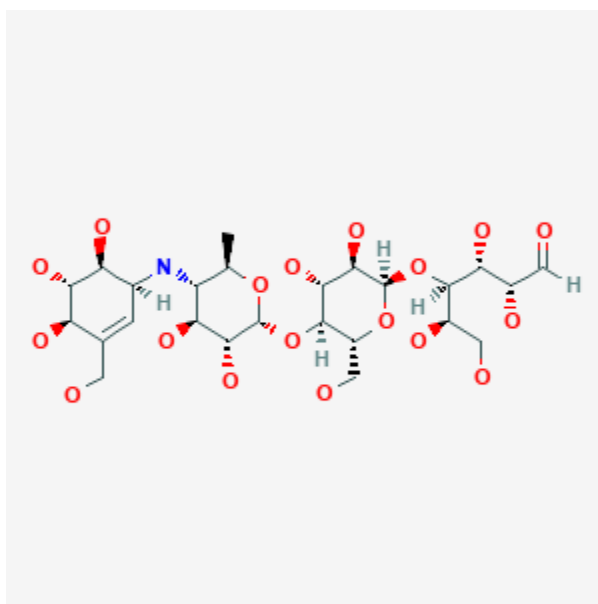




## Acarbose

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## Drug Levels and Effects

### Summary of Use during Lactation

Because less than 2% of a dose of acarbose is absorbed from the mother's gastrointestinal tract, it is unlikely that any drug reaches the infant through breastmilk.[1]

### Drug Levels

*Maternal Levels.* Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

*Infant Levels.* Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

### Effects in Breastfed Infants

Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

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## Effects on Lactation and Breastmilk

Relevant published information was not found as of the revision date.

## Alternate Drugs to Consider

Glipizide, Glyburide, Insulin, Metformin, Miglitol

## References

1. Everett JA. Use of oral antidiabetic agents during breastfeeding. *J Hum Lact.* 1997;13:319-21. PubMed PMID: 9429368.

## Substance Identification

### Substance Name

Acarbose

### CAS Registry Number

56180-94-0

### Drug Class

Breast Feeding

Lactation

Hypoglycemic Agents