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Apixaban

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CASRN: 503612-47-3

Drug Levels and Effects

Summary of Use during Lactation

Because no information is available on the use of apixaban during breastfeeding and the drug is orally absorbable, an alternate drug is preferred while nursing a newborn or preterm infant.[1][2][3]

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

Dalteparin, Enoxaparin, Heparin, Warfarin

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Substance Identification

Substance Name

Apixaban

CAS Registry Number

503612-47-3

Drug Class

Breast Feeding

Lactation

Anticoagulants

Antithrombins