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## Pricing

- **Price policies for pharmaceuticals**  
statutory pricing for reimbursable pharmaceuticals at ex-factory price level; external price referencing (6 EU members) for reimbursable pharmaceuticals
- **Wholesale mark-ups**  
for all reimbursable pharmaceuticals; regressive scheme
- **Pharmacy mark-ups**  
for all reimbursable pharmaceuticals; regressive scheme
- **VAT**  
5 % reduced rate for pharmaceuticals
- **Reforms**  
2005: 95% reference countries average price system for reimbursable pharmaceuticals

## Reimbursement

- **Positive list**  
36 % of all pharmaceuticals on the market are reimbursed
- **Reference Price System**  
Yes. Since 2000
- **Co-payment**  
percentage co-payment
- **Mechanisms for vulnerable groups**  
higher reimbursement level for children and disabled people
- **Reforms**  
since 2003 –new reimbursement level-90%