### Isosorbide dinitrate

**Indication** | Angina pectoris | ICD11 code: BA40.Z
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**INN** | Isosorbide dinitrate | |
**Medicine type** | Chemical agent | |
**List type** | Core | |
**Formulations** | Oral > Solid: 5 mg sublingual tablet | |
**EML status history** | - First added in 1977 (TRS 615)
- Changed in 1979 (TRS 641)
- Changed in 2021 (TRS 1035) | |
**Sex** | All | |
**Age** | Adolescents and adults | |
**Therapeutic alternatives** | The recommendation is for this specific medicine | |
**Patent information** | Patents have expired in most jurisdictions
Read more about patents. | |
**Wikipedia** | Isosorbide dinitrate | |
**DrugBank** | Isosorbide dinitrate | |

### Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended the square box with the listing for isosorbide dinitrate be removed. The alternative sublingual short-acting organic nitrate (glyceryl trinitrate) is listed separately.