



## General description

Asparaginase is an antineoplastic enzyme, used in the treatment of acute lymphoblastic leukaemia.

ATC codes	L01XX02
Medicine type	Biological agent
EML status history	First added in 1993 (TRS 850) for <b>Unspecified malignant neoplasms of ill-defined or unspecified sites</b> Removed in 2015 (TRS 994) for <b>Unspecified malignant neoplasms of ill-defined or unspecified sites</b> Added in 2015 (TRS 994) for <b>Lymphoid leukaemia, not elsewhere classified</b>
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Asparaginase</a> 
DrugBank	<a href="#">Asparaginase</a> 

## Recommendations

Section Cytotoxic medicines

Powder for injection: 10 000 IU in vial.

Parenteral > General injections > unspecified: 10000 IU in vial powder for injection

### Indications

Unspecified malignant neoplasms of ill-defined or unspecified sites

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