

**Table 6: ATC main group comparison (incl Drs bag), year ending: Jun 2008 - Section 85 Only**

ATC Group Level 1	Year ending - Jun 2007				Year ending - Jun 2008			
	Number	Govt Cost \$	Total Cost \$	Ave Price \$	Number	Govt Cost \$	Total Cost \$	Ave Price \$
Alimentary tract and metabolism	23,934,679	772,472,555	964,098,639	40.28	24,883,969	828,316,096	1,040,507,139	41.81
Blood and blood forming organs	6,542,307	215,943,807	252,122,765	38.54	6,934,428	239,879,460	280,725,742	40.48
Cardiovascular system	56,505,684	1,713,835,262	2,116,492,531	37.46	58,049,244	1,777,955,126	2,184,339,633	37.63
Dermatologicals	2,656,263	55,138,451	71,566,828	26.94	2,582,330	60,071,933	77,515,749	30.02
Genito urinary system and sex hormones	3,330,315	83,125,428	104,016,015	31.23	3,074,502	85,393,440	106,028,411	34.49
Systemic hormonal preparations, excl. sex hormones and	2,495,826	32,504,989	43,189,397	17.30	2,536,036	34,408,449	45,667,641	18.01
Antiinfectives for systemic use	12,125,459	217,410,730	280,786,883	23.16	12,511,893	227,779,057	295,613,157	23.63
Antineoplastic and immunomodulating agents	1,392,424	609,924,113	628,724,301	451.53	1,519,430	743,198,405	765,041,310	503.51
Musculo-skeletal system	9,774,505	271,112,984	331,888,339	33.95	9,176,869	258,332,651	308,516,412	33.62
Nervous system	32,435,857	995,489,069	1,209,818,371	37.30	32,523,766	1,071,637,474	1,286,658,783	39.56
Antiparasitic products, insecticides and repellents	44,402	546,303	742,694	16.73	46,551	608,891	820,091	17.62
Respiratory system	9,108,543	354,964,304	430,868,533	47.30	9,337,915	371,217,934	455,069,462	48.73
Sensory organs	7,434,137	104,009,614	138,559,677	18.64	7,386,284	172,968,007	209,560,979	28.37
Various	562,822	47,942,720	52,101,944	92.57	560,737	51,868,680	56,327,824	100.45
Not otherwise classified	192,296	2,035,206	2,799,479	14.56	172,069	2,004,150	2,716,719	15.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>168,535,519</b>	<b>5,476,455,535</b>	<b>6,627,776,394</b>	<b>39.33</b>	<b>171,296,023</b>	<b>5,925,639,754</b>	<b>7,115,109,054</b>	<b>41.54</b>

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Change, years ending:	Jun 2007 to Jun 2008				Jun 2007 to Jun 2008			
	Change	Change	Change	Change	Percentage Change	Percentage Change	Percentage Change	Percentage Change
Alimentary tract and metabolism	949,290	55,843,541	76,408,500	1.53	3.97	7.23	7.93	3.81
Blood and blood forming organs	392,121	23,935,653	28,602,977	1.95	5.99	11.08	11.34	5.05
Cardiovascular system	1,543,560	64,119,864	67,847,103	0.17	2.73	3.74	3.21	0.46
Dermatologicals	-73,933	4,933,482	5,948,921	3.08	-2.78	8.95	8.31	11.41
Genito urinary system and sex hormones	-255,813	2,268,011	2,012,397	3.25	-7.68	2.73	1.93	10.42
Systemic hormonal preparations, excl. sex hormones and	40,210	1,903,460	2,478,244	0.70	1.61	5.86	5.74	4.06
Antiinfectives for systemic use	386,434	10,368,328	14,826,274	0.47	3.19	4.77	5.28	2.03
Antineoplastic and immunomodulating agents	127,006	133,274,293	136,317,009	51.97	9.12	21.85	21.68	11.51
Musculo-skeletal system	-597,636	-12,780,334	-23,371,926	-0.34	-6.11	-4.71	-7.04	-0.99
Nervous system	87,909	76,148,405	76,840,412	2.26	0.27	7.65	6.35	6.06
Antiparasitic products, insecticides and repellents	2,149	62,588	77,397	0.89	4.84	11.46	10.42	5.32
Respiratory system	229,372	16,253,630	24,200,929	1.43	2.52	4.58	5.62	3.02
Sensory organs	-47,853	68,958,393	71,001,302	9.73	-0.64	66.30	51.24	52.22
Various	-2,085	3,925,960	4,225,880	7.88	-0.37	8.19	8.11	8.51
Not otherwise classified	-20,227	-31,056	-82,761	1.23	-10.52	-1.53	-2.96	8.45
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,760,504</b>	<b>449,184,219</b>	<b>487,332,659</b>	<b>2.21</b>	<b>1.64</b>	<b>8.20</b>	<b>7.35</b>	<b>5.62</b>

Total Cost includes cost to the patient and cost to the government

Average Price is "Total Cost" divided by "Volume"