

Furadantin[®]

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Viartis

Tablett 5 mg

(gula, runda, kupiga, med krysskåra och prägling FV inom bågar, 9 mm)

Kemoterapeutikum mot urinvägsinfektioner

Aktiv substans:

Nitrofurantoin (vattenfri)

ATC-kod:

J01XE01

Läkemedel från Viartis omfattas av Läkemedelsförsäkringen.

Miljöpåverkan

Nitrofurantoin

Miljörisk: Risk för miljöpåverkan av nitrofurantoin kan inte uteslutas då ekotoxikologiska data saknas.

Nedbrytning: Det kan inte uteslutas att nitrofurantoin är persistent, då data saknas.

Bioackumulering: Nitrofurantoin har låg potential att bioackumuleras.

Detaljerad miljöinformation

Detailed background information

Environmental Risk Classification

Predicted Environmental Concentration (PEC)

PEC is calculated according to the following formula:

$$PEC(\mu\text{g/L}) = (A \cdot 10^9 \cdot (100 - R)) / (365 \cdot P \cdot V \cdot D \cdot 100) = 1.5 \cdot 10^{-6} \cdot A(100 - R)$$

$$PEC = 0,05 \mu\text{g/L}$$

Where:

A = 321,5218 kg (total amount API of nitrofurantoin in Sweden year 2019, data from IQVIA) (Ref. 1).

R = removal rate = 0% (no data available)

P = number of inhabitants in Sweden = $9 \cdot 10^6$

V (L/day) = volume of waste water per capita and day = 200 (ECHA default) (Ref. 2)

D = factor for dilution of waste water by surface water flow = 10 (ECHA default) (Ref. 2)

Ecotoxicological studies

No ecotoxicological data available.

Degradation

No degradation data available.

Bioaccumulation

An experimentally derived Log K_{ow} of -0,47 (unknown method) (Ref. 3) indicates that nitrofurantoin has low potential for bioaccumulation.

Log K_{ow} <4 which justifies the phrase "Nitrofurantoin has low potential for bioaccumulation".

Excretion (metabolism)

Excretion of nitrofurantoin occurs via glomerular filtration (ca 20%) and secretion through proximal tubule (ca 80%). Between 30 and 50% of the dose is excreted in urine as active form (ref. 4).

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