Humalog® Mix50/50™
50% INSULIN LISPRO PROTAMINE SUSPENSION AND
50% INSULIN LISPRO INJECTION
(rDNA ORIGIN)
100 UNITS PER ML (U-100)

DESCRIPTION
Humalog® Mix50/50™ [50% insulin lispro protamine suspension and 50% insulin lispro injection, (rDNA origin)] is a mixture of insulin lispro solution, a rapid-acting blood glucose-lowering agent and insulin lispro protamine suspension, an intermediate-acting blood glucose-lowering agent. Chemically, insulin lispro is Lys(B28), Pro(B29) human insulin analog, created when the amino acids at positions 28 and 29 on the insulin B-chain are reversed. Insulin lispro is synthesized in a special non-pathogenic laboratory strain of Escherichia coli bacteria that has been genetically altered by the addition of the gene for insulin lispro. Insulin lispro protamine suspension (NPL component) is a suspension of crystals produced from combining insulin lispro and protamine sulfate under appropriate conditions for crystal formation.

Insulin lispro has the following primary structure:

![Figure 1]

Insulin lispro has the empirical formula C_{257}H_{383}N_{65}O_{77}S_{6} and a molecular weight of 5808, both identical to that of human insulin.

Humalog Mix50/50 disposable insulin delivery devices contain a sterile suspension of insulin lispro protamine suspension mixed with soluble insulin lispro for use as an injection.

Each milliliter of Humalog Mix50/50 injection contains insulin lispro 100 Units, 0.19 mg protamine sulfate, 16 mg glycerin, 3.78 mg dibasic sodium phosphate, 2.20 mg m-cresol, zinc oxide content adjusted to provide 0.0305 mg zinc ion, 0.89 mg phenol, and water for injection. Humalog Mix50/50 has a pH of 7.0-7.8. Hydrochloric acid 10% and/or sodium hydroxide 10% may have been added to adjust pH.

CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY
Antidiabetic Activity — The primary activity of insulin, including Humalog Mix50/50, is the regulation of glucose metabolism. In addition, all insulins have several anabolic and anti-catabolic actions on many tissues in the body. In muscle and other tissues (except the brain), insulin causes rapid transport of glucose and amino acids intracellularly, promotes anabolism, and inhibits protein catabolism. In the liver, insulin promotes the uptake and storage of glucose in the form of glycogen, inhibits gluconeogenesis, and promotes the conversion of excess glucose into fat.
Insulin lispro, the rapid-acting component of Humalog Mix50/50, has been shown to be equipotent to regular human insulin on a molar basis. One unit of Humalog has the same glucose-lowering effect as one unit of regular human insulin, but its effect is more rapid and of shorter duration.

**Pharmacokinetics**

*Absorption* — Studies in nondiabetic subjects and patients with type 1 (insulin-dependent) diabetes demonstrated that Humalog®, the rapid-acting component of Humalog Mix50/50, is absorbed faster than regular human insulin (U-100). In nondiabetic subjects given subcutaneous doses of Humalog ranging from 0.1-0.4 U/kg, peak serum concentrations were observed 30-90 minutes after dosing. When nondiabetic subjects received equivalent doses of regular human insulin, peak insulin concentrations occurred 50-120 minutes after dosing. Similar results were found in patients with type 1 diabetes.

**Figure 2**

Serum immunoreactive insulin (IRI) concentrations, after subcutaneous injection of Humalog Mix50/50 or Humulin® 50/50 in healthy nondiabetic subjects.

Humalog Mix50/50 has two phases of absorption. The early phase represents insulin lispro and its distinct characteristics of rapid onset. The late phase represents the prolonged action of insulin lispro protamine suspension. In 30 nondiabetic subjects given subcutaneous doses (0.3 U/kg) of Humalog Mix50/50, peak serum concentrations were observed 45 minutes to 13.5 hours (median, 60 minutes) after dosing (Figure 2). In patients with type 1 diabetes, peak serum concentrations were observed 45 minutes to 120 minutes (median, 60 minutes) after dosing. The rapid absorption characteristics of Humalog are maintained with Humalog Mix50/50 (Figure 2).

Direct comparison of Humalog Mix50/50 and Humulin 50/50 was not performed. However, a cross-study comparison shown in Figure 2 suggests that Humalog Mix50/50 has a more rapid absorption than Humulin 50/50.

*Distribution* — Radiolabeled distribution studies of Humalog Mix50/50 have not been conducted. However, the volume of distribution following injection of Humalog is identical to that of regular human insulin, with a range of 0.26-0.36 L/kg.
Metabolism — Human metabolism studies of Humalog Mix50/50 have not been conducted. Studies in animals indicate that the metabolism of Humalog, the rapid-acting component of Humalog Mix50/50, is identical to that of regular human insulin.

Elimination — Humalog Mix50/50 has two absorption phases, a rapid and a prolonged phase, representative of the insulin lispro and insulin lispro protamine suspension components of the mixture. As with other intermediate-acting insulins, a meaningful terminal phase half-life cannot be calculated after administration of Humalog Mix50/50 because of the prolonged insulin lispro protamine suspension absorption.

Pharmacodynamics — Studies in nondiabetic subjects and patients with diabetes demonstrated that Humalog has a more rapid onset of glucose-lowering activity, an earlier peak for glucose-lowering, and a shorter duration of glucose-lowering activity than regular human insulin. The early onset of activity of Humalog Mix50/50 is directly related to the rapid absorption of Humalog. The time course of action of insulin and insulin analogs such as Humalog (and hence Humalog Mix50/50) may vary considerably in different individuals or within the same individual. The parameters of Humalog Mix50/50 activity (time of onset, peak time, and duration) as presented in Figures 2, 3, and 4 should be considered only as general guidelines. The rate of insulin absorption and consequently the onset of activity is known to be affected by the site of injection, exercise, and other variables (see General under PRECAUTIONS).

In a glucose clamp study performed in 30 nondiabetic subjects, the onset of action and glucose-lowering activity of Humalog, Humalog Mix50/50, Humalog® Mix75/25™ and insulin lispro protamine suspension were compared (Figure 3). Graphs of mean glucose infusion rate versus time showed a distinct insulin activity profile for each formulation. The rapid onset of glucose-lowering activity characteristic of Humalog was maintained in Humalog Mix50/50.

Direct comparison between Humalog Mix50/50 and Humulin 50/50 was not performed. However, a cross-study comparison shown on Figure 4 suggests that Humalog Mix50/50 has a duration of activity that is similar to Humulin 50/50.
Figure 3
Glucose infusion rates (a measure of insulin activity) after injection of Humalog, Humalog Mix50/50, Humalog Mix75/25, or insulin lispro protamine suspension (NPL component) in 30 nondiabetic subjects.

Figure 4
Insulin activity after subcutaneous injection of Humalog Mix50/50 and Humulin 50/50 in nondiabetic subjects.
Figures 3 and 4 represent insulin activity profiles as measured by glucose clamp studies in healthy nondiabetic subjects. Figure 3 shows the time activity profiles of Humalog, Humalog Mix75/25, Humalog Mix50/50, and insulin lispro protamine suspension (NPL component). Figure 4 is a comparison of the time activity profiles of Humalog Mix50/50 (Figure 4a) and of Humulin 50/50 (Figure 4b) from two different studies.

**Special Populations**

**Age and Gender** — Information on the effect of age on the pharmacokinetics of Humalog Mix50/50 is unavailable. Pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic comparisons between men and women administered Humalog Mix50/50 showed no gender differences. In large Humalog clinical trials, subgroup analyses based upon age and gender demonstrated that differences between Humalog and regular human insulin in postprandial glucose parameters are maintained across sub-groups.

**Smoking** — The effect of smoking on the pharmacokinetics and glucodynamics of Humalog Mix50/50 has not been studied.

**Pregnancy** — The effect of pregnancy on the pharmacokinetics and glucodynamics of Humalog Mix50/50 has not been studied.

**Obesity** — The effect of obesity and/or subcutaneous fat thickness on the pharmacokinetics and glucodynamics of Humalog Mix50/50 has not been studied. In large clinical trials, which included patients with Body-Mass-Index up to and including 35 kg/m², no consistent differences were observed between Humalog and Humulin R with respect to postprandial glucose parameters.

**Renal Impairment** — The effect of renal impairment on the pharmacokinetics and glucodynamics of Humalog Mix50/50 has not been studied. In a study of 25 patients with type 2 diabetes and a wide range of renal function, the pharmacokinetic differences between Humalog and human regular insulin were generally maintained. However, the sensitivity of the patients to insulin did change, with an increased response to insulin as the renal function declined. Careful glucose monitoring and dose reductions of insulin, including Humalog Mix50/50, may be necessary in patients with renal dysfunction.

**Hepatic Impairment** — Some studies with human insulin have shown increased circulating levels of insulin in patients with hepatic failure. The effect of hepatic impairment on the pharmacokinetics and glucodynamics of Humalog Mix50/50 has not been studied. However, in a study of 22 patients with type 2 diabetes, impaired hepatic function did not affect the subcutaneous absorption or general disposition of Humalog when compared to patients with no history of hepatic dysfunction. In that study, Humalog maintained its more rapid absorption and elimination when compared to regular human insulin. Careful glucose monitoring and dose adjustments of insulin, including Humalog Mix50/50, may be necessary in patients with hepatic dysfunction.

**INDICATIONS AND USAGE**

Humalog Mix50/50, a mixture of 50% insulin lispro protamine suspension and 50% insulin lispro, is indicated in the treatment of patients with diabetes mellitus for the control of hyperglycemia. Based on cross-study comparisons of the pharmacodynamics of Humalog Mix50/50 and Humulin 50/50, it is likely that Humalog Mix50/50 has a more rapid onset of glucose-lowering activity compared to Humulin 50/50 while having a similar duration of action. This profile is achieved by combining the rapid onset of Humalog with the intermediate action of insulin lispro protamine suspension.

**CONTRAINDICATIONS**

Humalog Mix50/50 is contraindicated during episodes of hypoglycemia and in patients sensitive to insulin lispro or any of the excipients contained in the formulation.
WARNINGS

Humalog differs from regular human insulin by its rapid onset of action as well as a shorter duration of activity. Therefore, the dose of Humalog Mix50/50 should be given within 15 minutes before a meal.

Hypoglycemia is the most common adverse effect associated with the use of insulins, including Humalog Mix50/50. As with all insulins, the timing of hypoglycemia may differ among various insulin formulations. Glucose monitoring is recommended for all patients with diabetes.

Any change of insulin should be made cautiously and only under medical supervision. Changes in insulin strength, manufacturer, type (e.g., regular, NPH, analog), species (animal, human), or method of manufacture (rDNA versus animal-source insulin) may result in the need for a change in dosage.

PRECAUTIONS

General — Hypoglycemia and hypokalemia are among the potential clinical adverse effects associated with the use of all insulins. Because of differences in the action of Humalog Mix50/50 and other insulins, care should be taken in patients in whom such potential side effects might be clinically relevant (e.g., patients who are fasting, have autonomic neuropathy, or are using potassium-lowering drugs or patients taking drugs sensitive to serum potassium level).

Lipodystrophy and hypersensitivity are among other potential clinical adverse effects associated with the use of all insulins.

As with all insulin preparations, the time course of action of Humalog Mix50/50 may vary in different individuals or at different times in the same individual and is dependent on site of injection, blood supply, temperature, and physical activity.

Adjustment of dosage of any insulin may be necessary if patients change their physical activity or their usual meal plan. Insulin requirements may be altered during illness, emotional disturbances, or other stress.

Hypoglycemia — As with all insulin preparations, hypoglycemic reactions may be associated with the administration of Humalog Mix50/50. Rapid changes in serum glucose concentrations may induce symptoms of hypoglycemia in persons with diabetes, regardless of the glucose value. Early warning symptoms of hypoglycemia may be different or less pronounced under certain conditions, such as long duration of diabetes, diabetic nerve disease, use of medications such as beta-blockers, or intensified diabetes control.

Renal Impairment — As with other insulins, the requirements for Humalog Mix50/50 may be reduced in patients with renal impairment.

Hepatic Impairment — Although impaired hepatic function does not affect the absorption or disposition of Humalog, careful glucose monitoring and dose adjustments of insulin, including Humalog Mix50/50, may be necessary.

Allergy — Local Allergy — As with any insulin therapy, patients may experience redness, swelling, or itching at the site of injection. These minor reactions usually resolve in a few days to a few weeks. In some instances, these reactions may be related to factors other than insulin, such as irritants in a skin cleansing agent or poor injection technique.

Systemic Allergy — Less common, but potentially more serious, is generalized allergy to insulin, which may cause rash (including pruritus) over the whole body, shortness of breath, wheezing, reduction in blood pressure, rapid pulse, or sweating. Severe cases of generalized allergy, including anaphylactic reaction, may be life threatening. Localized reactions and generalized myalgias have been reported with the use of cresol as an injectable excipient.

Antibody Production — In clinical trials, antibodies that cross react with human insulin and insulin lispro were observed in both human insulin mixtures and insulin lispro mixtures treatment groups.
Information for Patients — Patients should be informed of the potential risks and advantages of Humalog Mix50/50 and alternative therapies. Patients should not mix Humalog Mix50/50 with any other insulin. They should also be informed about the importance of proper insulin storage, injection technique, timing of dosage, adherence to meal planning, regular physical activity, regular blood glucose monitoring, periodic glycosylated hemoglobin testing, recognition and management of hypo- and hyperglycemia, and periodic assessment for diabetes complications.

Patients should be advised to inform their physician if they are pregnant or intend to become pregnant.

Refer patients to the INFORMATION FOR THE PATIENT insert for information on normal appearance, proper resuspension and injection techniques, timing of dosing (within 15 minutes before a meal), storing, and common adverse effects.

Use of the Humalog Mix50/50 Pen: Patients should read the “INFORMATION FOR THE PATIENT” insert and the “Disposable Insulin Delivery Device User Manual” before starting therapy with a Humalog Mix50/50 Pen and re-read them each time the prescription is renewed. Patients should be instructed on how to properly use the delivery device (refer to “Disposable Insulin Delivery Device User Manual”), prime the Pen, and properly dispose of needles. Patients should be advised not to share their Pens with others.

Laboratory Tests — As with all insulins, the therapeutic response to Humalog Mix50/50 should be monitored by periodic blood glucose tests. Periodic measurement of glycosylated hemoglobin is recommended for the monitoring of long-term glycemic control.

Drug Interactions — Insulin requirements may be increased by medications with hyperglycemic activity such as corticosteroids, isoniazid, certain lipid-lowering drugs (e.g., niacin), estrogens, oral contraceptives, phenothiazines, and thyroid replacement therapy. Insulin requirements may be decreased in the presence of drugs with hypoglycemic activity, such as oral antidiabetic agents, salicylates, sulfonamides, certain antidepressants (monoamine oxidase inhibitors), certain angiotensin-converting-enzyme inhibitors, beta-adrenergic blockers, inhibitors of pancreatic function (e.g., octreotide), and alcohol. Beta-adrenergic blockers may mask the symptoms of hypoglycemia in some patients.

Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility — Long-term studies in animals have not been performed to evaluate the carcinogenic potential of Humalog or Humalog Mix50/50. Insulin lispro was not mutagenic in a battery of in vitro and in vivo genetic toxicity assays (bacterial mutation tests, unscheduled DNA synthesis, mouse lymphoma assay, chromosomal aberration tests, and a micronucleus test). There is no evidence from animal studies of impairment of fertility induced by insulin lispro.

Pregnancy — Teratogenic Effects — Pregnancy Category B — Reproduction studies with insulin lispro have been performed in pregnant rats and rabbits at parenteral doses up to 4 and 0.3 times, respectively, the average human dose (40 units/day) based on body surface area. The results have revealed no evidence of impaired fertility or harm to the fetus due to insulin lispro. There are, however, no adequate and well-controlled studies with Humalog or Humalog Mix50/50 in pregnant women. Because animal reproduction studies are not always predictive of human response, this drug should be used during pregnancy only if clearly needed.

Nursing Mothers — It is unknown whether insulin lispro is excreted in significant amounts in human milk. Many drugs, including human insulin, are excreted in human milk. For this reason, caution should be exercised when Humalog Mix50/50 is administered to a nursing woman. Patients with diabetes who are lactating may require adjustments in Humalog Mix50/50 dose, meal plan, or both.

Pediatric Use — Safety and effectiveness of Humalog Mix50/50 in patients less than 18 years of age have not been established.
**Geriatric Use** — Clinical studies of Humalog Mix50/50 did not include sufficient numbers of patients aged 65 and over to determine whether they respond differently than younger patients. In general, dose selection for an elderly patient should take into consideration the greater frequency of decreased hepatic, renal, or cardiac function, and of concomitant disease or other drug therapy in this population.

**ADVERSE REACTIONS**

Clinical studies comparing Humalog Mix50/50 with human insulin mixtures did not demonstrate a difference in frequency of adverse events between the two treatments. Adverse events commonly associated with human insulin therapy include the following:

- **Body as a Whole** — allergic reactions (see PRECAUTIONS)
- **Skin and Appendages** — injection site reaction, lipodystrophy, pruritus, rash
- **Other** — hypoglycemia (see WARNINGS and PRECAUTIONS)

**OVERDOSAGE**

Hypoglycemia may occur as a result of an excess of insulin relative to food intake, energy expenditure, or both. Mild episodes of hypoglycemia usually can be treated with oral glucose. Adjustments in drug dosage, meal patterns, or exercise, may be needed. More severe episodes with coma, seizure, or neurologic impairment may be treated with intramuscular/subcutaneous glucagon or concentrated intravenous glucose. Sustained carbohydrate intake and observation may be necessary because hypoglycemia may recur after apparent clinical recovery.

**DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION**

**Table 1**

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<th>Insulin Products</th>
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<td>0.3</td>
<td>2.4 (0.8 – 4.3)</td>
<td>70% (49 – 89%)</td>
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<td>Humulin R</td>
<td>0.32 (0.26 – 0.37)</td>
<td>4.4 (4.0 – 5.5)</td>
<td>54% (38 – 65%)</td>
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<td>Humalog Mix75/25</td>
<td>0.3</td>
<td>2.6 (1.0 – 6.5)</td>
<td>35% (21 – 56%)</td>
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<td>Humulin 70/30</td>
<td>0.3</td>
<td>4.4 (1.5 – 16)</td>
<td>32% (14 – 60%)</td>
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<td>Humalog Mix50/50</td>
<td>0.3</td>
<td>2.3 (0.8 – 4.8)</td>
<td>45% (27 – 69%)</td>
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<td>Humulin 50/50</td>
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<td>3.3 (2.0 – 5.5)</td>
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<td>NPH</td>
<td>0.32 (0.27 – 0.40)</td>
<td>5.5 (3.5 – 9.5)</td>
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<td>NPL component</td>
<td>0.3</td>
<td>5.8 (1.3 – 18.3)</td>
<td>22% (6.3 – 40%)</td>
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*The information supplied in Table 1 indicates when peak insulin activity can be expected and the percent of the total insulin activity occurring during the first 4 hours. The information was derived from 3 separate glucose clamp studies in nondiabetic subjects. Values represent means, with ranges provided in parentheses.

Humalog Mix50/50 is intended only for subcutaneous administration. Humalog Mix50/50 should not be administered intravenously. Dosage regimens of Humalog Mix50/50 will vary...
among patients and should be determined by the health care professional familiar with the 
patient’s metabolic needs, eating habits, and other lifestyle variables. Humalog has been shown 
to be equipotent to regular human insulin on a molar basis. One unit of Humalog has the same 
glucose-lowering effect as one unit of regular human insulin, but its effect is more rapid and of 
shorter duration. The quicker glucose-lowering effect of Humalog is related to the more rapid 
absorption rate of insulin lispro from subcutaneous tissue.

Direct comparison between Humalog Mix50/50 and Humulin 50/50 was not performed. 
However, a cross-study comparison shown in Figure 4 suggests that Humalog Mix50/50 has a 
duration of activity that is similar to Humulin 50/50.

The rate of insulin absorption and consequently the onset of activity are known to be affected 
by the site of injection, exercise, and other variables. As with all insulin preparations, the time 
course of action of Humalog Mix50/50 may vary considerably in different individuals or within 
the same individual. Patients must be educated to use proper injection techniques.

Humalog Mix50/50 should be inspected visually before use. Humalog Mix50/50 should be 
used only if it appears uniformly cloudy after mixing. Humalog Mix50/50 should not be used 
after its expiration date.

**HOW SUPPLIED**

Humalog Mix50/50 Pen, a disposable insulin delivery device, is available in the following 
package size:

5 x 3 mL disposable insulin delivery devices NDC 0002-8793-59 (HP-8793)

Storage — Humalog Mix50/50 should be stored in a refrigerator (36° to 46°F [2° to 8°C]), but 
not in the freezer. Do not use Humalog Mix50/50 if it has been frozen. Unrefrigerated 
(below 86°F [30°C]) Pens must be used within 10 days or be discarded, even if they still contain 
Humalog Mix50/50. Protect from direct heat and light. See table below:

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INFORMATION FOR THE PATIENT
3 ML DISPOSABLE INSULIN DELIVERY DEVICE

HUMALOG® Mix50/50™ Pen
50% INSULIN LISPRO PROTAMINE SUSPENSION AND
50% INSULIN LISPRO INJECTION
(rDNA ORIGIN)
100 Units per mL (U-100)

WARNINGS

THIS LILLY HUMAN INSULIN ANALOG MIXTURE IS DIFFERENT FROM
OTHER INSULIN MIXTURES IN THAT ITS ONSET OF ACTION IS VERY
QUICK. THE QUICK ONSET OF ACTION MEANS THAT YOU SHOULD
TAKE YOUR DOSE OF HUMALOG® Mix50/50™ (50% INSULIN LISPRO
PROTAMINE SUSPENSION AND 50% INSULIN LISPRO INJECTION, [rDNA
ORIGIN]) WITHIN 15 MINUTES BEFORE YOU EAT.

ANY CHANGE OF INSULIN SHOULD BE MADE CAUTIOUSLY AND ONLY
UNDER MEDICAL SUPERVISION. CHANGES IN STRENGTH,
MANUFACTURER, TYPE (E.G., REGULAR, NPH, ANALOG), SPECIES (BEEF,
PORK, BEEF-PORK, HUMAN), OR METHOD OF MANUFACTURE (rDNA
VERSUS ANIMAL-SOURCE INSULIN) MAY RESULT IN THE NEED FOR A
CHANGE IN THE TIMING OR DOSAGE OF HUMALOG Mix50/50.

PATIENTS TAKING HUMALOG Mix50/50 MAY REQUIRE A CHANGE IN
 DOSAGE FROM THAT USED WITH OTHER INSULINS. IF AN ADJUSTMENT
IS NEEDED, IT MAY OCCUR WITH THE FIRST DOSE OR DURING THE
FIRST SEVERAL WEEKS OR MONTHS.

TO OBTAIN AN ACCURATE DOSE, CAREFULLY READ AND FOLLOW
THE “DISPOSABLE INSULIN DELIVERY DEVICE USER MANUAL” AND
THIS “INFORMATION FOR THE PATIENT” INSERT BEFORE USING THIS
PRODUCT. BEFORE EACH INJECTION, YOU SHOULD PRIME THE PEN, A
NECESSARY STEP TO MAKE SURE THE PEN IS READY TO DOSE.
PRIMING THE PEN IS IMPORTANT TO CONFIRM THAT INSULIN COMES
OUT WHEN YOU PUSH THE INJECTION BUTTON AND TO REMOVE AIR
THAT MAY COLLECT IN THE INSULIN CARTRIDGE DURING NORMAL
USE. IF YOU DO NOT PRIME, YOU MAY RECEIVE A WRONG DOSE (see also
INSTRUCTIONS FOR PEN USE section).

DIABETES

Insulin is a hormone produced by the pancreas, a large gland that lies near the stomach. This
hormone is necessary for the body’s correct use of food, especially sugar. Diabetes occurs when
the pancreas does not make enough insulin to meet your body’s needs.

To control your diabetes, your doctor has prescribed injections of insulin products to keep your
blood glucose at a near-normal level. You have been instructed to test your blood and/or urine
regularly for glucose. Studies have shown that some chronic complications of diabetes such as
eye disease, kidney disease, and nerve disease can be significantly reduced if the blood sugar is
maintained as close to normal as possible. The American Diabetes Association recommends that
if your premeal glucose levels are consistently above 130 mg/dL, bedtime glucose levels are
consistently above 160 mg/dL or your hemoglobin A1c (HbA1c) is more than 7%, consult your
doctor. A change in your diabetes therapy may be needed. If your blood tests consistently show
below-targeted glucose levels, you should also let your doctor know. Proper control of your
diabetes requires close and constant cooperation with your doctor. Despite diabetes, you can lead
an active and healthy life if you eat a balanced diet, exercise regularly, and take your insulin
injections as prescribed.

Always keep an extra Humalog Mix50/50 Pen as well as a spare needle on hand. Always wear
diabetic identification so that appropriate treatment can be given if complications occur away
from home.

**HUMALOG Mix50/50**

**Description**
Humalog (insulin lispro [rDNA origin]) is made by a special non-disease-producing laboratory
strain of *Escherichia coli* bacteria that has been genetically altered by the addition of the gene
for this human insulin analog. Humalog Mix50/50 is a mixture of 50% insulin lispro protamine
suspension and 50% insulin lispro, (rDNA origin). It is a longer-acting insulin combined with the
more rapid onset of action of Humalog. The duration of activity is similar to that of
Humulin 50/50 and may last up to 16 hours following injection. The time course of
Humalog Mix50/50 action, like that of other insulins, may vary in different individuals or at
different times in the same individual, based on dose, site of injection, blood supply,
temperature, and physical activity. Humalog Mix50/50 is a sterile suspension and is for
subcutaneous injection. It should not be used intravenously. The concentration of
Humalog Mix50/50 is 100 units/mL (U-100).

Humalog Mix50/50 starts lowering blood glucose more quickly than regular human insulin,
allowing for convenient dosing immediately before a meal (within 15 minutes). In contrast,
mixtures containing regular human insulin should be given 30-60 minutes before a meal.

**Identification**
Insulin lispro injection (rDNA origin), manufactured by Eli Lilly and Company, has the
trademark Humalog. Humalog products are available in three formulations – Humalog,
Humalog® Mix75/25™ and Humalog Mix50/50. Your doctor has prescribed the type of insulin
that he/she believes is best for you.

**DO NOT USE ANY OTHER INSULIN EXCEPT ON YOUR DOCTOR’S ADVICE AND
DIRECTION. YOU SHOULD NOT MIX HUMALOG Mix50/50 WITH ANOTHER
INSULIN.**

The Humalog Mix50/50 Pen is available in boxes of 5 disposable insulin delivery devices
(“insulin Pens”). The Humalog Mix50/50 Pen is not designed to allow any other insulin to be
mixed in its cartridge of Humalog Mix50/50, or for the cartridge to be removed.

Always examine the appearance of Humalog Mix50/50 suspension in the insulin Pen before
administering a dose. Roll the Pen between the palms 10 times. Holding the Pen by one end,
invert it 180° slowly 10 times to allow the glass bead to travel the full length of the cartridge
with each inversion. Humalog Mix50/50 should look uniformly cloudy or milky after mixing. If
not, repeat the above steps until the contents are mixed. Pens containing Humalog Mix50/50
suspension should be examined frequently. Do not use if the insulin substance (the white
material) remains visibly separated from the liquid after mixing. Do not use a
Humalog Mix50/50 Pen if there are clumps in the insulin after mixing. Do not use a
Humalog Mix50/50 Pen if solid white particles stick to the bottom or wall of the cartridge,
giving a frosted appearance. Always check the appearance of the Humalog Mix50/50 suspension
before using. If you note anything unusual in its appearance or notice your insulin requirements
changing markedly, consult your doctor.

**Storage**
**Not in-use (unopened):** Humalog Mix50/50 Pens not in-use should be stored in a refrigerator
but not in the freezer. Do not use Humalog Mix50/50 Pen if it has been frozen.
**In-use:** Humalog Mix50/50 Pens in-use should NOT be refrigerated but should be kept at
room temperature (below 86°F [30°C]) away from direct heat and light. Humalog Mix50/50
Pens in-use must be discarded **after 10 days**, even if they still contain Humalog Mix50/50.
Do not use Humalog Mix50/50 Pens after the expiration date stamped on the label.

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR PEN USE**

It is important to read, understand, and follow the instructions in the “Disposable Insulin Delivery Device User Manual” before using. Failure to follow instructions may result in a wrong insulin dose. The Pen must be primed before each injection to make sure the Pen is ready to dose. Performing the priming step is important to confirm that insulin comes out when you push the injection button, and to remove air that may collect in the insulin cartridge during normal use.

**NEVER SHARE INSULIN PENS OR NEEDLES.**

**PREPARING THE INSULIN PEN FOR INJECTION**

1. Inspect the appearance of Humalog Mix50/50 suspension in the Humalog Mix50/50 Pen. It should look uniformly cloudy or milky after mixing. Once the Humalog Mix50/50 Pen is in use, inspect the insulin in the Humalog Mix50/50 Pen before each injection.

2. Follow the instructions in the “Disposable Insulin Delivery Device User Manual” for these steps:
   - Preparing the Pen
   - Attaching the Needle
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**PREPARING FOR INJECTION**

1. Wash your hands.
2. To avoid tissue damage, choose a site for each injection that is at least 1/2 inch from the previous injection site. The usual sites of injection are abdomen, thighs, and arms.
3. Cleanse the skin with alcohol where the injection is to be made.
4. With one hand, stabilize the skin by spreading it or pinching up a large area.
5. Inject the dose as instructed by your doctor. Hold the needle under the skin for at least 5 seconds.
6. After dispensing a dose, pull the needle out and apply gentle pressure over the injection site for several seconds. **Do not rub the area.**
7. Immediately after an injection, remove the needle from the Humalog Mix50/50 Pen. Doing so will guard against contamination, and prevent leakage of Humalog Mix50/50, reentry of air, and needle clogs. **Do not reuse needles.** Place the used needle in a puncture-resistant disposable container and properly dispose of it as directed by your Health Care Professional.

**DOSAGE**

Your doctor has told you which insulin to use, how much, and when and how often to inject it. Because each patient’s case of diabetes is different, this schedule has been individualized for you. Your usual Humalog Mix50/50 dose may be affected by changes in your food, activity, or work schedule. Carefully follow your doctor’s instructions to allow for these changes. Other things that may affect your Humalog Mix50/50 dose are:

**Illness**

Illness, especially with nausea and vomiting, may cause your insulin requirements to change. Even if you are not eating, you will still require insulin. You and your doctor should establish a sick day plan for you to use in case of illness. When you are sick, test your blood glucose/urine ketones frequently and call your doctor as instructed.
Pregnancy

Good control of diabetes is especially important for you and your unborn baby. Pregnancy may make managing your diabetes more difficult. If you are planning to have a baby, are pregnant, or are nursing a baby, consult your doctor. Humalog Mix50/50 has not been tested in pregnant or nursing women.

Medication

Insulin requirements may be increased if you are taking other drugs with hyperglycemic activity, such as oral contraceptives, corticosteroids, or thyroid replacement therapy. Insulin requirements may be reduced in the presence of drugs with blood-glucose-lowering activity, such as oral antidiabetic agents, salicylates (for example, aspirin), sulfa antibiotics, alcohol, and certain antidepressants. Your health care professional is aware of these and other medications that may affect your diabetes control. Therefore, always discuss any medications you are taking with your doctor.

Exercise

Exercise may lower your body’s need for insulin products during and for some time after the physical activity. Exercise may also speed up the effect of a Humalog Mix50/50 dose, especially if the exercise involves the area of your injection site. Discuss with your doctor how you should adjust your regimen to accommodate exercise.

Travel

Persons traveling across more than 2 time zones should consult their doctor concerning adjustments in their insulin schedule.

COMMON PROBLEMS OF DIABETES

Hypoglycemia (Insulin Reaction)

Hypoglycemia (too little glucose in the blood) is one of the most frequent adverse events experienced by insulin users. It can be brought about by:

1. Missing or delaying meals
2. Taking too much insulin
3. Exercising or working more than usual
4. An infection or illness (especially with diarrhea or vomiting)
5. A change in the body’s need for insulin
6. Diseases of the adrenal, pituitary, or thyroid gland, or progression of kidney or liver disease
7. Interactions with other drugs that lower blood glucose, such as oral antidiabetic agents, salicylates (for example, aspirin), sulfa antibiotics, and certain antidepressants
8. Consumption of alcoholic beverages

Symptoms of mild to moderate hypoglycemia may occur suddenly and can include:

- sweating
- dizziness
- palpitation
- tremor
- hunger
- restlessness
- tingling in the hands, feet, lips, or tongue
- lightheadedness
- inability to concentrate
- headache

Signs of severe hypoglycemia can include:

- disorientation
- unconsciousness
- seizures
- death

Therefore, it is important that assistance be obtained immediately.
Early warning symptoms of hypoglycemia may be different or less pronounced under certain conditions, such as long duration of diabetes, diabetic nerve disease, use of medications such as beta-blockers, changing insulin preparations, or intensified control (3 or more injections per day) of diabetes. A few patients who have experienced hypoglycemic reactions after transfer from animal-source insulin to human insulin have reported that the early warning symptoms of hypoglycemia were less pronounced or different from those experienced with their previous insulin.

Without recognition of early warning symptoms, you may not be able to take steps to avoid more serious hypoglycemia. Be alert for all of the various types of symptoms that may indicate hypoglycemia. Patients who experience hypoglycemia without early warning symptoms should monitor their blood glucose frequently, especially prior to activities such as driving. If the blood glucose is below your normal fasting glucose, you should consider eating or drinking sugar-containing foods to treat your hypoglycemia.

Mild to moderate hypoglycemia may be treated by eating foods or drinks that contain sugar. Patients should always carry a quick source of sugar, such as candy mints or glucose tablets. More severe hypoglycemia may require the assistance of another person. Patients who are unable to take sugar orally or who are unconscious require an injection of glucagon or should be treated with intravenous administration of glucose at a medical facility.

You should learn to recognize your own symptoms of hypoglycemia. If you are uncertain about these symptoms, you should monitor your blood glucose frequently to help you learn to recognize the symptoms that you experience with hypoglycemia.

If you have frequent episodes of hypoglycemia or experience difficulty in recognizing the symptoms, you should consult your doctor to discuss possible changes in therapy, meal plans, and/or exercise programs to help you avoid hypoglycemia.

**Hyperglycemia and Diabetic Ketoacidosis**

Hyperglycemia (too much glucose in the blood) may develop if your body has too little insulin. Hyperglycemia can be brought about by any of the following:

1. Omitting your insulin or taking less than the doctor has prescribed
2. Eating significantly more than your meal plan suggests
3. Developing a fever, infection, or other significant stressful situation

In patients with type 1 or insulin-dependent diabetes, prolonged hyperglycemia can result in diabetic ketoacidosis (DKA). The first symptoms of DKA usually come on gradually, over a period of hours or days, and include a drowsy feeling, flushed face, thirst, loss of appetite, and fruity odor on the breath. With DKA, urine tests show large amounts of glucose and ketones. Heavy breathing and a rapid pulse are more severe symptoms. If uncorrected, prolonged hyperglycemia or DKA can lead to nausea, vomiting, stomach pains, dehydration, loss of consciousness, or death. Therefore, it is important that you obtain medical assistance immediately.

**Lipodystrophy**

Rarely, administration of insulin subcutaneously can result in lipoatrophy (depression in the skin) or lipohypertrophy (enlargement or thickening of tissue). If you notice either of these conditions, consult your doctor. A change in your injection technique may help alleviate the problem.

**Allergy**

*Local Allergy* — Patients occasionally experience redness, swelling, and itching at the site of injection. This condition, called local allergy, usually clears up in a few days to a few weeks. In some instances, this condition may be related to factors other than insulin, such as irritants in the skin cleansing agent or poor injection technique. If you have local reactions, contact your doctor.

*Systemic Allergy* — Less common, but potentially more serious, is generalized allergy to insulin, which may cause rash over the whole body, shortness of breath, wheezing, reduction in blood pressure, fast pulse, or sweating. Severe cases of generalized allergy may be life...
threatening. If you think you are having a generalized allergic reaction, notify a doctor immediately.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Additional information about diabetes may be obtained from your diabetes educator. **DIABETES FORECAST** is a national magazine designed especially for patients with diabetes and their families and is available by subscription from the American Diabetes Association, National Service Center, 1660 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314, 1-800-DIABETES (1-800-342-2383). Another publication, **DIABETES COUNTDOWN**, is available from the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation International (JDF), 120 Wall Street, 19th Floor, New York, New York 10005-4001, 1-800-JDF-CURE (1-800-533-2873). Additional information about Humalog Mix50/50 and Humalog Mix50/50 Pen can be obtained by calling 1-888-88-LILLY (1-888-885-4559) or consult the Eli Lilly and Company Internet Web Site at http://www.lilly.com/diabetes.
Instructions for Use
Read and follow these step by step instructions carefully. Failure to follow these instructions completely, including the priming step, may result in a wrong insulin dose. Also, read the Information for the Patient insert enclosed in your Pen box.

Pen Features
- A multiple dose, disposable insulin delivery device ("insulin Pen") containing 3 mL (300 units) of U-100 insulin
- Delivers up to 60 units per dose
- Doses can be dialed by single units
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Pen Parts

- Injection Button
- Dose Knob
- Raised Notch
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- Dose Window
- Label
- Insulin Cartridge
- Clear Cartridge Holder
- Rubber Seal
- Paper Tab
- Outer Needle Shield
- Needle
- Inner Needle Shield
Important Notes

- Please read these instructions carefully before using your Pen. Failure to follow these instructions completely, including the priming step, may result in a wrong dose.

- Use a new needle for each injection.

- Be sure a needle is attached to the Pen before priming, setting (dialing) the dose and injecting your insulin.

- The Pen must be primed before each injection to make sure the Pen is ready to dose. Performing the priming step is important to confirm that insulin comes out when you push the injection button, and to remove air that may collect in the insulin cartridge during normal use. See Section III. Priming the Pen, pages 10-13.

- If you do not prime, you may receive a wrong dose.

- The numbers on the clear cartridge holder give an estimate of the amount of insulin remaining in the cartridge. Do not use these numbers for measuring an insulin dose.

- Do not share your Pen.
Important Notes
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• Keep your Pen out of the reach of children.

• Pens that have not been used should be stored in a refrigerator but not in a freezer. Do not use a Pen if it has been frozen. Refer to the Information for the Patient insert for complete storage instructions.

• After a Pen is used for the first time, it should NOT be refrigerated but should be kept at room temperature [below 86°F (30°C)] and away from direct heat and light.

• An unrefrigerated Pen should be discarded according to the time specified in the Information for the Patient insert, even if it still contains insulin.

• Never use a Pen after the expiration date stamped on the label.

• Do not store your Pen with the needle attached. Doing so may allow insulin to leak from the Pen and air bubbles to form in the cartridge. Additionally, with suspension (cloudy) insulins, crystals may clog the needle.

• Always carry an extra Pen in case yours is lost or damaged.

• Dispose of empty Pens as instructed by your Health Care Professional and without the needle attached.

• This Pen is not recommended for use by blind or visually impaired persons without the assistance of a person trained in the proper use of the product.

• Any changes in insulin should be made cautiously and only under medical supervision.
I. Preparing the Pen

1. Before proceeding, refer to the *Information for the Patient* insert for instructions on checking the appearance of your insulin.

2. Check the label on the Pen to be sure the Pen contains the type of insulin that has been prescribed for you.

3. Always wash your hands before preparing your Pen for use.

4. Pull the Pen cap to remove.
I. Preparing the Pen
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5. If your insulin is a suspension (cloudy):
   
   a. Roll the Pen back and forth 10 times then perform step b.

   b. Gently turn the Pen up and down 10 times until the insulin is evenly mixed.

   Note: Suspension (cloudy) insulin cartridges contain a small glass bead to assist in mixing.

6. Use an alcohol swab to wipe the rubber seal on the end of the Pen.
II. Attaching the Needle

This device is suitable for use with Becton Dickinson and Company’s insulin pen needles.

1. Always use a new needle for each injection. Storing the Pen with the needle attached may allow insulin to leak from the Pen and air bubbles to form in the cartridge.

2. Remove the paper tab from the outer needle shield.

3. Attach the capped needle onto the end of the Pen by turning it clockwise until tight.
II. Attaching the Needle
(Continued)

4. Hold the Pen with the needle pointing up and remove the outer needle shield. Keep it to use during needle removal.

5. Remove the inner needle shield and discard.
III. Priming the Pen

- Always use a new needle for each injection.

- The Pen must be primed before each injection to make sure the Pen is ready to dose. Performing the priming step is important to confirm that insulin comes out when you push the injection button, and to remove air that may collect in the insulin cartridge during normal use.

- If you do not prime, you may receive a wrong dose.

1. You cannot prime your Pen until you can see the arrow (→) in the dose window. If a number or a blank space is in the dose window, push in the injection button completely until a diamond (♦) or arrow (→) is seen. When diamonds (♦) can be seen in the dose window, turn the dose knob clockwise until the arrow (→) is seen and the notches on the Pen and dose knob are in line.
III. Priming the Pen
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2. With the arrow in the dose window, pull the dose knob out in the direction of the arrow until a “0” is seen in the dose window.

3. Turn the dose knob clockwise until the number “2” is seen in the dose window. If the number you have dialed is too high, simply turn the dose knob backward until the number 2 is seen in the dose window.
III. Priming the Pen  
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4. Hold your Pen with the needle pointing up. Tap the clear cartridge holder gently with your finger so any air bubbles collect near the top. Using your thumb, if possible, push in the injection button completely and maintain pressure until the insulin flow stops. You should see either a drop or a stream of insulin come out of the tip of the needle. If insulin does not come out of the tip of the needle, repeat steps 1 through 4. If after several attempts insulin does not come out of the tip of the needle, refer to the “Questions and Answers” section at the end of this manual.
III. Priming the Pen  
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5. At the completion of the priming step, a diamond (♦) must be seen in the dose window.

Note: A small air bubble may remain in the cartridge after the completion of the priming step. If you have properly primed the Pen, this small air bubble will not affect your insulin dose.

6. Now you are ready to set your dose. See next page.
IV. Setting a Dose

- Always use a new needle for each injection. Storing the Pen with the needle attached may allow insulin to leak from the Pen and air bubbles to form in the cartridge.

- Caution: Do not push in the injection button while setting your dose. Failure to follow these instructions carefully may result in an inaccurate insulin dose.*

1. Pen has been primed and a diamond (♦) can be seen in the dose window.

2. Turn the dose knob clockwise until the arrow (→) is seen in the dose window and the notches on the Pen and dose knob are in line.

* See Page 16.
IV. Setting a Dose
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3. With the arrow (→) in the dose window, pull the dose knob out in the direction of the arrow until a “0” is seen in the dose window. A dose cannot be dialed until the dose knob is pulled out.

4. Turn the dose knob clockwise until your dose is seen in the dose window. If the dose you have dialed is too high, simply turn the dose knob backward until the correct dose is seen in the dose window.

5. If you cannot dial a full dose, see the “Questions and Answers” section at the end of this manual.
V. Injecting a Dose

- Always use a new needle for each injection. Storing the Pen with the needle attached may allow insulin to leak from the Pen and air bubbles to form in the cartridge.

- Caution: Do not attempt to change the dose after you begin to push in the injection button. Failure to follow these instructions carefully may result in an inaccurate insulin dose.*

- The effort needed to push in the injection button may increase while you are injecting your insulin dose. If you cannot completely push in the injection button, refer to the “Questions and Answers” section at the end of this manual.

* If you have set (dialed) a dose and pushed in the injection button without a needle attached or if no insulin comes out of the needle, see the “Questions and Answers” section.
V. Injecting a Dose  
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1. Wash hands. Prepare the skin and use the injection technique recommended by your Health Care Professional.

Inject the insulin by using your thumb, if possible, to completely push in the injection button. When the injection button has been completely pushed in (a diamond (♦) or arrow (→) must be seen in the dose window to indicate that the injection button has been completely pushed in), continue to hold it down and count slowly to 5. After dispensing a dose, pull the needle out and apply gentle pressure over the injection site for several seconds. Do not rub the area.
VI. Following an Injection

Do not store or dispose of the Pen with a needle attached. Storing the Pen with the needle attached may allow insulin to leak from the Pen and air bubbles to form in the cartridge.

1. Check that the injection button has been completely pushed in and you can see a diamond (♦) or arrow (→) in the dose window. If a diamond (♦) or arrow (→) cannot be seen in the dose window, your full dose has not been delivered. Contact your Health Care Professional immediately for additional instructions.

2. Carefully replace the outer needle shield.
VI. Following an Injection  
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3. Remove the capped needle by turning it counterclockwise and dispose of it as directed by your Health Care Professional. Place the used needle in a puncture-resistant disposable container and properly dispose of it as directed by your Health Care Professional.

4. Replace the cap on the Pen.

5. The Pen that you are using should NOT be refrigerated but kept at room temperature [below 86°F (30°C)] and away from direct heat and light. It should be discarded according to the time specified in the Information for the Patient insert, even if it still contains insulin.
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   b. Push in the injection button completely (even if a “0” is seen in the window) until a diamond (♦) or arrow (→) is seen in the dose window.  
   c. Prime the Pen.  
2) If you are sure insulin is coming out of the needle, push in the injection button more slowly to reduce the effort needed and maintain a constant pressure until the injection button is completely pushed in. |
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Keep in a cold place. Avoid freezing.

Shake carefully before use. See enclosed insert for proper technique.

Warning: Any change of insulin should be made cautiously and only under medical supervision.

For instructions see only.

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Each ml contains 50 units insulin lispro prolamine suspension; 50 units insulin lispro, protamine sulfate, 0.19 mg, glycine, 14 mg, dibasic sodium phosphate, 3.78 mg, m-cresol, 2.20 mg; zinc oxide content adjusted to provide 0.005 mg zinc ion; phenol, 0.89 mg; and water for injection.

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