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Appendix IV

TERMS/ABBREVIATIONS FOR "BATCH NUMBER" AND "EXPIRY DATE" TO BE USED ON THE LABELLING OF HUMAN MEDICINAL PRODUCTS

Full Term	EN	BG	CS	DA[6]	DE[7]	EL	ES[7]	ET	FI[6]	FR	HR	HU	IT
batch number	Lot Batch BN	Lot[1] Партида: Партиден № Парт.№	Lot č.š.: Č. šarže	Lot Batch	Lot[1] Ch.-B.	Lot Παρτίδα	Lot[1] Lote	Lot Partii nr:	Lot Batch Erä	Lot	Lot Broj serije Serija	Lot Batch Gy.sz.:	Lot[1] Lotto
expiry date	EXP	EXP[1] Годен до:	EXP Použitelné do:	EXP[5] Anvendes inden Anv. inden Anvendes før Udløbsdato	EXP[1] verwendbar bis verw.bis[1]	EXP ΛΗΞΗ	EXP[1] CAD	EXP Kõlblik kuni:	EXP Käyt. viim.	EXP	EXP[5] Rok valjanosti	EXP Felhasz nálható: Felh.:[1]	EXP [1] Scad.

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Full Term	EN	IS[6]	LT[6]	LV[6]	MT	NL	NO[6]	PL	PT	RO	SK	SL[6]	SV[6]
batch number	Lot Batch BN	Lot Lotunr.	Lot[1] Serija	Lot[1,2] Sērija Sēr.	Lot LOTT	Lot Batch Partij Charge	Lot Batch	Lot[3] Nr serii Nr serii (Lot)[4]	Lot Lote	Lot Serie	Lot Č. šarže	Lot Številka serije	Lot Batch Sats
expiry date	EXP	EXP Fyrnist	EXP[1] Tinka iki	EXP[1,2] Derīgs līdz Der.līdz	EXP JIS	EXP	EXP[5] Utløpsdato Utl.dato	EXP[3] Termin ważności Termin ważności (EXP)[4]	EXP VAL	EXP Data expirării	EXP Dátum exspirácie	EXP Uporabno do	EXP Utg.dat.

[1] Accepted for small immediate packaging and blisters only
[2] Accepted for all types of immediate packaging only in case of multilingual packs
[3] Accepted for all types of immediate packaging only if “Nr serii (Lot)” or “Termin ważności (EXP)” is used on the outer labelling
[4] Accepted for the outer labelling only when “Lot” or “EXP” is used on the inner labelling
[5] Accepted for the outer labelling only when the meaning of “EXP” is explained in the package leaflet
[6] For small immediate packaging and blisters, the batch number and the expiry date can be stated without any words or abbreviations
[7] For blisters, the batch number and the expiry date can be stated without any words or abbreviations

For the Belgium trilingual pack, EXP and Lot are accepted for all types of packaging