

How Many Polymorphs Has Frusemide ?

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The polymorphism of frusemide (furosemide) has been extensively investigated. Structures of two of the polymorphs , a monoclinic one and an orthorhombic one are in the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Base. However, it transpires that both in fact are only one polymorph, the orthorhombic representation. The same is true of finasteride, and possibly of other polymorph pairs with an approximately double unit cell.