Pembrolizumab

General description

INN	Pembrolizumab
ATC codes	L01FF02
Medicine type	Biological agent
EML status history	Application rejected in 2019 (TRS 1021) for Other specified malignant neoplasms of bronchus or lung Added in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Melanoma of skin Changed in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Malignant neoplasms of cervix uteri Changed in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Other specified malignant neoplasms of large intestine Changed in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Other specified malignant neoplasms of bronchus or lung Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Malignant neoplasms of oesophagogastric junction Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Adenocarcinoma of stomach Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Squamous cell carcinoma of other or ill-defined sites in the lip, oral cavity or pharynx Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Squamous cell carcinoma of oropharynx Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Squamous cell carcinoma of nasopharynx Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Squamous cell carcinoma of hypopharynx and variants Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Renal cell carcinoma of kidney, except renal pelvis Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Squamous cell carcinoma of oesophagus Application rejected in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Carcinoma of breast, specialised type Added in 2025 (TRS 1064) for Melanoma of skin
Therapeutic equivalent for	nivolumab for Melanoma of skin
Wikipedia	Pembrolizumab
DrugBank	Pembrolizumab

Recommendations

Section Immunomodulators

- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 25 mg per mL in 4 mL vial powder for injection
- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 25 mg per mL in 4 mL vial
- Parenteral > General injections > IV: 25 mg per mL in 4 mL vial concentrate for solution for infusio

Indications

Other specified malignant neoplasms of bronchus or lung

Melanoma of skin

Malignant neoplasms of cervix uteri

Other specified malignant neoplasms of large intestine

Malignant neoplasms of oesophagogastric junction

Adenocarcinoma of stomach

Squamous cell carcinoma of other or ill-defined sites in the lip, oral cavity or pharynx

Squamous cell carcinoma of oropharynx

Squamous cell carcinoma of nasopharynx

Squamous cell carcinoma of hypopharynx and variants

Squamous cell carcinoma of oesophagus

Renal cell carcinoma of kidney, except renal pelvis

Carcinoma of breast, specialised type