

TABLE OF LICENSED COLECALCIFEROL PREPARATIONS

Colecalciferol strength and formulation	Brand name and manufacturer	Pack size	Cost
400unit capsules	InVita D3 400unit capsules (Consilient Health Ltd)	28	£1.85
800unit capsules/tablets	Colecalciferol 800 unit capsules SCOTTISH DRUG TARIFF PART 7	30	£3.60
	Colecalciferol 800unit tablets (A A H Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	30	£3.60
	Colecalciferol 800unit tablets (Alliance Healthcare (Distribution) Ltd)	30	£3.60
	Colecalciferol 800unit tablets (Consilient Health Ltd)	30	£3.60
	Desunin 800unit tablets (Meda Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	30	£3.60
	Desunin 800unit tablets (Meda Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	90	£10.17
	Fultium-D3 800unit capsules (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	30	£3.60
	Fultium-D3 800unit capsules (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	90	£8.85
	InVita D3 800unit capsules (Consilient Health Ltd)	28	£2.50
1,000unit tablets/ capsules	Aviticol 1,000unit capsules (Colonis Pharma Ltd)	30	£3.16
	Stexerol-D3 1,000unit tablets (Kyowa Kirin Ltd)	28	£2.95
2,400units/ml oral drops SF (400 units/ 6 drops)	InVita D3 2,400units/ml oral drops (Consilient Health Ltd)	10ml	£3.60
2,740units/ml oral drops SF (200 units/3 drops)	Fultium-D3 2,740units/ml oral drops (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	25ml	£10.70
3,200unit capsules *	Fultium-D3 3,200unit capsules (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	30	£13.32
	Fultium-D3 3,200unit capsules (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	90	£39.96
4,000unit tablets	Desunin 4,000unit tablets (Meda Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	70	£15.90
5,600unit capsules	InVita D3 5,600unit capsules (Consilient Health Ltd)	4	£2.50
10,000units/ml oral drops SF (200 units/drop)	Thorens 10,000units/ml oral drops (Galen Ltd) 10 ml	10ml	£5.85
	Thorens 25,000units/2.5ml oral solution (Galen Ltd)	4x2.5ml	£5.85
	Thorens 25,000units/2.5ml oral solution (Galen Ltd)	2.5ml	£1.55

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15,000units/5ml oral solution	Colecalciferol 3,000units/ml oral solution (AAH Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	100ml	£144.00
	Colecalciferol 3,000units/ml oral solution (Alliance Healthcare)	100ml	£144.00
	Colecalciferol 3,000units/ml oral solution (Thame Laboratories Ltd)	100ml	£144.00
20,000unit capsules	Colecalciferol 20,000 unit capsules SCOTTISH DRUG TARIFF PART 7	30	£29.00
	Aviticol 20,000unit capsules (Colonis Pharma Ltd)	30	£20.25
	Colecalciferol 20,000unit capsules (Tor Generics Ltd)	20	£20.50
	Fultium-D3 20,000unit capsules (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	15	£17.04
	Fultium-D3 20,000unit capsules (Internis Pharmaceuticals Ltd)	30	£29.00
	Plenachol 20,000unit capsules (Accord Healthcare Ltd)	10	£9.00
25,000unit tablets /capsules	Stexerol-D3 25,000unit tablets (Kyowa Kirin Ltd)	12	£17.00
	InVita D3 25,000unit capsules (Consilient Health Ltd)	3	£3.95
25,000units/1ml oral solution unit dose ampoules SF**	InVita D3 25,000units/1ml oral solution (Consilient Health Ltd)	3	£4.45
40,000unit capsules	Plenachol 40,000unit capsules (Accord Healthcare Ltd)	10	£15.00
50,000unit capsules	InVita D3 50,000unit capsules (Consilient Health Ltd)	3	£4.95
50,000units/1ml oral solution unit dose ampoules SF**	InVita D3 50,000units/1ml oral solution (Consilient Health Ltd)	3	£6.25

**Restricted on formulary

Prices from [Dictionary of medicines and device browser](#) accessed 15/04/2019

Notes –

Non- preferred/restricted formulations shaded in table. Most cost effective formulations in bold in table

15,000 units/5ml liquid formulations are expensive – preferably do not use.

20,000 unit solid formulation – Now on SDT Part 7 so prescribe generically as per Scottish Government policy

25,000 unit solid formulation – Invita D3 25,000 unit caps are most cost effective

40,000 unit solid formulation – consider using 2 x Aviticol 20,000 unit as more cost effective than 1 x 40,000 unit Plenachol

50,000 unit solid formulation - Invita D3 50,000 unit caps are cost effective