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# **Revision of PRECAUTIONS**

## **Andexanet alfa (genetical recombination)**

March 28, 2024

### Therapeutic category

Other agents relating to blood and body fluids

#### Non-proprietary name

Andexanet alfa (genetical recombination)

### Safety measure

PRECAUTIONS should be revised.

Revision in line with the Instructions for Electronic Package Inserts of Prescription Drugs, PSEHB Notification No. 0611-1 by the Director-General of Pharmaceutical Safety and Environmental Health Bureau, MHLW, dated June 11, 2021 (New instructions):

Revised language is underlined.

Current	Revision
8. IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS	8. IMPORTANT PRECAUTIONS
(N/A)	Heparin resistance may be observed. When this drug is
	administered at the time of surgery/procedure where
	anticoagulation with heparin is necessary, the necessity of
	administration of this drug should be carefully determined.
	The cases in which this drug was used in the perioperative setting
	and heparin resistance was observed have been reported in both
	Japan and overseas. Among them, cases have been reported in
	which the anticoagulant effect of heparin could not be sufficiently
	obtained, and the extra-corporeal circuit was obstructed by
	thrombus, resulting in serious outcomes.
(N/A)	10. INTERACTIONS
	10.2 Precautions for Co-administration
	<u>Drugs</u> Signs, symptoms, and treatment factors
	Unfractionated heparin Heparin sodium Heparin calcium Low-molecular- weight heparin Enoxaparin  Heparin sodium Low-molecular- weight heparin Enoxaparin  Heparin sodium may be attenuated, and heparin resistance may be observed.  In vitro data suggests that this drug acts on heparin- antithrombin III complex, and attenuates the

	sodium Dalteparin sodium Parnaparin sodium sodium
15. OTHER PRECAUTIONS	15. OTHER PRECAUTIONS
15.1 Information Based on Clinical Use	15.1 Information Based on Clinical Use
This drug may inhibit the anticoagulant effect of heparin. Cases	(deleted)
have been reported overseas in which heparin resistance was	
observed during the surgery due to preoperative administration of	
this drug.	

N/A: Not Applicable. No corresponding language is included in the current PRECAUTIONS.