

## **Tenofovir Alafenamide PK Fact Sheet**

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#### **Details**

Generic Name Tenofovir alafenamide fumarate (TAF)

Trade Name Vemlidy® (for hepatitis B)

Class Nucleoside/nucleotide Reverse Transcription Inhibitor

Molecular Weight 534.5

Structure

### **Summary of Key Pharmacokinetic Parameters**

Tenofovir alafenamide is a phosphonamidate prodrug of tenofovir and is primarily hydrolyzed to form tenofovir. Intracellular tenofovir is subsequently phosphorylated to the pharmacologically active metabolite tenofovir diphosphate.

Linearity/non-linearity Tenofovir alafenamide exposures are dose proportional over the dose range of 8 to 125 mg.

Steady state Not reported

Plasma half-life TAF 0.51 h; tenofovir 32.37 h (median).

Cmax TAF 0.27 (63.3) μg/ml; tenofovir 0.03 (24.6) μg/ml (mean, CV%),

from multiple dose administration in subjects with chronic hepatitis B.

Ctrough TAF not applicable; tenofovir 0.01 (39.6) µg/ml (mean, CV%),

from multiple dose administration in subjects with chronic hepatitis B.

AUC TAF 0.27 (47.8) μg·h/ml; tenofovir 0.40 (35.2) μg·h/ml (mean, CV%),

from multiple dose administration in subjects with chronic hepatitis B.

Bioavailability Not reported

Absorption Relative to fasting conditions, the administration of a single dose of Vemlidy with a high fat

meal resulted in a 65% increase in tenofovir alafenamide exposure.

Protein Binding TAF ~80%; tenofovir <0.7%

Volume of Distribution Not reported

CSF:Plasma ratio Not reported

Semen:Plasma ratio Not reported

Renal Clearance TAF - <1% renally excreted unchanged

Tenofovir - renally eliminated by glomerular filtration and active tubular secretion

Renal Impairment No dose adjustment is required in patients with CrCl ≥15 mL/min or in patients with

CrCl <15 mL/min who are receiving haemodialysis (on haemodialysis days, Vemlidy should be administered after completion of haemodialysis treatment). No dosing recommendations can

be given for patients with CrCl <15 mL/min who are not receiving haemodialysis.

Hepatic Impairment No dosage adjustment is required in patients with mild hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh A).

Vemlidy is not recommended in patients with decompensated (Child-Pugh B or C) hepatic

impairment.



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### **Metabolism and Distribution**

Metabolised by Carboxylesterase-1, cathepsin A, CYP3A (minimal)

Inducer of None expected.

Does not induce CYP3A in vivo.

Inhibitor of None expected.

Does not inhibit CYP3A in vivo. Does not inhibit CYP1A2, CYP2B6, CYP2C8, CYP2C9, CYP2C19,

CYP2D6 or UGT1A1 in vitro

Transported by P-gp, BCRP, OATP1B1, OATP1B3,

### References

Unless otherwise stated (see below), information is from:

Vemlidy ® Summary of Product Characteristics, Gilead Sciences Ltd.

Vemlidy ® Prescribing Information, Gilead Sciences Inc.