

National dose banding drug summary (version 21)

Drug and concentration list as of 20 November 2024.

Always [check the website for the most up-to-date version of the drug tables](#).

Notes: NS = non-standard bands (ie individual table for this drug only)

PM = pick and mix style table

Conc. (mg/mL)	Drug list	Status	Current version	Amendment history
5	Amsacrine		3	V2 – added to table V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
1	Arsenic		5	V4 – added to table V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2	Arsenic trioxide (part of 2mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V7 - new 2mg/mL arsenic trioxide strength now included in 2mg/L table
20 NS	Avelumab	Removed	2	V2 – vial size correction, no dose change Removed September 2024
25 NS	Azacitidine		3	V2 – doses changed (max vol 4mL) & 100mg/m ² added V3 – table extended down to 30mg (existing doses not changed)
2.5	Bendamustine		3	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
45	Bendamustine (concentrate for solution)		1	V1
25 NS	Bevacizumab		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes V3- Avastin® removed from header
5 NS	Brentuximab vedotin		3	V2 – vial size correction, no dose change V3 – capped at 180mg, higher doses removed
2.5	Bortezomib SC		3	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
10	Cabazitaxel		6	V4 – added to table V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes
Oral	Capecitabine		1	V1
10	Carboplatin		6	V2-4 – no change V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes

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2 NS	Carfilzomib		7	V2 – table extended to 178mg, no changes to existing doses V3 – no change V4 – carfilzomib dose capping note added V5 – top two doses changed to 110mg and 120mg – no other changes V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 - expanded band range
5 NS	Cetuximab		4	V1-3 – not published V4 – first version published by NHS England
1	Cisplatin		5	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3-4 – no change V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
1	Cladribine (Leustat®)		5	V4 – added to table V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2 NS	Cladribine (Litak®)		1	V1 – new doses, now separate table
1 NS	Clofarabine		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
20	Cyclophosphamide (infusion) (part of 20mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3 – no change V4 – etoposide added to title V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 – removed irinotecan as has separate table
20 PM	Cyclophosphamide (PM)		3	V2 – fill volume table only updated V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
100	Cytarabine (high dose syringe)		4	V3 – added to table V4 – vol info removed, no dose changes
20	Cytarabine (low dose) (part of 20mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V3 – added to table V4 – etoposide added to title V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 – removed irinotecan as has separate table
10	Dacarbazine		6	V4 – added to table V5 – concentration note added – no change to doses V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes
20	Dacarbazine (part of 20mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V5 – added to the table V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 – removed irinotecan as has separate table
20 NS	Daratumumab		1	V1

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1 PM	Daunorubicin		3	V2 – pick and mix table 180mg line amended V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
20	Docetaxel (part of 20mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3 – no change V4 – etoposide added to title V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 – removed irinotecan as has separate table
10	Docetaxel 10		6	V2 – 9.490mg dose rounded V3 – drug name added to title V4 – no change V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2 PM	Doxorubicin		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2 NS	Pegylated-liposomal doxorubicin		3	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes V3 – table name updated (January 2021) V4 – Caelyx® removed from header
50	Durvalumab		1	V1
2 PM	Epirubicin		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
0.44 NS	Eribulin		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes V3 – dose(mg) ranges amended
20	Etoposide (part of 20mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V4 – etoposide added to title V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 – removed irinotecan as has separate table
25	Fludarabine		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
50	Fluorouracil (infusor)		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
25 PM	Fluorouracil (PM)		5	V2 – bands added to main dose table V3 – pick and mix table 1000mg syringe use improved Fill volume table corrected V4 – pick and mix lines for 1000 and 1400mg corrected. Fill volume reverted to incorrect doses. V4.1 – fill volume table re-corrected V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
100	Gemcitabine 100		4	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3 – no change V4 – vol info removed, no dose changes
38	Gemcitabine 38		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes

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1	Idarubicin		5	V4 – added to table V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
80	Ifosfamide		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
0.25 NS	Inotuzumab ozogamicin		1	V1
5	Ipilimumab		1	V1
20	Irinotecan		1	V1 - this table has been added to accommodate the new range of doses of the ready-to-administer licensed irinotecan infusion bags: irinotecan 1.5mg/mL solution for infusion (270mg, 300mg, 330mg and 360mg).
20	Isatuximab		1	V1
5 NS	Loncastuximab tesirine		1	V1
100 NS	Mesna		4	V2 – doses changed V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes V4 – 4750mg changed to 4800mg (no change to limits) V5 – 4800mg reverted back to 4750mg (required by limits)
100 NS	Methotrexate (high dose)		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
25	Methotrexate (standard dose)		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
1	Mitomycin		5	V4 – added to table V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2	Mitoxantrone (part of 2mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V2 – no change V3 – no change V4 – no change V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 - new 2mg/mL arsenic trioxide strength now included in 2mg/mL table
1	Mogamulizumab (4mg/mL)		1	V1
10 NS	Olaratumab	Removed	1	V1 Removed August 2020
5	Oxaliplatin		3	V2 – no change V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
6	Paclitaxel		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
5 NS	Paclitaxel albumin		1	V1
20 NS	Panitumumab		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
25 NS	Pembrolizumab		3	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes V3 - updated to include the 6-weekly dosing

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25 NS	Pemetrexed		3	V2 – new doses as became non std table V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2	Pentostatin (part of 2mg/mL multi drug table)		7	V2 – no change V3 – no change V4 – no change V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes V7 - new 2mg/mL arsenic trioxide strength now included in 2mg/mL table
20	Polatuzumab vedotin		1	V1
10 NS	Rituximab		4	V2 – column headings amended V3 – 550mg and 650mg added Band start doses changed V4 – MabThera® removed from header
20 NS	Siltuximab		1	V1
100	Streptozocin		4	V3 – added to table V4 – vol info removed, no dose changes
10 NS	Teclistamab		2	V1 V2 – note re: dosing schedule
90 NS	Teclistamab	Updated	2	V1 V2 – lower dose band removed (45mg); band range of 54mg amended. Note re: dosing schedule
Caps	Temozolomide (oral)		2	V2 – 390mg changed to 400mg
10	Thiotepa		6	V4 – added to table V5 – no change V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes
1 NS	Topotecan		4	V2 – table extended to 30mg V3 – vol info removed, no dose changes
21 NS	Trastuzumab		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
20 NS	Trastuzumab emtansine		2	V2 – vial size correction, no dose change
20	Trastuzumab deruxtecan		1	V1
1	Vinblastine		5	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3-4 – no change V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
1	Vincristine		5	V2 – doses <1mL changed V3 – doses capped at 2mg V4 – no change V5 – vol info removed, no dose changes
25 NS	Vinflunine		2	V2 – vol info removed, no dose changes
10	Vinorelbine		6	V4 – added to table V5 – no change

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				V6 – vol info removed, no dose changes
2.2/5	Vyxeos® (liposomal daunorubicin and cytarabine)		1	V1



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