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Draft Guidance on Penicillamine

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Active Ingredient: Penicillamine

Dosage Form; Route: Tablet; oral

Recommended studies: One study

Type of study: Fasting

Design: Single-dose, two-way crossover in-vivo

Strength: 250 mg

Subjects: Healthy males and non-pregnant, non-lactating females

Additional Comments: None

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

Bioequivalence based on (90% CI): Penicillamine

Waiver request of in-vivo testing: N/A

Dissolution test method and sampling times: The dissolution information for this drug product can be found on the FDA-Recommended Dissolution Methods website available to the public at the following location: http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cder/dissolution/. Conduct comparative dissolution testing on 12 dosage units each of all strengths of the test and reference products. Specifications will be determined upon review of the abbreviated new drug application (ANDA).