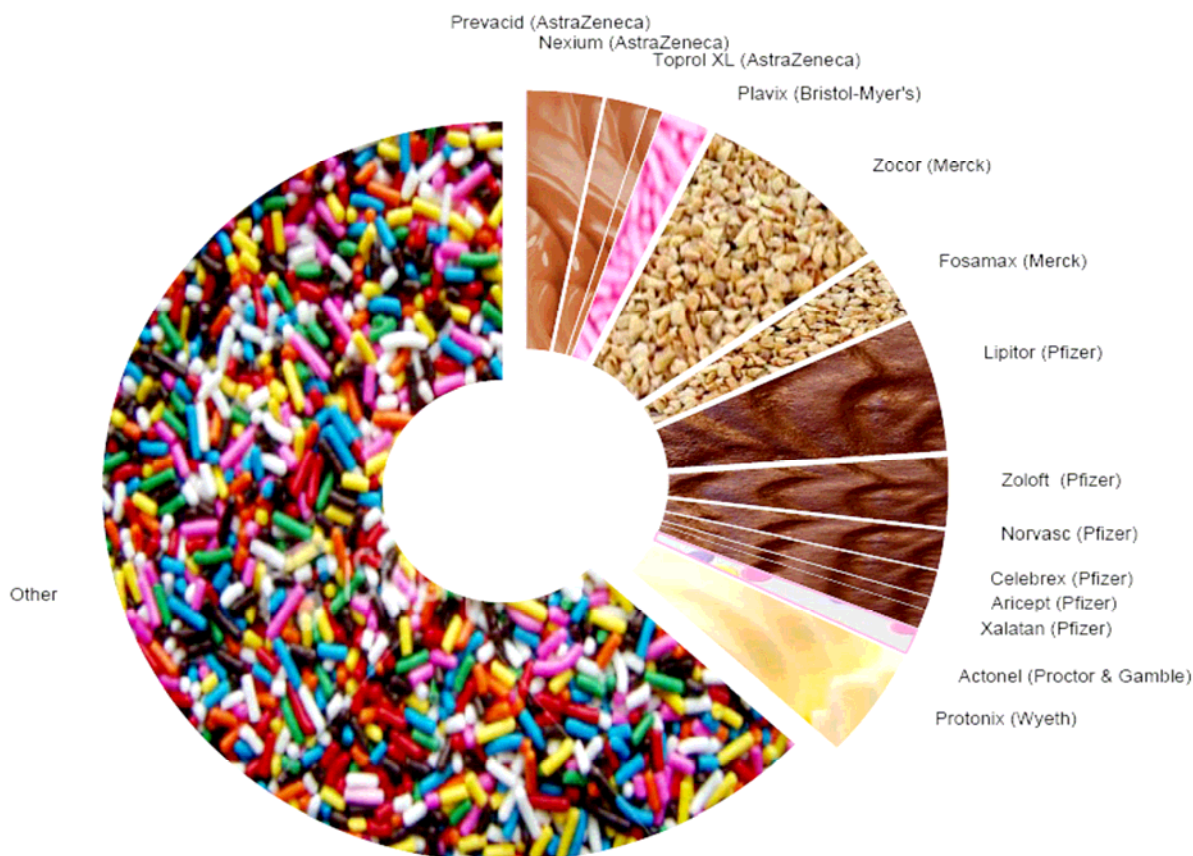


HOW DO YOU MAKE A DOUGHNUT WHOLE?

Doughnut Hole Composition by Top Prescription Drug Sales



Excess Profits from Top Prescription Drug Sales, in Millions of Dollars

Drug	Maker	Annual Prescriptions (in millions)	Excess Profits (in millions of dollars)
Zocor	Merck	11.2	\$1,656.1
Lipitor	Pfizer	31.6	1,199.9
Protonix	Wyeth	16.4	990.4
Prevacid	AstraZeneca	22.2	603.1
Zoloft	Pfizer	27.0	585.2
Fosamax	Merck	17.9	543.9
Plavix	Bristol-Myer's	18.8	412.4
Norvasc	Pfizer	16.3	369.6
Nexium	AstraZeneca	22.9	358.5
Actonel	Proctor & Gamble	9.7	223.8
Celebrex	Pfizer	11.0	216.4
Aricept	Pfizer	4.3	143.9
Xalatan	Pfizer	6.9	130.2
Toprol XL	AstraZeneca	8.2	114.0
Other			12,852.4
Total Doughnut Hole			\$20,400.0

Source: Baker, Dean. 2006. "The Origins of the Doughnut Hole: Excess Profits on Prescription Drugs." Washington, D.C.: Center for Economic and Policy Research (August).
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