




ATC codes: **G02AB03**

Indication	Postpartum haemorrhage <span>ICD11 code: <b>JA43.Z</b></span>
INN	Ergometrine
Medicine type	Chemical agent
List type	Core
Formulations	Parenteral > General injections > unspecified: 200 µg in 1 mL ampoule (hydrogen maleate)
EML status history	First added in 1977 ( <a href="#">TRS 615</a> ) Changed in 1979 ( <a href="#">TRS 641</a> ) Changed in 2005 ( <a href="#">TRS 933</a> ) Changed in 2021 ( <a href="#">TRS 1035</a> )
Sex	Female
Age	Adolescents and adults
Therapeutic alternatives	methylergometrine (ATC codes: G02AB01)
Patent information	Patents have expired in most jurisdictions Read more <a href="#">about patents</a> . 
Wikipedia	<a href="#">Ergometrine</a> 
DrugBank	<a href="#">Ergometrine (Ergonovine)</a> 

## Summary of evidence and Expert Committee recommendations

Following the review of square box listings on the EML and EMLc, the Expert Committee recommended methylergometrine be specified as a therapeutic alternative under the square box listing for ergometrine on the EML.

