

THROMBOTROL-VF

(ANTITHROMBIN III)

SYNONYMS	ATIII
DRUG CLASS	Haemostatic agent
AVAILABILITY	Vial contains 1000 international units of human antithrombin III. Also contains human plasma proteins, sodium, citrate and chloride. Supplied with a diluent vial of 20 mL of water for injections ¹
WARNING	Thrombotrol is a blood product. Check your local guidelines for handling, storage and batch recording requirements. Hypersensitivity reactions including anaphylaxis may occur.
pH	No information
PREPARATION	Allow the vial and diluent to reach room temperature. ¹ Use a flat, level surface and keep the Thrombotrol-VF vial upright. Do not tilt the vials or transfer device to avoid loss of the vacuum and prevent wastage. Remove the lid of the vial adaptor and insert the blue end into the diluent vial then remove the outer packaging from the vial adaptor, invert the vial and push the clear end of the vial adaptor into the Thrombotrol vial. Gently swirl until dissolved, it may take up to 10 minutes. ¹ Disconnect the diluent vial and the blue part of the vial adaptor. Attach a syringe to the clear part of the vial adaptor to withdraw the dose. ¹ If the dose requires more than one vial, either inject each vial individually, or pool the total amount aseptically into one large sterile syringe or sterile bag and give as a single dose. ¹ The solution is clear to slightly opalescent. ¹
STABILITY	Vial: store at 2 to 8 °C. Protect from light. Do not freeze. ¹ Reconstituted solution: use within 3 hours of reconstitution. Do not refrigerate. ¹
ADMINISTRATION	
IM injection	Not recommended
SUBCUT injection	Not recommended
IV injection	Inject slowly at approximately 3 mL/minute, or slower if not tolerated by the patient. ¹
IV infusion	Inject slowly at approximately 3 mL/minute, or slower if not tolerated by the patient. ¹
COMPATIBILITY	
Fluids	Sodium chloride 0.9% can be used to flush the line
Y-site	No information
INCOMPATIBILITY	Do not mix blood products with other medicines
SPECIAL NOTES	Infusion reactions may include dizziness, a bad taste in the mouth, shortness of breath, abdominal cramps and fever. Slow or stop the infusion until symptoms resolve. ¹

REFERENCES

1. Product information. Available at www.tga.gov.au. Accessed 25/08/2020.