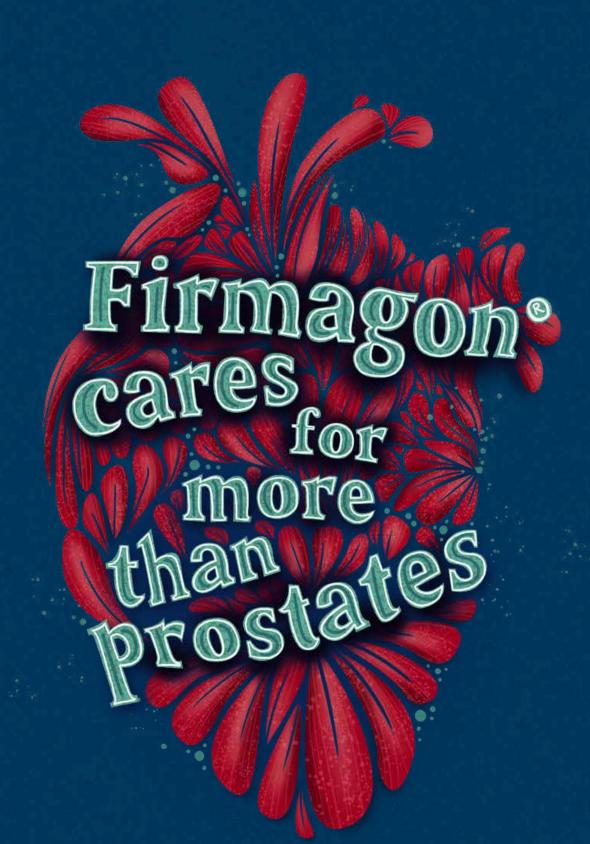


A targeted ADT, reducing cardiac risk vs. LHRH agonists³⁻⁸



with over 30% discount on the NHS list price from 1st January 2025

A trusted and familiar brand, FIRMAGON $^{\mathbb{R}}$ is a GnRH antagonist – a different class of ADT to the traditionally used LHRH agonists. 10

Same familiar product, with the same indications, at a lower cost:⁹

INITIATION DOSE



FIRMAGON 120mg

First month of treatment is 2 x 120 mg¹

with

32.26% discount*

NHS cost per pack: £176.12 Cost for full loading dose of 2 x 120mg injections for first month: £176.12

*From 1st January 2025

MAINTENANCE DOSE



FIRMAGON 80mg

Monthly administration from second month is 1 x 80 mg

with

31.2% discount*

NHS cost of monthly maintenance dose:^{2,9} £89.01
Annual cost after inital year: £1,068



How much could your prostate cancer service save on its FIRMAGON[®] prescriptions?

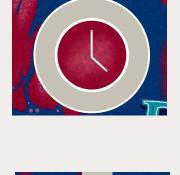
Below is a summary of the benefits FIRMAGON® can offer patients with advanced prostate cancer vs. LHRH agonists:



Reduced risk of CV events in patients with pre-existing CVD³⁻⁸



Improvement in overall survival rates¹¹



Delays PSA failure or death by 7 months, and increases PSA progression-free survival at 1 year, sustained to 5 years in high-risk patients^{11-13**}



Significant reduction in disease-related symptoms, improving QoL (reduces joint, musculoskeletal and urinary tract events)^{11,14}



6 months, improved to 83.6% at 12 months¹⁵

82% patient satisfaction with FIRMAGON® administration at

**High-risk defined as baseline PSA>20ng/ml

trusted, familiar brand that can save your centre over 30% on the NHS list price from 1st January 2025^{1,2,9}

Prescribe FIRMAGON® for your suitable patients - a

website https://hcp.ferring.co.uk/urology/firmagon

For further resources scan the QR code or visit the new



Prescribing information for FIRMAGON® can be found **here** or scan the QR code



Adverse events should be reported.

Reporting forms and information can be found at https://yellowcard.mhra.gov.uk.

Abbreviations: ADT, androgen deprivation therapy; CV, cardiovascular; CVD, cardiovascular disease; GnRH, gonadotrophin-releasing hormone; LHRH, luteinising hormone releasing-hormone; PCa, prostate cancer; QoL, quality of life.

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Adverse events should also be reported to Ferring Pharmaceuticals Ltd.

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