Omeprazole

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ATC codes: A02BC01

Indication	Gastrointestinal bleeding ICD11 code: ME24.9Z
INN	Omeprazole
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	**Parenteral > General injections > IV:** 40 mg in vial (EML)
EML status history	First added in 2009 (TRS 958) Changed in 2015 (TRS 994) Changed in 2021 (TRS 1035)
Sex	All
Age	Adolescents and adults
Therapeutic alternatives	Medicines within the same pharmacological class can be used
Therapeutic alternatives limitations	Therapeutic alternatives are medicines in the 4th level ATC chemical subgroup A02BC Proton pump inhibitors (excluding combinations)
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more about patents.
Wikipedia	Omeprazole
DrugBank	Omeprazole

Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended that medicines in 4th level ATC chemical subgroup, A02BC Proton pump inhibitors (excluding combinations), be specified as therapeutic alternatives under the square box listing for omeprazole on the EML for this indication.