomycin (calcium salt) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the fosfomycin (calcium salt) in water. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

Description

Fosfomycin is a broad-spectrum bactericidal antibiotic.^{1,2} It is active against Salmonella and P. aeruginosa at 1.56 and 6.25 µg/ml, respectively, as well as methicillin-sensitive S. aureus (MSSA), cephalosporin- and penicillin-resistant S. pneumoniae, methicillin-resistant S. aureus (MRSA), and vancomycin-resistant Enterococcus. Formulations containing fosfomycin have been used in the treatment of urinary tract infections.

References

- 1. Goto, S. Fosfomycin, antimicrobial activity in vitro and in vivo. Chemotherapy 23(Suppl. 1), 63-74 (1977).
- 2. Michalopoulos, A.S., Livaditis, I.G., and Gougoutas, V. The revival of fosfomycin. Int. J. Infect. Dis. 15(11), e732-e739 (2011).

WARNING THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

SAFETY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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