







General description

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| INN | Piperacillin + tazobactam |
| ATC codes | J01CR05 |
| Medicine type | Chemical agent |
| Antibiotic groups |  WATCH |
| EML status history | First added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Neutropenia Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Peritoneal abscess Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Peritonitis Added in 2017 (TRS 1006) for Other specified pneumonia Added in 2021 (TRS 1035) for Necrotising fasciitis |
| Wikipedia | Piperacillin + tazobactam  |
| DrugBank | Piperacillin  Tazobactam  |

Recommendations

Section Watch group antibiotics

Parenteral > General injections > IV: 2 g (as sodium salt) + 250 mg (as sodium salt) powder for injection; 4 g (as sodium salt) + 500 mg (as sodium salt) powder for injection

Indications

First choice

Peritoneal abscess (severe)

Other specified pneumonia (Hospital-acquired pneumonia)

Peritonitis (severe)

Neutropenia (high-risk)

co-prescribed with [clindamycin](#)

Necrotising fasciitis

