

## Blood glucose meters available in the UK

Choosing a meter can be a complex business. New products come onto the market all the time. Diabetes UK recommends that your diabetes care team help you to understand blood glucose monitoring and support you in your choice of meter. If you are unsure about the most suitable equipment for your needs, contact your diabetes care team.

This information is for general use only. If you have questions about any of these products, concerns about individual health matters or the treatment of your diabetes, please consult your diabetes care team.

Company	Meter	Test strip required	Blood range in mmol/l	Sample volume in µl	Download to computer
<b>Abbott Diabetes Care</b> 0500 467466 <a href="http://www.diabetesnow.co.uk">www.diabetesnow.co.uk</a>	MediSense Optium	MediSense Optium Plus electrodes (for blood glucose tests) and MediSense B-ketone electrodes (for blood ketone tests)	1.1-27.8	1.5 5.0	Yes
	FreeStyle Classic	FreeStyle	1.1-27.8	0.3	Yes
	FreeStyle Mini	FreeStyle	1.1-27.8	0.3	Yes
<b>ADL Healthcare Diagnostics</b> 01283 494343 <a href="mailto:truetrack@adlhealthcare.co.uk">truetrack@adlhealthcare.co.uk</a>	TrueTrack Smart System	TrueTrack Smart System	1.3-33.3	1.0	Yes
<b>Animas Corporation</b> The device is currently only available by ordering directly from the US. For more information contact Animas Corporation on 001 610 644 8990 (US number). A representative or voicemail is available 24 hours a day. Website: <a href="http://www.glucowatch.com">www.glucowatch.com</a>	GlucoWatch G2 Biographer	AutoSensor (not available on prescription)	2.2-22.0	Not applicable	Yes

<b>Bayer HealthCare</b> 0845 6006 030 <a href="http://www.ascensia.co.uk">www.ascensia.co.uk</a>	Ascensia Contour	Ascensia Microfill	0.6-33.3	0.6	Yes
	Ascensia Breeze	Ascensia Autodisc (10-test disc)	0.6-33.3	2.0-3.0	Yes
<b>CDx Ltd</b> 0191 564 2036 <a href="http://www.cdx.uk.com">www.cdx.uk.com</a>	SensoCard Plus	SensoCard	1.1-33.3	0.5	Yes
<b>DiagnoSys Medical</b> 01489 864300	Prestige Qx Smart System	Prestige Smart System	1.3-33.3	4.0	Yes
<b>Hypoguard</b> 0845 0856 152 <a href="http://www.hypoguard.com">www.hypoguard.com</a>	Supreme Plus	Hypoguard Supreme	2.0-25.0	7.0	No
<b>LifeScan</b> 0800 121200 <a href="http://www.lifescan.co.uk">www.lifescan.co.uk</a>	OneTouch Ultra	OneTouch Ultra	1.1-33.3	1.0	Yes
	OneTouch UltraSmart	OneTouch Ultra	1.1-33.3	1.0	Yes
<b>Menarini Diagnostics</b> 0800 243667 <a href="mailto:enquires@menarinidiag.co.uk">enquires@menarinidiag.co.uk</a> <a href="mailto:visio@menarinidiag.co.uk">visio@menarinidiag.co.uk</a>	GlucoMen Glyco	GlucoMen Sensors	1.1-33.3	2.0	No
	GlucoMen PC	GlucoMen Sensors	1.1-33.3	2.0	Yes
	GlucoMen Visio	GlucoMen Visio Sensors	1.1-33.3	0.8	Yes
<b>Roche Diagnostics</b> 0800 701000 <a href="http://www.accu-chek.co.uk">www.accu-chek.co.uk</a>	Accu-Chek Compact	Accu-Chek Compact	0.55-33.3	1.5	Yes

	Accu-Chek Advantage	Accu-Chek Advantage II	0.55-33.3	4.0	Yes
Accu-Chek Active	Accu-Chek Active	0.55-33.3	2.0	Yes	
	Accu-Chek Aviva	Accu-Chek Aviva	0.6 - 33.3	0.6	Yes

## Links

- Gluowatch
- Medisense Soft Sense
- Talking meter