

## General description

Lovastatin is a lipid-lowering agent used as an alternative to simvastatin in the treatment of hyperlipidemia and for the secondary prevention of cardiovascular disease.

INN	Lovastatin
Medicine type	Chemical agent
EML status history	First added in 2021 (TRS 1035) for Mixed hyperlipidaemia Changed in 2021 (TRS 1035) for Coronary atherosclerosis
Therapeutic equivalent for	simvastatin for Coronary atherosclerosis simvastatin for Mixed hyperlipidaemia
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Lovastatin</a> 
DrugBank	<a href="#">Lovastatin</a> 

