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Guidance on Zidovudine

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Active ingredient: Zidovudine

Form/Route: Tablets/Oral

Recommended studies: 2 studies

1. Type of study: Fasting

Design: Single-dose, two-treatment, two-period crossover in-vivo

Strength: 300 mg

Subjects: Normal healthy males and females, general population

Additional Comments:

2. Type of study: Fed

Design: Single-dose, two-treatment, two-period crossover in-vivo

Strength: 300 mg

Subjects: Normal healthy males and females, general population

Additional comments:

Analytes to measure (in appropriate biological fluid): Zidovudine in plasma

Bioequivalence based on (90% CI): Zidovudine

Waiver request of in-vivo testing: Not Applicable

Dissolution test method and sampling times:

Please conduct comparative dissolution testing on 12 dosage units of all strengths of the test and reference products using the following USP method.