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Essential medicine status

Section:

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ATC codes: [V08AC02](#)

Indication

X-ray contrast media, iodinated ICD11 code: [XM2S71](#)

INN

Iotroxic acid

Medicine type

Diagnostic agent

List type

Complementary

Formulations

Parenteral > General injections > IV: 5 to 8 g iodine (as meglumine) in 100 to 250 mL

EML status history

First added in 1984 ([TRS 722](#))

Changed in 1987 ([TRS 770](#))

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 to be reviewed (2023)

Patent information

Patents have expired in most jurisdictions

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Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended the therapeutic alternatives for meglumine iotroxate be reviewed.