

Insulin types & available medicinal forms within the UK

Insulin action	Insulin brand name & manufacturer	Delivery device	*compatible re-usable cartridge pen device
Ultra-Rapid	Fiasp (aspart) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	FlexTouch Pen 3ml Penfill cartridge* 10ml vial	NovoPen 5/6 NovoPen echo/echo Plus
	Lyumjev 100 units/ml (lispro) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen Junior KwikPen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	HumaPen Savvio
	Lyumjev 200 units/ml (lispro) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen	N/A
Rapid	Admelog (lispro) Manufacturer: Sanofi	SoloStar Pen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	All Star PRO Junior STAR
	Apidra (glulisine) Manufacturer: Sanofi	SoloStar Pen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	All Star PRO Junior STAR
	Humalog 100units/ml (lispro) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen Junior KwikPen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	HumaPen Savvio
	Humalog 200 units/ml (lispro) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen	N/A
	NovoRapid (aspart) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	FlexPen FlexTouch Pen 3ml Penfill cartridge* 10ml vial	NovoPen 5/6 NovoPen echo/echo Plus
	Trurapi (aspart) Manufacturer: Sanofi	SoloStar Pen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	All Star PRO Junior STAR
	Actrapid (insulin soluble human) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	10ml vial	N/A
Short	Humulin S (soluble human) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	HumaPen Savvio
	Hypurin Porcine Neutral (soluble porcine) Manufacturer: Wockhardt	3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	Autopen Classic

* Re-usable cartridge pens can only be used with company specific insulin 3ml cartridges

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Intermediate	Humulin I (isophane human) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	HumaPen Savvio
	Insulatard (isophane human) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	InnoLet 3ml Penfill cartridge* 10ml vial	NovoPen 5/6 NovoPen echo/echo Plus
	Hypurin Porcine Isophane (isophane porcine) Manufacturer: Wockhardt	3ml cartridges 10ml vial	Autopen classic
Basal	Abasaglar (glargine) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen 3ml cartridge*	HumaPen Savvio
	Lantus (glargine) Manufacturer: Sanofi	SoloStar pen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	All Star PRO Junior STAR
	Levemir (detemir) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	FlexPen InnoLet 3ml Penfill cartridge*	NovoPen 5/6 NovoPen echo/echo Plus
	Toujeo 300 units/ml (insulin glargine 300units/ml) Manufacturer: Sanofi	SoloStar DoubleStar	N/A
	Tresiba 100 units/ml (degludec) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	FlexTouch Pen 3ml Penfill cartridge*	NovoPen 5/6 NovoPen echo/echo Plus
	Tresiba 200 units/ml (degludec 200 units/ml) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	FlexTouch Pen	N/A
	Semglee (glargine) Manufacturer: Viatrix	Pre-filed pen	N/A
	NovoMix 30 (aspart protamine) Manufacturer: Novo Nordisk	FlexPen 3ml cartridge*	NovoPen 5/6 NovoPen echo/echo Plus
Pre-mixed (biphasic)	Humalog Mix 25 (lispro protamine) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	HumaPen Savvio
	Humalog Mix 50 (lispro protamine) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen 3ml cartridge*	HumaPen Savvio
	Humulin M3 (soluble/isophane human) Manufacturer: Eli Lilly	KwikPen 3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	HumaPen Savvio
	Hypurin Porcine 30/70 Mix (soluble/isophane porcine) Manufacturer: Wockhardt	3ml cartridge* 10ml vial	Autopen Classic

Prefilled disposable pen device comparison chart

Manufacturer	Insulin	Device name	Min-max dose	Dose increments	Device capacity	Material	Recycle scheme
NovoNordisk	Fiasp	FlexTouch	1-80 units	1 unit	300 units	Plastic	PenCycle (excluding InnoLet)
	Insulatard	Innolet	1-50 units				
	Levemir	FlexPen	1-60 units				
		Innolet	1-50 units				
	NovoMix 30	FlexPen	1-60 units				
	NovoRapid	FlexPen	1-60 units				
		FlexTouch	1-80 units				
Tresiba 100 units/ml	FlexTouch	1-80 units	2 units	600 units			
Tresiba 200 units/ml	FlexTouch	2-160 units					
Sanofi	Admelog**	SoloStar	1-80 units	1 unit	300 units	Plastic	No
	Apidra						
	Lantus						
	Trurapi**						
	Toujeo 300 units/ml	SoloStar	1-80 units	1 unit	450 units		
	DoubleStar	2-160 units	2 units	900 units			
Eli Lilly	Abasaglar**	KwikPen	1-60 units	1 unit	300 units	Plastic	No
	Humalog 100 units/ml	KwikPen	1-60 units	1 unit	300 units		
		Junior KwikPen	0.5-30 units	0.5 units	300 units		
	Humalog 200 units/ml	KwikPen	1-60 units	1 unit	600 units		
	Humalog Mix25	KwikPen	1-60 units	1 unit	300 units		
	Humalog Mix50						
	Humulin I						
	Humulin M3						
	Lyumjev 100 units/ml	KwikPen	1-60 units	1 unit	300 units		
Junior KwikPen		0.5-30 units	0.5 units				
Lyumjev 200 units/ml	KwikPen	1-60 units	1 unit	600 units			
Mylan	Semglee**	Pre-filled pen	1-80 units	1 unit	300 units	Plastic	No

** Biosimilar insulins

Re-usable cartridge pen comparison

Manufacturer	Compatible Insulins (3ml cartridges)	Pen device	Min-Max dosage	Dose increments	Capacity	Colour	Material
NovoNordisk	Fiasp Insulatard Levemir NovoMix 30 NovoRapid Tresiba 100 units/ml	NovoPen 6 Smart pen	1-60 units	1 unit	300 units	Blue Silver	Metal & plastic
		NovoPen 5					
		Novopen Echo Plus Smart Pen	0.5-30 units	0.5 units	300 units	Teal Red	
		NovoPen Echo					
Sanofi	Admelog** Apidra Lantus Trurapi**	AllStar PRO	1-80 units	1 unit	300 units	Blue, Silver	Plastic
		Junior STAR	0.5-30 units	0.5 units	300 units	Red Blue Silver	
Eli Lilly	Abasaglar** Humalog 100 units/ml Humalog Mix 25 Humalog Mix 50 Humulin I Humulin M3 Humulin S Lyumjev 100 units/ml	HumaPen Savvio	1-60 units	1 unit	300 units	Blue Graphite Red	Metal
Wockhardt	Porcine Neutral Porcine Isophane Porcine 30/70 Mix	Owen Mumford Autopen Classic 1-unit pen	1-21 units	1 unit	300 units	Dark green	Plastic
		Owen Mumford Autopen Classic 2-unit pen	2-42 units	2 units	300 units	Dark blue	

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All re-usable cartridge pens can be prescribed via FP10, a spare pen device should always be available in case of loss or breakage.