Variables from the National prescription register, 1 July 2005 -, in Karma

For more details, see
https://www.socialstyrelsen.se/statistik-och-data/register/lakemedelsregistret/

varunr – nordic product number

Nordic product number. Product number used to communicate with pharmacies.

lkf – Domicile (county, council, home parish)

Patient's registered residence. Recorded with the help of the list "country divisions", published by Central Bureau of Statistics. The first two numbers refers to county, the next two municipalities and the two final assembly. For overseas living patients have been used county code '99' followed by two spaces for recent years, the loss in the reporting of registered residence by information from the records of the total population.

Prescriber

yrke – prescriber occupation

Prescriber profession from Förskrivarregistret (prescription registry)

utbk - educational code

Educational code (SUN Code)

spkod1-spkod3 – prescriber specialist educational code1-3

Prescriber specialist educational code 1-3 in reverse chronological order

Vform - care form

Kind of care according to the workplace. Property records used.

Prescription

edate - expedition date

Expedition Date / Delivery Date

fdatum - prescription date

Prescription Date / Issue Date

otyp - ordination type

Prescription type:

R = Recipe

H = Aid (handicap) card

L = As food

A = As food for adults

apodos - package

0 = Dispensable regular dose

1 = Dispensable irregular dose

2 = Vertical whole package

3 = If necessary the entire packaging

4 = Aid (handicap) a whole package

ftyp - prescription type

Prescription type:

F = free of charge

L = Food

R = Discount

U = no discount

utfkat – prescriber issuer

Issuer Category registered office at the time:

B = Midwife

D = District Nurse

H = Dental hygienist

L, LAK = Doctor

S = Nurse

T = Dentists.

startfp -start packing

Start Packing:

1 = Yes

0 and blank = No.

bytet - replacing of equal drug allowed

Replacing allowed:

0 = no

1 = Yes

2 = No, according to Apoteket AB

blank = .

bytesk - replacing code

Replacing code:

G = Generic substitution

P = Parallel Imports.

fvaruid - product Identification as prescribed

Prescribed product identification.
Movement Identity linked to a movement register to receive such ATC code, drug name or number of DDD per pack (see separate item description for commodity code).

fantal - number of prescribed packages

Prescribed number of packages.

varuid - product Identification as expedited

Product identification expedited.
Product identity connected to a supply register to receive such ATC code, drug name or number of DDD per pack (see separate item description for commodity code).

varutyp - type of product

Product type: RX = Prescription only, EX = prescription, HA = Merchandise, OV = Other, OT = Other Services.

antal - number of dispensed units (consumer packs)

Number of dispensed units (consumer packs) for ApoDos specified number of packs of three decimal places

doser - dosage text

Dosage Text

Costs

apris - price per pack incl. VAT

Per unit (AUP) including VAT

patkost - patient cost

Patient own cost per drug (recipe / recipes) incl. VAT (including the extra cost)

lankost - county cost

The County Council's cost per drug (recipe / recipes) incl. VAT

moms - VAT

VAT amount of drug (0%), food (12%) and utilities (25%)

atc - ATC code

ATC drug code according to the WHO
ATC Code classifies drugs according to use and chemical substance.

http://www.whocc.no/atc_ddd_index/

dddforp/forpddd - daily doses per pack

The number of daily doses per pack
Information on the number of defined daily doses / package contains.
(The average daily dose when the drug is used by an adult when crossing the main indication).

Forpstl/forps - package size

Package size
A composite description of the package size. Replaces FOOT (packaging multiple), ANTNUM (numeric packing quantity), ENHETKOD (packaging unit code) and Unit label (packaging unit of text)

Prodnmn/produkt - product name

Product name spelled out.

recb – prescribed drug

Prescribed drug.

J = Prescribed

N = Over the counter

System variables

round_national_prescription

Round of prescription expedited, i.e. the order number of times the study participant was expedited a prescription. Used for stratifying order of been expedited drugs.

year_national_prescription

Year of prescription expedited. Used for stratifying time series data.

month_national_prescription

Month of prescription expedited. Used for stratifying time series data.

source_reg_national_prescription

Available national prescription register data.