

COMPETITIVE PROBLEMS IN THE DRUG INDUSTRY 8203

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SUBJECT: REVIEW OF STANDARD STOCK-LISTED ANTI-EMETIC DRUGS

REFERENCE:

1. ITEM NAME: 6505-852-0000 SODIUM CLOMIZILUM CAPSULES, 0.25 GRAM
UNIT PRICE/DRUG: 1000 DT/810.60 UNIT PRICE/DRUG: 80.106
UNIT PRICE/DRUG: ARMY - 4,509; NAVY - 1,563; AIR FORCE - 2,317
UNIT PRICE/DRUG: "EROSTEN"
2. ITEM NAME: 6505-126-1202 SODIUM OMACILLEN CAPSULES, USP, 0.25 GRAM
UNIT PRICE/DRUG: 400 DT/83.76 UNIT PRICE/DRUG: 80.0783
UNIT PRICE/DRUG: ARMY - 24,005; NAVY - 15,533; AIR FORCE - 13,271
UNIT PRICE/DRUG: "EROSTEN"

REFERENCE:

1. Medical authorities state that "Erosten" and "Erosten" have essentially the same use, same effectiveness and the same toxicity. "Erosten" is somewhat more expensive.

2. There appears to be a reduplication of similar items.

REFERENCE:

1. That item 6505-852-0000 SODIUM CLOMIZILUM CAPSULES, 0.25 GRAM, is classified to "EROSTEN" with eventual deletion from the Federal Supply Catalog.