

Tegoprazan Tablets 50 mg

TEGISE™ 50

1. GENERIC NAME

Tegoprazan Tablets 50 mg

2. QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE COMPOSITION

Each film coated tablets contains:
Tegoprazan.....50mg
Excipients.....q.s.

Colors: Titanium dioxide LP and Iron oxide Red NF

3. DOSAGE FORM AND STRENGTH

Tablets and 50 mg

4. CLINICAL PARTICULARS

4.1 Therapeutic indications

Tegoprazan 50 mg is indicated for
• Treatment of Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease,
• Treatment of Non-Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease,
• Treatment of Gastric Ulcer

4.2 Pharmacology and method of administration

Pharmacology
Adult

Treatment of Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease

- 50 mg once daily for 4 weeks.
- For patients who do not heal or have persistent symptoms after 4 weeks, an additional 4-week treatment may be considered.

Treatment of Non-Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease

- 50 mg once daily for 4 weeks.

Treatment of Gastric Ulcer

- 50 mg once daily for 8 weeks.

Method of administration

Oral use.

Tegoprazan can be taken without regard to food.

4.3 Contraindications

- Patients with hypersensitivity to tegoprazan, any of the product components or substituted benzimidazoles
- Patients who take atazanavir, nelfinavir or nirmivirine-containing products
- Pregnant women or nursing mothers

4.4 Special warnings and precautions for use

- Hepatic impairment: Safety and efficacy of tegoprazan have not been established in patients with hepatic impairment.
- Renal impairment: Safety and efficacy of tegoprazan have not been established in patients with renal impairment.
- Elderly people: In general, tegoprazan should be administered to the elderly patients with caution, keeping in mind the greater frequency of decreased physiological functions, such as liver or kidney.
- Pediatric Use: Clinical safety and efficacy of Tegoprazan in pediatric and adolescent have not been established

General Precautions

1) In the presence of any alarm symptom (e.g. significant unintentional weight loss, recurrent vomiting, dysphagia, haematemesis or melena) and when gastric ulcer is suspected or present, malignancy should be excluded, as treatment with tegoprazan may alleviate symptoms and delay diagnosis.

2) Cyanocobalamin (Vitamin B₁₂) Deficiency: Daily treatment with any acid-suppressing medications over a long period of time (e.g., longer than 3 years) may lead to malabsorption of cyanocobalamin (Vitamin B₁₂) and achylia gastrica. Rare reports of cyanocobalamin deficiency occurring with acid-suppressing therapy have been reported in the literature. This diagnosis should be considered if clinical symptoms consistent with cyanocobalamin deficiency are observed.

3) Patient should be monitored regularly when treated with tegoprazan for long term

4) Gastric polyp was observed with long term use of P-CABs and tegoprazan

5) Gastric ulcer: Clinical experience on long term use is insufficient. Do not administer for patient who do not require maintenance therapy

6) Bone Fracture: Several published observational studies suggest that PPI therapy may be associated with an increased risk for osteoporosis-related fractures of the hip, wrist, or spine. The risk of fracture was increased in patients who received high-dose (defined as multiple daily doses) and long-term PPI therapy (a year or longer). Patients should use the appropriate dose and shortest duration of tegoprazan therapy appropriate to the condition being treated. Patients at risk for osteoporosis-related fractures should be managed according to established treatment guidelines.

7) Hypomagnesemia has been reported rarely in patients treated with PPIs for at least three months, in most cases after a year of therapy. In most patients, treatment of hypomagnesemia required magnesium replacement and discontinuation of the PPIs. For patients expected to be on prolonged treatment or who take tegoprazan with medications such as digoxin or drugs that may cause hypomagnesemia (e.g., diuretics), healthcare professionals may consider monitoring magnesium levels prior to initiation of treatment and periodically. Serious adverse reactions include tetany, arrhythmias, and seizures.

8) Decreased gastric acidity due to PPIs increases counts of bacteria normally present in the gastrointestinal tract. Treatment with gastric acid suppressants may possibly increase the risk of gastrointestinal infections such as *Salmonella*, *Campylobacter* and *Clostridium difficile*. Published observational studies suggest that PPI therapy may be associated with an increased risk of *Clostridium difficile*-associated diarrhea (CDAD), especially in hospitalized patients. This diagnosis should be considered for diarrhea that does not improve. CDAD has been reported with use of nearly all anti-bacterial agents. Patients should use the lowest dose and shortest duration of tegoprazan therapy appropriate to the condition being treated.

9) Fungic gland polyp: Risk of fungic gland polyps increases with long-term use of PPIs, especially beyond one year. Fungic gland polyps are mostly asymptomatic. Use the shortest duration and the lowest dose of PPI and tegoprazan according to symptoms.

4.5 Drug interactions

1. Effects of other drugs on tegoprazan

Tegoprazan is metabolized in liver by CYP3A4. In vitro studies have shown that ketotifen, a CYP3A4 inhibitor, significantly inhibited the metabolism of tegoprazan, and while inhibitors of CYP2C8, CYP2C9, CYP2C19, CYP2D6 did not significantly reduced the metabolism of tegoprazan. Concomitant use of tegoprazan with CYP3A4 inhibitors may elevate exposure of tegoprazan.

Tegoprazan is a substrate of P-gp. In vitro studies have shown that the efflux ratio of tegoprazan was decreased by verapamil, a P-gp inhibitor. Co-administration of tegoprazan and P-gp inhibitors may result in increasing activity of tegoprazan depending on substrates and it is expected that the plasma concentrations of some drugs which are substrate for P-gp, co-administration of tegoprazan with clarithromycin (substrates and inhibitors of CYP3A4 and P-gp) resulted in increase of C_{max} and AUC₀₋₂₄ of tegoprazan by 1.65 times and 2.5 times, respectively. AUC₀₋₂₄ of clarithromycin increased slightly by 1.25 times and there was no significant increase of C_{max}. Neither adverse reactions nor adverse drug reactions were observed.

In healthy adult subjects, co-administration of tegoprazan with metronidazole, tetracycline and bismuth resulted in decrease of the AUC₀₋₂₄ and C_{max} of tegoprazan by 0.78 times and 0.75 times, respectively, and the AUC₀₋₂₄ of tegoprazan metabolite M1 decreased by 0.77 times and C_{max} by 0.84 times, compared to when tegoprazan was administered alone. However, no clinically significant adverse reactions or adverse drug reactions were observed.

2. Effects of tegoprazan on other drugs

In vitro studies have shown that tegoprazan showed competitive inhibition against CYP2C8 and CYP3A4. But, the IC₅₀ values were approximately 25-fold greater than the peak plasma concentration of the recommended human dose.

For OATP1B1, there was a difference in the inhibitory activity of tegoprazan depending on substrates and it is expected that the plasma concentrations of some drugs which are substrate for OATP1B1 may be increased slightly considering the IC₅₀ at the clinical doses.

As a result of co-administration of tegoprazan with metronidazole, tetracycline and bismuth to healthy adults, compared to the co-administration of metronidazole, tetracycline and bismuth, the pharmacokinetic parameters were not affected, and the AUC₀₋₂₄ of tetracycline was decreased by 0.62 times, C_{max} decreased by 0.64 times, AUC₀₋₂₄ of bismuth increased by 1.55 times, and C_{max} increased by 1.38 times, but no clinically significant adverse reactions or adverse drug reactions were observed.

3. Drugs Dependent on Gastric pH for Absorption

Due to its effects on gastric acid secretion, tegoprazan can reduce the absorption of drugs where gastric pH is an important determinant of their bioavailability. Like with other drugs that decrease the intragastric acidity, the absorption of drugs such as ketotifen, itraconazole, ampicillin ester, atazanavir, iron salts, erlotinib, gefitinib and myophenolate mofetil (MMF) can decrease during treatment with tegoprazan. While absorption of drugs such as digoxin can increase during treatment with tegoprazan.

Because tegoprazan inhibits gastric acid secretion, co-administration of atazanavir, nelfinavir and nirmivir with tegoprazan is expected to decrease plasma concentration of atazanavir, nelfinavir or nirmivir which is dependent on gastric pH for absorption, results in a loss of the therapeutic effect. Therefore, concomitant use of atazanavir, nelfinavir and nirmivir with tegoprazan is contraindicated.

4. Tegoprazan is mainly metabolized by CYP3A4. Concomitant use of clarithromycin, a CYP3A4 inhibitor, with tegoprazan has increased AUC₀₋₂₄ of tegoprazan and clarithromycin by 2.5 times and 1.25 times, respectively.

5. Tegoprazan has been shown to have no effects on the pharmacokinetic profiles of amoxicillin.

6. Tegoprazan has been shown to have no effects on the pharmacokinetic profiles of atorvastatin.

7. Concomitant use of tegoprazan and NSAIDs (Naproxen, Acetofenac or Celecoxib) has been shown to have no clinically significant effects on the pharmacokinetic profiles.

4.6 Use in special populations (such as pregnant women, lactating women, paediatric patients, geriatric patients etc.)

Pregnant women

There is no safety data for exposure to tegoprazan in pregnant women. In an embryo-fetal development study, short supernumerary cervical ribs were observed with a higher incidence in rats. Therefore, tegoprazan is contraindicated during pregnancy.

Nursing mothers

As it is not known whether tegoprazan is excreted into human milk, discontinue nursing while taking tegoprazan. Excretion of tegoprazan into milk has been reported in rats.

Paediatric population

Clinical safety and efficacy of tegoprazan in pediatric and adolescent patients have not been established.

Geriatric use

In general, tegoprazan should be administered to the elderly patients with caution, keeping in mind the greater frequency of decreased physiological functions, such as liver or kidney.

4.7 Effects on ability to drive and use machines

No studies on the effects on the ability to drive and use machines have been performed for tegoprazan, and the loss of this ability cannot be predicted from its pharmacological action. Nevertheless, when considering the patient's ability to drive and use machines, the clinical condition of the patient and the adverse reactions of the drug should be considered.

4.8 Undesirable effects

1) A total of 5 clinical studies were conducted with erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease and non-erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease and gastric ulcer patients. 360 patients were treated with tegoprazan 50 mg. Adverse reactions and adverse drug reactions (marked with *) reported during the clinical trials are as following:
Common adverse reactions reported (≥1%) in tegoprazan 50 mg treatment group are presented in Table 1

Table 1: Adverse reactions (%) reported in ≥1% patients from clinical trials

System Organ Class	Adverse reactions
Gastrointestinal disorders	Nausea, diarrhoea, dyspepsia
Infections and Infestations	Nasopharyngitis, viral upper respiratory tract infection
General disorders and administration site conditions	Chest discomfort

Less common adverse reactions reported in <1% patients after administration of tegoprazan 50 mg from clinical studies are listed below by System Organ Class:
Gastrointestinal Disorders: abdominal pain upper, abdominal discomfort*, constipation*, abdominal pain*, abdominal distension*, vomiting, eructation, abdominal pain lower, gastric ulcer*, anal haemorrhage*, erosive duodenitis*, flatulence*, gastric polyps*, gastroesophageal reflux disease*, intestinal metaplasia, haematemesis, haemorrhoids, melana*

Infections and Infestations: folliculitis*, nasopharyngitis*, gastroenteritis bacterial, latent tuberculosis
Investigations: alanine aminotransferase increased*, gamma-glutamyltransferase increased*, blood bilirubin increased, aspartate aminotransferase increased*, blood creatine phosphokinase increased*, blood urine present*, red blood cells urine positive*, blood iron increased*, blood triglycerides increased*

Injury, Poisoning and Procedural Complications: ligament sprain, concussion, eruption, foot fracture, joint injury, muscle strain
Musculoskeletal and Connective Tissue Disorders: myalgia*, arthralgia, tendonitis*

Nervous System Disorders: headache*, dizziness
Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue Disorders: angioedema, dermatitis, seborrhoeic dermatitis*

Respiratory, Thoracic and Mediastinal Disorders: cough*, oropharyngeal pain, throat irritation
Reproductive System and Breast Disorders: vaginal discharge, vulvovaginal pruritus, breast calcifications*, adenomyosis, ovarian cyst

Hepatology Disorders: bile duct stone, hepatic cyst
Renal and Urinary Disorders: hypertonic bladder, nocturia*, renal cyst
Neoplasms Benign, Malignant and Unspecified: adenocarcinoma gastric, breast cancer, gastrointestinal tract adenoma*, uterine leiomyoma

Cardiac Disorders: ventricular extrasystoles
Blood and Lymphatic System Disorders: lymphadenitis*, anaemia*

Psychiatric Disorders: insomnia*

Surgical and Medical Procedures: dental implantation
Ear and Labyrinth Disorders: ear pain*

Metabolism and nutrition disorders: diabetes mellitus
Vascular Disorders: hypertension
Endocrine disorders: thyroid cyst*

2) Two clinical studies were conducted in patients with peptic ulcer and/or chronic atrophic gastritis who were positive for *H. pylori*. 314 patients were treated with tegoprazan 50 mg, in combination with amoxicillin 1 g and clarithromycin 500 mg. Adverse reactions and adverse drug reactions (marked with *) reported during the clinical trial is as following:
Common adverse reactions reported (≥1%) in tegoprazan 50 mg in combination with amoxicillin 1 g and clarithromycin 500 mg treatment group are presented in Table 2

Table 2: Adverse reactions (%) reported in ≥1% patients from clinical trials

System Organ Class	Adverse reactions
Gastrointestinal Disorders	Diarrhoea*, abdominal pain upper*, abdominal distension*, dyspepsia*, nausea*, abdominal pain*
Nervous System Disorders	Dysgeusia*, headache*
Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue Disorders	Urticaria*

Less common adverse reactions reported in <1% patients after administration of tegoprazan 50 mg in combination with amoxicillin 1g and clarithromycin 500mg from clinical study is listed below by System Organ Class:
Gastrointestinal Disorders: constipation*, dry mouth*, abdominal discomfort*, anal incontinence*, duodenitis, haematochezia, paraesthesia oral*, vomiting
Nervous System Disorders: dizziness*, migraine*, somnolence*, taste disorder*

Skin and Subcutaneous Tissue Disorders: pruritus*, erythema*, rash*, drug eruption*, toxic skin eruption*

Infections and Infestations: nasopharyngitis, cystitis, herpes zoster, folliculitis*, hordelium, sinusitis, tonsillitis
Investigations: Blood creatine phosphokinase increased*, aspartate aminotransferase increased, blood triglycerides increased, blood lactate dehydrogenase increased*

General Disorders and Administration Site Conditions: asthenia*, chest pain*

Musculoskeletal and Connective Tissue Disorders: back pain, myalgia*, musculoskeletal stiffness*

Respiratory, Thoracic and Mediastinal Disorders: dysphonia, cough, oropharyngeal pain
Cardiac Disorders: palpitations*

Vascular Disorders: hot flush*, flushing*

Eye Disorders: choroiditis*, retinal disorder*

Psychiatric Disorders: insomnia*

Neoplasms Benign, Malignant and Unspecified (including cysts and polyps): colon adenoma

Hepatology Disorders: hepatic steatosis

Metabolism and Nutrition Disorders: type 2 diabetes mellitus

3) One global phase 3 clinical study was conducted in patients with erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease in India, Russia and South Africa. A total 128 subjects received Tegoprazan 50 mg.

Adverse reactions and adverse drug reactions (marked with *) reported during the clinical trials are as following:
Common adverse reactions reported (≥1%) in tegoprazan 50 mg treatment group are presented in Table 3

Table 3: Adverse Reactions (%) reported in ≥1% patients with Tegoprazan 50 mg

System Organ Class	Adverse reactions
Gastrointestinal Disorders	Abdominal Discomfort*, Abdominal Distension*, Abdominal Pain*, Abdominal Pain Upper*, Constipation*, Diarrhoea*, Dry Mouth*, Eructation*, Flatulence*, Nausea*
General Disorders And Administration Site Conditions	Non cardiac chest pain*
Nervous System Disorders	Dizziness*, Dysgeusia*, headache*

Less common adverse reactions reported in <1% patients after administration of tegoprazan 50 mg in combination with amoxicillin 1g and clarithromycin 500mg from clinical study is listed below by System Organ Class:
Gastrointestinal Disorders: dyspepsia*, tongue coated*, Tongue coated*, Vomiting*

General Disorders And Administration Site Conditions: Non-Cardiac Chest Pain*, Feeling abnormal*, Pyrexia*

Infections and Infestations: Urinary Tract Infection*

Investigations: Bilirubin Conjugated Increased*, Blood Bilirubin Increased*, Blood Creatine Phosphokinase Increased*, Blood Triglycerides Increased*, Protein Urine Present*

Metabolism and Nutrition Disorders: Decreased Appetite*

Musculoskeletal and Connective Tissue Disorders: Neck pain*

Renal and Urinary Disorders: Crystalluria*

Respiratory, Thoracic and Mediastinal Disorders: Asthma*, Cough*, Dry Throat*

Reporting of adverse reactions

Reporting suspected adverse reactions after authorisation of the medicinal product is important. It allows continued monitoring of the benefit/risk balance of the medicinal product. Report suspected adverse reactions via any point of contact available at www.torrentpharma.com.

4.9 Overdose

There have been no reports of significant overdose with tegoprazan. In clinical trials, there have been cases where up to 400 mg of this drug has been administered to healthy adults. In the event of an overdose with tegoprazan, the patients should be monitored for poisoning symptoms and treatment should be supportive if necessary.

5. PHARMACOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

5.1 Mechanism of action

Tegoprazan is a potassium-competitive acid blocker (P-CAB) that reversibly blocks gastric acid secretion by competitively binding with potassium to the proton pumps(H⁺/K⁺-ATPase) present in gastric wall cells.

5.2 Pharmacodynamics properties

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Tegoprazan binds in a concentration-dependent manner and blocks gastric acid secretion. Binding has reversibility. Tegoprazan inhibits the proton pump directly without activation by acid.

Clinical studies

1) Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease

A randomized, double-blind, active-controlled, comparative phase III study was conducted in 302 patients with erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease to evaluate Tegoprazan 50 mg, 100 mg or esomeprazole 40 mg for up to 8 weeks. The cumulative healing rate at week 8 was 98.91%(91 patients/92 patients), 98.90%(90 patients/91 patients), and 98.86%(88 patients/89 patients), respectively, in the Tegoprazan 50 mg, 100 mg and esomeprazole 40 mg treatment groups, demonstrating non-inferiority. (Table 4)

Table 4: Cumulative healing rate of Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease at week 8

	Tegoprazan	Esomeprazole	
	50 mg	100 mg	40 mg
PPS	N=92	N=91	N=88
ERD Healing Rate [% (N)]	98.91 (91)	98.90 (90)	98.86 (87)
Difference with 95% confidence interval	0.05 [-3.02;3.11]	0.04 [-3.04;3.12]	
p-value*	< 0.0001	< 0.0001	

* Non-inferiority margin -10%, significance level 0.025(one-sided test), PPS: Per Protocol Set

A phase 3 randomized double blind study was conducted to evaluate efficacy and safety of Tegoprazan 50 mg in comparison to esomeprazole 40 mg in 255 patients with erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease from India, Russia, and South Africa. The cumulative endoscopic healing rate for Tegoprazan arm was (99.1 %) [95% CI: 95.25-99.98] was higher compared to Esomeprazole arm (97.2 %) [95% CI: 92.17-99.45].

Table 5: Cumulative healing rate of Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease at week 8

	Tegoprazan50mg	Esomeprazole40mg
PPS	N=115	N=109
ERD Healing Rate [% (N)]	114 (99.1%)	106 (97.2%)
Difference with 95% confidence interval	1.88 (-1.63;5.39)	
p-value*	< 0.0001	

* Non-inferiority margin -10%, significance level 0.025(one-sided test), PPS: Per Protocol Set

2) Non-Erosive Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease

A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, phase III study was conducted in 324 patients with non-erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease to evaluate Tegoprazan 50 mg, 100 mg or placebo for 4 weeks. The rate of patients with complete resolution of main symptoms, haematuria and reflux of gastric acid, at week 4 was 42.45%(45 patients/106 patients), 48.48%(48 patients/99 patients), 24.24%(24 patients/99 patients), respectively in treatment group of Tegoprazan 50 mg, 100 mg and placebo, demonstrating superiority. (Table 6)

Table 6: Percentages of patients with complete resolution of main symptoms at week 4 in non-erosive gastroesophageal reflux disease

	Tegoprazan	Placebo	
	50 mg	100 mg	
FAS	N=106	N=99	
Symptom resolution [% (N)]	42.45 (45)	48.48 (48)	24.24 (24)
p-value*	0.0058	0.0004	

* Chi-square test, significance level 0.05(two-sided test), FAS: Full Analysis Set

3) Gastric Ulcer

A randomized, double-blind, active-controlled, comparative phase III study was conducted in 306 patients with gastric ulcer to evaluate Tegoprazan 50 mg, 100 mg or lansoprazole 30 mg for up to 8 weeks. The cumulative healing rate at week 8 was 100.00%(89 patients/89 patients), 97.85%(91 patients/93 patients), and 100.00%(85 patients/85 patients), respectively, in the Tegoprazan 50 mg, 100 mg and lansoprazole 30mg treatment groups, demonstrating non-inferiority. (Table 7)

Table 7: Cumulative healing rate of Gastric Ulcer at week 8

	Tegoprazan	Lansoprazole	
	50mg	100mg	30mg

PPS	N = 88	N = 93	N = 85
GU Healing Rate [% (N)]	100.00 (88)	97.85 (91)	100.00 (85)
Difference with 95% confidence interval	0.00	-2.15 [-7.66;2.43]	
p-value*		< 0.0001	

* Non-inferiority margin -8.54%, significance level 0.025(one-sided test), PPS: Per Protocol Set

5.3 Pharmacokinetic properties

Absorption

T_{max} of tegoprazan following single oral dose to healthy adults was ranged from 0.5 to 1.5 hours across the doses tested 50–400 mg. After single administration, the mean peak plasma concentration (C_{max}) and mean exposure level (AUC) tended to increase dose proportionally within the administration dose range. After 7 days of repeated administration, the mean peak plasma concentration of each dose group was similar or decreased in comparison with that of single administration.

Food effects on bioavailability were evaluated after administration of 200 mg of oral tegoprazan fasting and after meals to healthy adults. Although there was a tendency to delay the T_{max} and decrease the C_{max} after food intake, there was no significant difference on the AUC₀₋₂₄ and pharmacodynamic parameter (the maintenance time of intragastric acidity above pH 4).

Food effects on bioavailability were evaluated after administration of 50 mg of oral tegoprazan fasting, before meals or after meals to healthy adults. Although there was a tendency to delay the T_{max} and decrease the C_{max} after food intake, there was no significant difference on the AUC₀₋₂₄ and pharmacodynamic parameter (the maintenance time of intragastric acidity above pH 4).

The proportion of in vitro non-protein-binding drug was 8.7 – 9.0% human in the concentration range of 1 – 10 μM.

Metabolism and Excretion

Tegoprazan is mainly metabolized by CYP3A4. The main metabolite is metabolite M1 (dealkylated metabolite). After intravenous administration of tegoprazan to rats and dogs, amount of unchanged tegoprazan excreted in urine was less than 1%. After oral administration of [¹⁴C]-tegoprazan to rats, recovery of radioactivity at 168 hours (of dosing) were 93% and 91% in the female and male, respectively. 22% to 24% of the total radioactivity was excreted in urine, and 65% to 69% was eliminated in feces in both female and male rats. After oral administration to rats with biliary intubation, tegoprazan was excreted 41.4% in bile acid, 25.7% in urine and 28.4% in feces. And the total recovery of radioactivity was 97.7%. Less than 1% of unchanged tegoprazan was found 1% in bile acid and urine, 15% was in feces, 6% of metabolite M1 was found in feces.

Following the administration of tegoprazan to healthy male subjects, the plasma elimination half-life of unchanged tegoprazan and metabolite M1 were 4.1 hours and 22.8 hours, respectively. Urinary excretion rate of the unchanged tegoprazan was approximately 4.1% and the clearance was 1.1L/hr. Urinary excretion rate of the major metabolite M1 was about 2% and the clearance was 0.5L/hr.

6. NON CLINICAL PROPERTIES

6.1 Animal Toxicology and Pharmacology

Tegoprazan is a Potassium-Competitive Acid Blocker (P-CAB), which directly inhibit gastric H⁺/K⁺-ATPase in K⁺-competitive and reversible manner, thus, do not require the acid activation process to exhibit its inhibitory action for H⁺/K⁺-ATPase.

The inhibitory activity of Tegoprazan was studied in vitro using H⁺/K⁺-ATPase in ion-tight and ion leaky vesicles. The in vitro study results shows that Tegoprazan exhibited a high selectivity for the gastric acid H⁺/K⁺-ATPase. In the in vivo Hederbaum patch dog model, oral administration of Tegoprazan strongly suppressed gastric acid secretion in dose-dependent manner. Tegoprazan potently inhibited gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD) in two experimental rat models for GERD established by dual digestion of the