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### **Articaine**

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CASRN: 23964-58-1

# **Drug Levels and Effects**

# **Summary of Use during Lactation**

No information is available on the use of articaine during breastfeeding. Based on the low excretion of other local anesthetics into breastmilk, a single dose of articaine injected during breastfeeding is unlikely to adversely affect the breastfed infant. However, an alternate drug may be preferred, especially while nursing a newborn or preterm infant.

### **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.

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### **Effects in Breastfed Infants**

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

#### **Effects on Lactation and Breastmilk**

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

# **Substance Identification**

#### **Substance Name**

Articaine

# **CAS Registry Number**

23964-58-1

# **Drug Class**

**Breast Feeding** 

Lactation

Anesthetics, Local