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Cefcapene Pivoxil

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The pivalate ester prodrug form of cefcapene, a semi-synthetic third-generation cephalosporin with antibacterial activity. After oral administration of cefcapene pivoxil, the ester bond is cleaved, releasing active cefcapene.