

Teicoplanin

Usual Diluents

Stable in NS, LR, D₅W

Reconstitution

Avoid foaming of solution by slowly adding entire contents of water ampul for reconstitution and gently rolling the vial until powder is completely dissolved. If the solution becomes foamy let stand for 15 minutes. Reconstituted solution may be directly injected or further diluted for infusion.

Administration

May administer as a bolus injection or as an infusion over 30 minutes. **Note:** Must infuse over 30 minutes in neonates. Do **not** administer bolus injection in neonates

Stability / Miscellaneous

Store unopened vials below 25°C (77°F). Upon reconstitution, use immediately. May store reconstituted solution between 2°C to 8°C (36°F to 46°F); discard within 24 hours. Do not store solution in a syringe. Teicoplanin is stable in peritoneal dialysis solution containing 1.36% or 3.86% dextrose for ≤24 hours.