

Maximum Availability Iron & B9 Maximum Tolerability



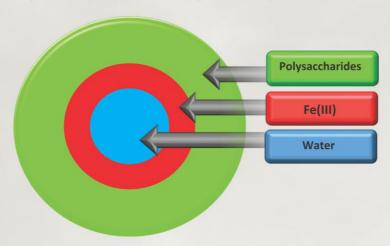
Slow Release Iron + Folic Acid None Ionic Stable Complex



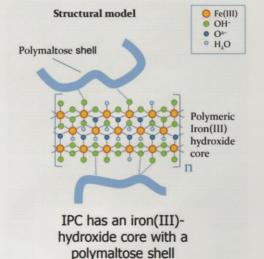
### Iron(III)-hydroxide Polymaltose Complex

- IPC is an iron preparation, which contains non-ionic iron and polymaltose in a stable complex.
- The polynuclear iron(III)-hydroxide cores are superficially surrounded by a number of non-covalently bound Polymaltose molecules.





{Typical structure of iron hydroxide polymaltose complex}



### **Superiority of IPC**

- The well-hydrated microspheres of polysaccharide iron remain in solution over a wide pH range.
- Absorption of IPC is not affected by milk and other foods
- IPC is enabling administration without consideration of the timing of feed
- there have been no reports of any interactions with foods or medicines
- Bioavailability has been described as similar to best products
- IPC has no deleterious effect on copper and zinc
- Accidental intoxication with IPC is therefore rarely seen

# Maxofer has no no detrimental interactions with a number of common food components and other drugs

Co-medications	Food components		
no interactions shown with:      Tetracycline     Aluminium hydroxide     Acetylsalicylate     Sulphasalazine     Calcium carbonate, calcium     acetate and calcium     phosphate plus vitamin D3     Bromazepam     Magnesium     aspartate     D-penicillamine     Methyldopa     Paracetamol     Auranofin	no interactions shown with:  Phytic acid Oxalic acid Sodium alginate Vitamin D3 and vitamin E Soya oil and soya flour Choline and choline salts Tannin Vitamin A		
•No reduction in IPC absorption by aluminium hydroxide and tetracycline •No decline in plasma tetracycline leve	Increased iron absorption with vitamin C		



### **Inferiorities of Ferrous sulphate:**

- People who supplemented with ferrous sulfate were found to have lower plasma copper levels after one month of supplementation.
- LD50 of ferrous sulfate is 350 mg/kg, while the LD50 of IPC could not be recorded even at doses of over 2000 mg/kg.

### Tables of adverse reactions:

Total patients with adverse drug reactions, relative risk IPC/ferrous sulfate = 0.44.

	IPC (%)	FeSO4 (%)	Chi-square	Relative risk
Jacobs et al. [18]	14.0	70.0	p<0.001	0.20
Langstaff et al. [8]	20.0	23.0	N.S.	0.87
Reddy et al. [22]	24.0	28.0	N.S.	0.86
Sas et al. [23]	5.0	10.0	N.S.	0.50
Bogdanova et al. [13]	2.6	26.7	p<0.01	0.10
Total adults	14.9	34.1	p<0.001	0.44

Most frequently reported adverse drug reactions in 5 comparative adult trials.

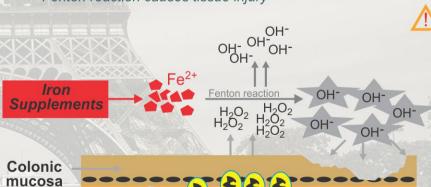
	IPC (%)	FeSO4 (%)	Chi-square	Relative risk
Stained teeth	0.7	7.7	p<0.001	0.09
Upper digestive troubles incl. nausea	13.1	45.7	p<0.001	0.29
Diarrhea	5.9	15.4	p<0.001	0.38
Constipation and infrequent adverse reactions	8.7	15.9	p<0.05	0.55

Jorge E Toblli , Reto Brignoli: 2007;57(6A):431-8.

## Ferrous sulphate tissue damage

### Ferrous (Fe2+) iron and gastrointestinal events

Fenton reaction causes tissue injury



C et al. Anemia in inflammatory bowel diseases. UNI-MED Verlag. 2008 Koskenkorva-Frank et al. Free Radic Biol Med. 2013 Dec.;65:1174-94. Fe2+ reacts with neutrophil-produced H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> yielding hydroxyl radical OH causes tissue damage and ulcers.

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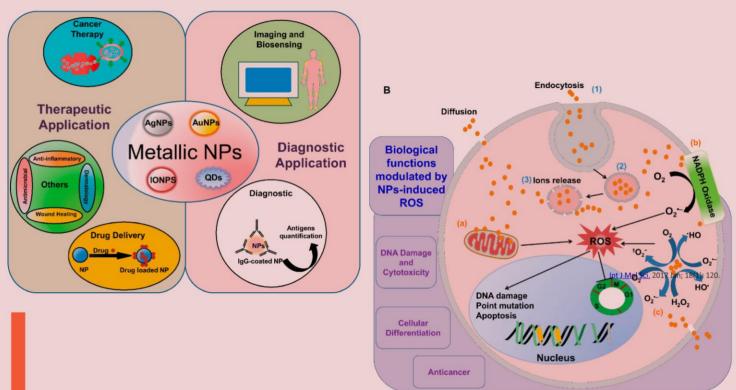


# MAXOFER plus

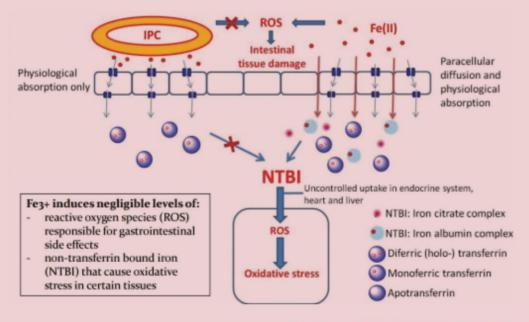




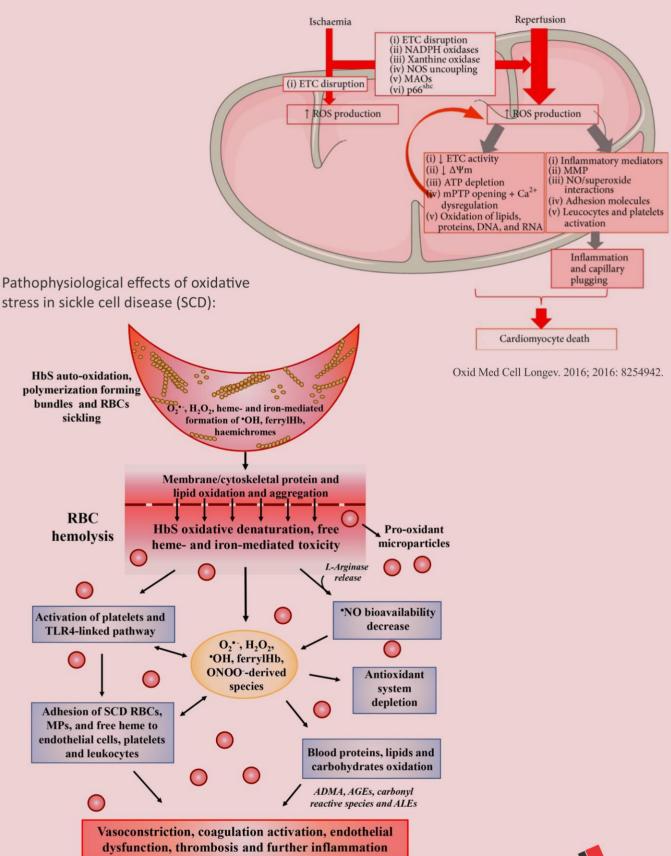
The biomedical applications of metallic NPs (Nanoparticle) and the mechanisms of NP-mediated ROS generation. (A) Summary of the nanomaterial applications in the medical field; (B) schematic diagram describing the mechanisms implicated in NP-induced ROS production.



irrst clinical trial data indicate that newer oral compounds such as ferric maltol and sucrosomial iron offer improved tolerability and may thus offer a viable alternative for the future.



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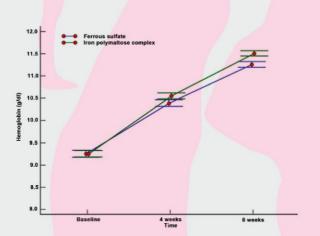
Realize **Slow Release Iron Concept** 





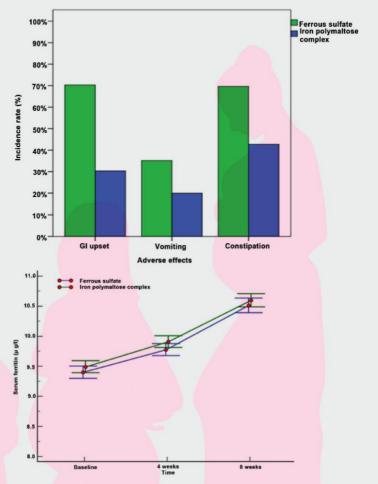
Oral iron polymaltose complex increases Hemoglobin and serum ferritin levels more than oral ferrous sulfate and produces less adverse effects than ferrous sulfate.

Open Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology, 2018, 8, 1084-1093



Mean hemoglobin level in both study groups.

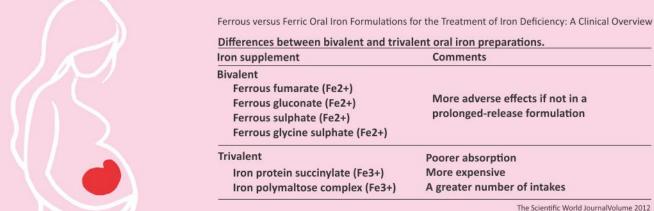
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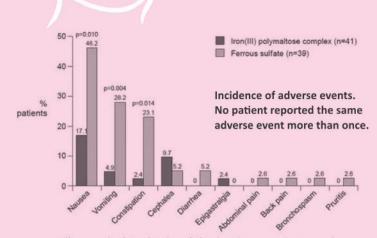


Mean serum ferritin level in both study groups.

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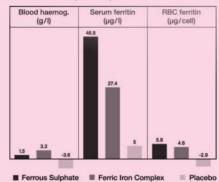




Efficacy and safety of oral iron(III) polymaltose complex versus ferrous sulfate in pregnant women with iron-deficiency anemia: a multicenter, randomized, controlled study

The Journal of Maternal-Fetal and Neonatal Medicine, 2011,

Safety and efficacy of iron (III)-hydroxide polymaltose complex: A review of over 25 years experience



Ferritin values. Changes in iron status in iron depleted male subjects after 6 months

iron therapy with FeSO4, IPC and placebo

(Tuomainen 1999 [34]).