

Special Feature

Gluten Content of the Top 200 Medications: Follow-Up to the Influence of Gluten on a Patient's Medication Choices

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Celiac sprue is an autoimmune disease affecting the digestive system and occurs when gluten proteins, commonly found in wheat, barley, and rye, are not fully digested, stimulating an inflammatory process in the small intestine.¹⁻³ Symptoms can appear at any point in life and can range from gastrointestinal upset, headache, low weight gain (weight loss), osteoporosis, depression, and infertility.¹⁻⁴ Due to the variety of symptoms, celiac sprue is often underdiagnosed.^{1,2} Current estimates find that the disease affects 1 out of every 100 to 133 Americans.^{1,2,4,5}

Treatment for celiac sprue includes complete avoidance of gluten in products that are ingested or come into contact with the mouth, including medications, lip balm, and Play-Doh.¹⁻⁷ Ingestion of amounts as small as 30 to 50 mg may illicit an adverse event in patients.⁸ However, identification of gluten in products can be cumbersome. For food, per the FDA Food Act 2004, identification of wheat (along with milk, egg, fish, crustacean, shellfish, tree nuts, peanuts, and soybeans) on product labels, including flavorings, colorings, or additives contaminated with such, is required.⁷ Allergen identification is not required for medications where gluten can be found within the inactive ingredients (such as starches or starch derivatives) or transferred through the manufacturing process.¹ Ideally, this information would be contained in the package insert; however, inactive ingredients and manufacturing processes can change or are not fully described. Potential sources of gluten are not always recognized by health care professionals.¹

Patients are therefore required to double-check the content of all their medications before ingestion, which can become quite burdensome depending on the number of medications and availability of information

because one “good” resource is not available. Pharmacists are in a prime setting for consultation; however, without reliable resources for determining gluten content and adequate time, their job becomes labor intensive. Available resources include a Web site, glutenfreedrugs.com, that is maintained by a clinical pharmacist and contains a list of gluten-free medications, previous lists published by *Hospital Pharmacy*, and a list of nonprescription drugs published in the Nov/Dec 2011 edition of the *Journal of the American Pharmacists Association*.^{6,9} Other resources include the Celiac Disease Foundation (www.celiac.org), Celiac Sprue Association/USE Inc. (www.csaceliacs.org), and National Foundation for Celiac Awareness (www.celiaccentral.org); these Web sites do not contain a list of gluten-free medications, but they maintain education and support for patients. The National Foundation for Celiac Awareness offers a free continuing education program for pharmacists to provide them with a “reliable understanding of celiac disease and their role in dealing with gluten-intolerant patients.”¹⁰ Other continuing education programs are available for allied health professionals, dietitians, mental health professionals, nurse practitioners, and nursing professionals for a nominal fee. These resources are available at www.celiaclearning.com.

In addition to answering patient and health care professional questions regarding the gluten content of medications, the University of Kansas Drug Information Center has updated previously published information with the gluten content of the top 200 drugs by total dollars and the top 200 drugs by total prescriptions, as published by *Pharmacy Times* in July 2012.¹¹ The list was compiled by contacting manufacturers of the respective agents in August 2012 and asking if the [specific] drug was considered to be gluten-free. Manufacturers' phone numbers were

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obtained from the *Red Book* and *Facts & Comparisons*.^{12,13} Only answers of “yes” or “no” were accepted, and all “yes” answers required written documentation unless otherwise noted. Companies that declined to participate were recorded as “no” answers. **Table 1** summarizes the information found from the manufacturers, and it is a good starting place for practitioners when searching for a gluten-free medication. However, it is essential to double-check with the manufacturer regarding specific products, as inactive ingredients and manufacturing processes can change. The University of Kansas Drug Information Center is available to answer both patient and health care professional questions regarding the gluten content of medications (druginfo@ku.edu).

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Table 1

2011 Top 200 by sales rank ¹¹	2011 Top 200 by total prescriptions dispensed rank ¹¹	Drug	Manufacturer ^{12,13}	Phone number ¹³	2012 response
4	83	Abilify	Otuska	(301) 990-0030	No ^s
184	–	Abraxane	Celgene	(888) 423-5436	Yes [†]
67	–	Aciphex	Eisai	(201) 692-1100	Yes
104	–	Actonel	Warner Chilcott	(800) 521-8813	Yes ^{††}
137	–	Actoplus Met	Takeda	(877) 872-3700	Yes [†]
13	59	Actos	Takeda	(877) 872-3700	Yes [†]
151	–	Adacel	Sanofi-Aventis	(908) 243-6000	Yes ^{††}
62	–	Adderall XR	Shire US Inc.	(859) 669-8000	Yes ^{††}
5	22	Advair Diskus	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	No
138	–	AggreNox	Boehringer Ingelheim	(203) 798-9988	Yes [†]
–	96	Albuterol	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	116	Alendronate	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	171	Alendronate	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No ^s
58	–	Alimta	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
–	113	AllopuriNol	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
134	–	Aloxi	Eisai	(201) 692-1100	No
–	37	Alprazolam	Actavis	(908) 653-8100	No ^s
–	123	Alprazolam	Dava	(866) 947-3282	Yes ^{††}
–	68	Alprazolam	Greenstone/Pfizer	(800) 435-7095	Yes ^{††}
–	122	Alprazolam	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	163	Alprazolam	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
–	120	Amitriptyline	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	63	Amlodipine besylate	Camber	(866) 495-1995	Yes
–	90	Amlodipine besylate	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	29	Amlodipine besylate	Greenstone/Pfizer	(800) 435-7095	Yes ^{††}
–	47	Amlodipine besylate	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
–	190	Amlodipine besylate	Zydus	(609) 275-5125	Yes [†]
–	20	Amoxicillin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No ^s
–	133	Amoxicillin	West-Ward	(732) 542-1191	Yes
–	172	Amoxicillin	Greenstone	(800) 435-7095	Yes ^{††}
–	27	Amoxicillin	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	114	Amoxicillin/Clavulanate	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No ^s
–	42	Amoxicillin/Clavulanate	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
106	154	Amphetamine salt ER	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No ^s
135	–	Amphetamine salt ER	Global	(800) 934-6729	Yes [†]
49	–	AndroGel	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	Yes ^{††}
154	–	Angiomax	The Medicines Company	(973) 956-1616	Yes
–	138	APAP/Codeine	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
48	–	Aranesp	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	No
107	–	Asacol	Warner Chilcott	(800) 521-8813	Yes ^{††}
–	70	AteNolol	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	159	AteNolol	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	164	AteNolol	Ranbaxy	(904) 296-0019	Yes [†]
–	141	AteNolol	Zydus	(609) 275-5125	Yes [†]
162	–	Atorvastatin	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
22	–	Atripla	Bristol-Myers Squibb/Gilead Sciences	(800) 332-2056	Yes [†]
142	–	Avapro	Bristol-Myers Squibb US Med	(800) 332-2056	Yes*
21	–	Avastin	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
180	–	Avelox	Schering	(800) 526-4099	No
117	–	Avodart	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	Yes [†]
33	–	Avonex	Biogen Idec	(617) 679-2000	Yes [†]
–	9	Azithromycin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No ^s
–	24	Azithromycin	Greenstone/Pfizer	(800) 435-7095	Yes ^{††}
–	93	Azithromycin	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
89	151	Benicar	Daiichi Sankyo	(973) 359-2600	Yes [†]

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100	181	Benicar HCT	Daiichi Sankyo	(973) 359-2600	Yes [†]
86	–	Betaseron	Bayer	(888) 842-2937	Yes*
102	–	Boniva	Roche Labs	(800) 526-0625	Yes ^{††}
69	–	Budesonide	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
188	–	Bupropion HCl XL	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
120	–	Byetta	Amylin	(858) 552-2200	Yes [†]
164	165	Bystolic	Forest Pharm	(800) 678-1605	No
–	148	Carisoprodol	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
–	156	Carvedilol	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	No
–	86	Carvedilol	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
29	74	Celebrex	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
–	82	Cephalexin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	173	Cephalexin	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
176	–	Chantix	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
–	179	Cheratussin AC	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
75	115	Cialis	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes
–	69	Ciprofloxacin	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	155	Ciprofloxacin	Dr Reddy's	(866) 733-3952	Yes
–	67	Citalopram	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	No [†]
–	84	Citalopram	Torrent	(269) 544-2299	Yes [†]
–	175	Clindamycin	Ranbaxy	(904) 296-0019	Yes ^{††}
–	55	Clonazepam	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	101	Clonazepam	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
127	–	Colcrys	AR Scientific	(877) 960-2400	Yes ^{††}
50	–	Combivent	Boehringer Ingelheim	(203) 798-9988	Yes [†]
68	–	Concerta	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes ^{††}
17	–	Copaxone	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
8	10	Crestor	AstraZeneca	(302) 886-8800	Yes
101	–	Cubicin	Cubist	(781) 860-8660	No response
–	85	Cyclobenzaprine	Cadista	(410) 860-8500	Yes
–	81	Cyclobenzaprine	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
9	23	Cymbalta	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
95	–	Detrol LA	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
114	–	Dexilant	Takeda	(877) 872-3700	Yes [†]
–	200	Diazepam	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	105	Diazepam	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	134	Digoxin	Lannett	(215) 333-9000	Yes
27	34	Diovan	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	Yes [†]
32	57	Diovan HCT	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	Yes [†]
193	–	Docetaxel	Hospira	(877) 946-7747	Yes
175	–	Donepezil	Greenstone	(800) 435-7095	No
–	188	Doxycycline hyclate	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	132	Doxycycline hyclate	West-Ward	(732) 542-1191	Yes
169	–	Effexor XR	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
45	–	Eloxatin	Sanofi-Aventis	(908) 243-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	177	Enalapril	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
11	–	Enbrel	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	No
–	196	Endocet	Endo Labs	(610) 558-9800	No
37	–	Enoxaparin	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
20	–	Epogen	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	No
133	–	Epzicom	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	Yes [†]
88	–	Erbix	Lilly/Bristol-Myers Squibb	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
87	–	Evista	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes
146	–	Exelon	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	No
182	–	Exforge	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	No
–	167	Famotidine	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
136	–	Fentanyl	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
64	146	Flovent HFA	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	Yes [†]
–	54	Fluconazole	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	65	Fluoxetine	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	145	Fluoxetine	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	124	Fluticasone propionate	Hi-Tech Pharmacal	(631) 789-8228	No [§]
179	30	Fluticasone propionate	Roxane	(614) 276-4000	No [§]

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–	125	Fluticasone propionate	Apotex	(954) 384-8007	Yes [‡]
116	–	Focalin XR	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	Yes [†]
–	176	Folic acid	West-Ward	(732) 542-1191	Yes
141	–	Forteo	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
–	80	Furosemide	Roxane	(614) 276-4000	No [§]
–	111	Furosemide	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	91	Furosemide	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	66	Furosemide	Ranbaxy	(904) 296-0019	Yes [†]
–	61	Gabapentin	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	No [†]
–	169	Gabapentin	Actavis	(908) 653-8100	No [§]
–	182	Gabapentin	Glenmark	(201) 684-8000	Yes [†]
123	–	Gammagard liquid	Baxter	(888) 229-0001	Yes [‡]
112	–	Gamunex	Grifols USA	(888) 474-3657	Yes
155	–	Gardasil	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes ⁺
38	–	Geodon	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
–	198	Gianvi	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
167	–	Gilenya	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	Yes [†]
35	–	Gleevec	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	No
–	187	Glipizide	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	174	Glyburide	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
31	–	Herceptin	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
61	–	Humalog	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
121	–	Humalog Kwikpen	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
10	–	Humira	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	No
–	31	Hydrochlorothiazide	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	32	Hydrochlorothiazide	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
185	1	Hydrocodone/APAP	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	139	Hydrocodone/APAP	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	No [†]
–	2	Hydrocodone/APAP	Mallinckrodt	(314) 654-2000	Yes ^{††}
–	14	Hydrocodone/APAP	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
–	18	Ibuprofen (Rx)	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	No [†]
–	92	Ibuprofen (Rx)	Dr Reddy's	(866) 733-3952	Yes
71	–	Incivek	Vertex	(617) 576-3111	Yes ^{††}
158	–	Invega	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes ^{††}
165	–	Invega Sustenna	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes ^{††}
78	–	Isentress	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes
80	–	Janumet	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes
24	103	Januvia	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes
170	–	Kaletra	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	No
–	149	Klor-Con M20	Upsher-Smith	(763) 315-2000	Yes [†]
195	–	Lamictal	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	Yes [†]
25	62	Lantus	Sanofi-Aventis	(908) 243-6000	Yes [†]
34	137	Lantus SoloSTAR	Sanofi-Aventis	(908) 243-6000	Yes [†]
79	183	Levaquin	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes ^{††}
70	–	Levemir	Novo Nordisk	(609) 987-5800	Yes
–	12	Levothyroxine sodium	Lannett	(215) 333-9000	Yes
–	3	Levothyroxine sodium	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	186	Levothyroxine sodium	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	158	Levoxyl	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
18	16	Lexapro	Forest Pharm	(800) 678-1605	Yes [†]
149	–	Lexiscan	Astellas	(847) 317-8800	Yes [†]
166	–	Lialda	Shire US Inc.	(859) 669-8000	Yes
43	192	Lidoderm	Endo Labs	(610) 558-9800	Yes [†]
1	5	Lipitor	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
–	108	Lisinopril	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	153	Lisinopril	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	199	Lisinopril	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes ⁺
–	4	Lisinopril	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
–	76	Lisinopril	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	162	Lisinopril	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
–	107	Lisinopril	Wockhardt America	(800) 346-6854	Yes [†]
–	41	Lisinopril/HCTZ	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}

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108	109	Loestrin 24 Fe	Warner Chilcott	(800) 521-8813	No
–	73	Lorazepam	Actavis	(908) 653-8100	No [§]
–	131	Lorazepam	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	150	Lorazepam	Ranbaxy	(904) 296-0019	Yes ^{††}
–	117	Losartan	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	152	Lovastatin	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
60	161	Lovaza	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	No
51	–	LoveNox	Sanofi-Aventis	(908) 243-6000	Yes
30	–	Lucentis	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
156	–	Lumigan	Allergan Inc.	(714) 752-4500	Yes*
74	–	Lunesta	Sunovion	(508) 481-6700	Yes [†]
28	77	Lyrica	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
191	–	Maxalt MLT	Merck	(800) 672-6372	No
–	71	Meloxicam	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
196	–	Menactra	Sanofi Pasteur	(800) 822-2463	Yes [†]
–	53	Metformin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	110	Metformin	Aurobindo	(732) 839-9400	Yes
–	87	Metformin	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	51	Metformin	Zydus	(609) 275-5125	Yes [†]
81	–	Methylphenidate ER	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	168	Methylprednisone	Cadista	(410) 860-8500	No
172	44	Metoprolol succinate	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
140	40	Metoprolol succinate	Par	(201) 802-4000	Yes*
–	144	Metoprolol succinate	Wockhardt America	(800) 346-6854	Yes [†]
–	13	Metoprolol tartrate	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	No
143	–	Mirena	Bayer	(888) 842-2937	Yes
36	102	Namenda	Forest Pharm	(800) 678-1605	Yes ^{††}
–	160	Naproxen	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
54	78	Nasonex	Schering	(800) 526-4099	No
14	–	Neulasta	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	Yes*
63	–	Neupogen	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	Yes*
3	11	Nexium	AstraZeneca	(302) 886-8800	No
46	130	Niaspan	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	Yes ^{††}
128	–	Norvir	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	No
59	–	NovoLog	Novo Nordisk	(609) 987-5800	Yes
77	–	NovoLog Flexpen	Novo Nordisk	(609) 987-5800	Yes
190	–	NovoLog Mix Flexpen	Novo Nordisk	(609) 987-5800	Yes
163	–	Novoseven RT	Novo Nordisk	(609) 987-5800	No
178	–	Nutropin AQ	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
130	170	NuvaRing	OrgaNon	(800) 630-1253	Yes [†]
–	26	Omeprazole (Rx)	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
–	56	Omeprazole (Rx)	Dr Reddy's	(866) 733-3952	Yes*
–	21	Omeprazole (Rx)	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	72	Omeprazole (Rx)	Kremers Urban	(262) 238-9994	Yes [†]
199	–	Omnipaque	GE Healthcare	(609) 514-6405	Yes ^{††}
183	–	Onglyza	Bristol-Myers Squibb	(609) 897-2000	Yes [†]
96	–	Opana ER	Endo Labs	(610) 558-9800	Yes [†]
97	–	Orencia	Bristol-Myers Squibb	(609) 897-2000	Yes [†]
152	–	Ortho Tri-Cylen Lo	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	121	Oxycodone	Mallinckrodt	(314) 654-2000	Yes ^{††}
–	48	Oxycodone/APAP	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	45	Oxycodone/APAP	Mallinckrodt	(314) 654-2000	Yes ^{††}
19	129	OxyContin	Purdue Pharma	(203) 588-8000	Yes*
–	193	Pantoprazole	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	194	Pantoprazole	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††} (data based on Protonix)
–	143	Paroxetine	Zydus	(609) 275-5125	Yes [†]
122	–	Pegasys convenience pack	Roche Labs	(800) 526-0625	Yes ^{††}
–	166	Penicillin VK	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
2	7	Plavix	Bristol-Myers Squibb/Sanofi-Aventis	(800) 332-2056	Yes*
168	–	Pneumovax 23	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes*

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–	88	Potassium chloride	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	135	Potassium chloride	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
110	–	Pradaxa	Boehringer Ingelheim	(203) 798-9988	Yes [†]
–	38	Pravastatin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	99	Prednisone	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
–	112	Prednisone	Roxane	(614) 276-4000	No [§]
–	52	Prednisone	West-Ward	(732) 542-1191	Yes
–	180	Prednisone	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
129	142	Premarin Tabs	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
73	–	Prevnar 13	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{††}
98	–	Prezista	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes [†]
113	–	Pristiq	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	No
147	–	Privigen	CSL Behring	(800) 683-1288	Yes [†]
65	17	ProAir HFA	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
44	–	Procrit	Janssen Biotech	(908) 218-6000	Yes [†]
124	–	Prograf	Astellas	(847) 317-8800	Yes [†]
–	147	Promethazine	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{††}
47	–	Provigil	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
157	–	Pulmozyme	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
189	–	QVAR	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
200	–	Ranexa	Gilead Sciences	(800) 445-3235	Yes
–	185	Ranitidine syrup	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	Yes
52	–	Rebif	EMD SeroNo	(781) 982-9000	Yes ^{††}
159	–	Reclast	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	Yes [†]
12	–	Remicade	Centocor	(610) 651-6000	Yes [†]
111	–	Renvela	Genzyme	(617) 252-7500	Yes [†]
84	–	Restasis	Allergan Inc.	(714) 752-4500	Yes ⁺
148	–	Revimid	Celgene	(888) 423-5436	Yes [†]
66	–	Reyataz	Bristol-Myers Squibb	(609) 897-2000	Yes [†]
126	–	Risperdal Consta	Janssen	(908) 218-6000	Yes ^{††}
–	157	Risperidone	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
15	–	Rituxan	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
103	–	Sandostatin LAR	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	Yes [†]
105	–	Sensipar	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	No
6	43	Seroquel	AstraZeneca	(302) 886-8800	No
57	–	Seroquel XR	AstraZeneca	(302) 886-8800	No
–	60	Sertraline	Camber	(866) 495-1995	Yes
–	36	Sertraline	Greenstone/Pfizer	(800) 435-7095	Yes ^{††}
–	119	Sertraline	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
–	46	Simvastatin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
–	58	Simvastatin	Accord Healthcare	(866) 941-7875	Yes
–	126	Simvastatin	Aurobindo	(732) 839-9400	Yes
–	39	Simvastatin	Dr Reddy's	(866) 733-3952	Yes
–	6	Simvastatin	Lupin	(410) 576-2000	Yes ^{††}
–	100	Simvastatin	Zydus	(609) 275-5125	Yes [†]
–	106	Simvastatin	NorthStar	(800) 206-7821	Yes ^{††}
7	8	Singulair	Merck	(800) 672-6372	No
76	–	Solodyn	Medicis	(602) 808-8800	Yes [†]
23	79	Spiriva	Boehringer Ingelheim	(203) 798-9988	Yes ⁺
150	–	Stelara	Centocor	(610) 651-6000	Yes [†]
119	–	Strattera	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes
42	128	Suboxone	Reckitt Benckiser	(804) 379-1090	Yes [†]
–	28	Sulfamethoxazole/ Trimethoprim	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	No
56	191	Symbicort	AstraZeneca	(302) 886-8800	No
82	–	Synagis	MedImmune	(877) 633-4411	Yes [†]
92	15	Synthroid	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	Yes [†]
186	–	Synvisc-One	Genzyme	(617) 252-7500	No
–	178	Tamsulosin	Zydus	(609) 275-5125	Yes [†]
109	–	Tarceva	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
173	–	Taxotere	Sanofi-Aventis	(908) 243-6000	Yes ^{††}
160	–	Temodar	Schering	(800) 526-4099	Yes [†]
–	25	Tramadol	Amneal	(270) 629-2596	No [†]

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-	98	Tramadol	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
132	-	Travatan Z	Novartis Vision	(862) 778-8300	Yes ^{†‡}
-	19	Trazodone	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
125	-	Treanda	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
-	140	Triamcinolone Acetonide	Perrigo	(800) 719-9260	No [§]
-	118	Triamterene/HCTZ	Mylan	(304) 599-2595	Yes
-	127	Triamterene/HCTZ	Sandoz	(609) 627-6000	Yes ^{†‡}
40	104	Tricor	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	Yes [†]
115	-	Trilipix	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	No [†]
-	184	Trinessa	Watson	(973) 355-8398	No
-	189	Tri-Sprintec	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
26	-	Truvada	Gilead Sciences	(800) 445-3235	Yes
174	-	Tysabri	Elan	(800) 859-8586	Yes ^{†‡}
198	-	Valcyte	Roche Labs	(800) 526-0625	Yes ^{††}
194	-	Vanocin	Viropharma	(610) 458-7300	Yes [†]
72	-	Varivax	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes*
90	-	Velcade	Millennium	(617) 679-7000	Yes [†]
83	75	Venlafaxine HCl ER	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
99	33	Ventolin HFA	GlaxoSmithKline	(888) 825-5249	Yes ^{†‡}
93	-	Vesicare	Astellas	(847) 317-8800	Yes [†]
55	89	Viagra	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{†‡}
144	-	Victoza 3-Pak	Novo Nordisk	(609) 987-5800	No
197	-	Vidaza	Celgene	(888) 423-5436	Yes [†]
139	-	Viread	Gilead Sciences	(800) 445-3235	Yes
-	64	Vitamin D	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
53	136	Vytorin	Merck/Schering-Plough	(800) 672-6372	Yes
41	94	Vyvanse	Shire US Inc.	(859) 669-8000	Yes ^{†‡}
-	35	Warfarin	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
-	49	Warfarin	Taro	(800) 544-1449	Yes*
153	-	Welchol	Daiichi Sankyo	(973) 359-2600	Yes ^{†‡}
94	-	Xeloda	Roche Labs	(800) 526-0625	Yes ^{††}
177	-	Xgeva	Amgen	(800) 772-6436	No
161	-	Xifaxan	Salix	(866) 669-7597	Yes
118	-	Xolair	Genentech	(650) 225-1000	No
131	-	Xopenex	Sunovion	(508) 481-6700	Yes [†]
181	-	Yervoy	Bristol-Myers Squibb	(609) 897-2000	Yes ^{†‡}
192	-	Zemplar	Abbott Pharm	(800) 255-5162	No [†]
39	95	Zetia	Merck/Schering-Plough	(800) 672-6372	Yes
-	50	Zolpidem	Teva	(888) 838-2872	No [§]
-	197	Zolpidem	Qualitest	(256) 859-4011	Yes ^{††}
-	97	Zolpidem	Torrent	(269) 544-2299	Yes [†]
91	-	Zometa	Novartis	(862) 778-8300	No
171	-	Zostavax	Merck	(800) 672-6372	Yes*
145	-	Zosyn	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{†‡}
16	195	Zyprexa	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
187	-	Zyprexa Zydis	Lilly	(317) 276-2000	Yes [†]
85	-	Zyvox	Pfizer U.S.P.G.	(800) 533-4535	Yes ^{†‡}

*Cannot guarantee final products are gluten-free.

[†]Unable to provide documentation or documentation never received after several attempts.

[‡]Active ingredient is gluten-free, but final product is not tested.

[§]Declined to participate.

^{††}Not gluten-free; it contains maize, which is not the gluten associated with celiac sprue.