

SAFETY DATA SHEET



1. Identification

Product identifier Cefovecin Sodium for Injection

Other means of identification
Synonyms CONVENIA * Convenia® * Convenia® Antibiotic Injection

Recommended use Veterinary product used as antibiotic agent

Recommended restrictions Not for human use

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

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Rocky Mountain Poison & Drug Safety 1-866-531-8896

Product Support/Technical Services 1-888-963-8471

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Supplier Not available.

2. Hazard identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Sensitization, skin Category 1

Environmental hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Warning

Hazard statement May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Precautionary statement
Prevention Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves.

Response IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

Disposal	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.
Supplemental information	Individuals who are sensitive to beta lactam antibiotics, both penicillins and cephalosporins, may experience contact or systemic hypersensitivity and anaphylaxis upon exposure to this drug.
Other hazards	None known.

3. Composition/information on ingredients

Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Cefovecin sodium	UK-287,074-02 Cefovecin	141195-77-9	< 10

All concentrations are in percent by weight unless ingredient is a gas. Gas concentrations are in percent by volume.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation	Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist. For breathing difficulties, oxygen may be necessary.
Skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. In case of eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and take along these instructions.
Eye contact	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If easy to do, remove contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Call a physician or poison control centre immediately. Only induce vomiting at the instruction of medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.
Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed	Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Individuals who are sensitive to beta lactam antibiotics, both penicillins and cephalosporins, may experience contact or systemic hypersensitivity and anaphylaxis upon exposure to this drug.
General information	IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO ₂).
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Fire fighting equipment/instructions	Use water spray to cool unopened containers.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
General fire hazards	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Ventilate the contaminated area. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe dust. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
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Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Ensure adequate ventilation. Prevent product from entering drains.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Collect spill with an inert, non-combustible absorbent material and transfer to labeled container for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

Small Spills: Wipe up with a damp cloth and place in container for disposal. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Prevent release to the environment.

Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Avoid accidental injection.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store at 2-8°C. Prolonged exposure to higher temperatures may adversely affect potency. Do not freeze. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Do not store in direct sunlight. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Protect from light. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

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Components

Type

Value

Cefovecin sodium (CAS 141195-77-9)

TWA

1000 µg/m³

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Exposure guidelines

OEL Additional Information: Sensitizer

Control banding approach

Not available.

Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. General ventilation normally adequate.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.

Skin protection

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves. Impervious gloves are recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

Other

Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Respiratory protection should be provided in instances where exposure to dust, mists, aerosols or vapors are likely. If the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL.

Thermal hazards

Not applicable.

General hygiene considerations

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Solid.
Form	Solid.
Colour	Off-white to yellow
Odour	Not available.
Melting point/freezing point	Not available.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	Not available.
Flammability	Not available.
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	
Explosive limit - lower (%)	Not available.
Explosive limit – upper (%)	Not available.
Flash point	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
pH	> 6.2 - < 7.5 (reconstituted)
Kinematic viscosity	Not available.
Solubility	
Solubility (water)	Not available.
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water) (log value)	Not available.
Vapour pressure	Not available.
Density and/or relative density	Not available.
Vapour density	Not available.
Particle characteristics	Not available.
Other information	
Explosive properties	Not explosive.
Oxidising properties	Not oxidising.

10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Conditions to avoid	Sunlight. Heat, flames and sparks. Contact with incompatible materials.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidising agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

11. Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation Prolonged inhalation may be harmful. Under normal conditions of intended use, this material is not expected to be an inhalation hazard. Individuals who are sensitive to beta lactam antibiotics, both penicillins and cephalosporins, may experience contact or systemic hypersensitivity and anaphylaxis upon exposure to this drug.

Skin contact May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Cefovecin sodium Species: Rabbit
Severity: Non-irritating

Eye contact Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Eye contact

Cefovecin sodium

Species: Rabbit
Severity: Minimal**Ingestion**

Ingestion of large amounts may produce gastrointestinal disturbances including irritation, nausea, and diarrhoea. However, ingestion is not likely to be a primary route of occupational exposure.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash.

Information on toxicological effects**Acute toxicity**

Allergic reactions are possible.

Components**Species****Test Results**

Cefovecin sodium (CAS 141195-77-9)

Acute**Dermal**

LD50

Rat

> 2000 mg/kg

Oral

LD50

Rat

> 2000 mg/kg

MTD

Dog

1000 mg/kg

Subcutaneous

MTD

Dog

> 2000 mg/kg

Subacute**Subcutaneous**

NOAEL

Cat

60 mg/kg/day, 5 weeks No effects at maximum dose

Dog

60 mg/kg/day, 5 weeks No effects at maximum dose

Subchronic**Subcutaneous**

NOAEL

Cat

40 mg/kg/day, 16 weeks [Target organ(s): Gastrointestinal system]

Dog

40 mg/kg/day, 16 weeks No effects at maximum dose

Skin corrosion/irritation

Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

Corrosivity

Cefovecin sodium

Species: Rabbit
Severity: Non-irritating**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Eye contact

Cefovecin sodium

Species: Rabbit
Severity: Minimal**Respiratory or skin sensitisation****Respiratory sensitisation**

Not a respiratory sensitiser.

Skin sensitisation

May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Skin Sensitisation

Cefovecin sodium

LLNA
Species: Mouse
Severity: positive

Germ cell mutagenicity No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.

Mutagenicity
Cefovecin sodium

Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames)
Result: Negative
Species: Salmonella , E. coli

In Vivo Micronucleus
Result: Negative
Species: Rat Bone Marrow

Mammalian Cell Mutagenicity
Result: Equivocal without activation
Species: Mouse Lymphoma

Carcinogenicity This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.

Reproductive toxicity This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible. This product may affect Kidneys. through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

Further information Caution - Pharmaceutical agent. Individuals who are sensitive to beta lactam antibiotics, both penicillins and cephalosporins, may experience contact or systemic hypersensitivity and anaphylaxis upon exposure to this drug. Pseudomembranous colitis (manifested by watery diarrhea, urge to defecate, abdominal cramps, low-grade fever, bloody stools, and abdominal pain) may also occur.

12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity Avoid release to the environment. The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Components		Species	Test Results
Cefovecin sodium (CAS 141195-77-9)	IC50	Polytox	10.31 mg/l
	MIC	Polytox	1.85 mg/l
	<i>Acute</i>		
	ErC50	Anabaena flos-aquae (Cyanobacteria)	> 6.32 µg/l, 72 Hours
Aquatic			
Crustacea	EC50	Daphnia magna (Water Flea)	> 1000 mg/l, 48 Hours
	LC50	Mysidopsis bahia (Mysid Shrimp)	580 mg/l, 48 Hours
Fish	LC50	Cyprinodon variegatus (Sheepshead Minnow)	770 mg/l, 48 Hours

Persistence and degradability No data is available on the degradability of this product. Cephalosporins are susceptible to degradation by a number of microorganisms found in waste water treatment plants and the general environment. Resulting degradation products are readily mineralised by environmental microorganisms.

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

Disposal instructions	Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater.
Local disposal regulations	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Hazardous waste code	The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company. None known.
Waste from residues / unused products	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner.
Contaminated packaging	Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

14. Transport information

TDG	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IATA	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
IMDG	Not regulated as dangerous goods.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

Canadian regulations	This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the HPR and the SDS contains all the information required by the HPR.	
Controlled Drugs and Substances Act	Not regulated.	
Export Control List (CEPA 1999, Schedule 3)	Not listed.	
Greenhouse Gases	Not listed.	
Precursor Control Regulations	Not regulated.	
International regulations		
Stockholm Convention	Not applicable.	
Rotterdam Convention	Not applicable.	
Kyoto Protocol	Not applicable.	
Montreal Protocol	Not applicable.	
Basel Convention	Not applicable.	

International Inventories			
Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*	
Australia	Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals (AICIS)	No	

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	No
Taiwan	Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory (TCSI)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

16. Other information

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