

## General description

Ondansetron is a selective serotonin 5-HT<sub>3</sub> antagonist used in the prevention and treatment of nausea and vomiting.

INN	Ondansetron
ATC codes	A04AA01
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 2009 (TRS 958) for Nausea or vomiting Added in 2011 (TRS 965) for Palliative care
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Ondansetron</a> 
DrugBank	<a href="#">Ondansetron</a> 

## Recommendations

### Section Medicines for other common symptoms in palliative care

Parenteral > General injections > IV: 2 mg per mL in 2 mL ampoule (ondansetron base, as hydrochloride)

Oral > Liquid: 4 mg per 5 mL (ondansetron base)

Oral > Solid: 4 mg (ondansetron base); 8 mg (ondansetron base)

#### Indications

Palliative care

### Section Antiemetic medicines

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Oral > Liquid: 4 mg per 5 mL (ondansetron base)

Oral > Solid: 4 mg (ondansetron base); 8 mg (ondansetron base); 24 mg (ondansetron base)

#### Indications

Nausea or vomiting

