

Biosimilar Medicines in the EU: Approval Overview



**1st biosimilar
medicine
approved in
the EU
in 2006**



A total of
173 Marketing
Authorisation
applications*
have been
submitted for
evaluation
in the EU



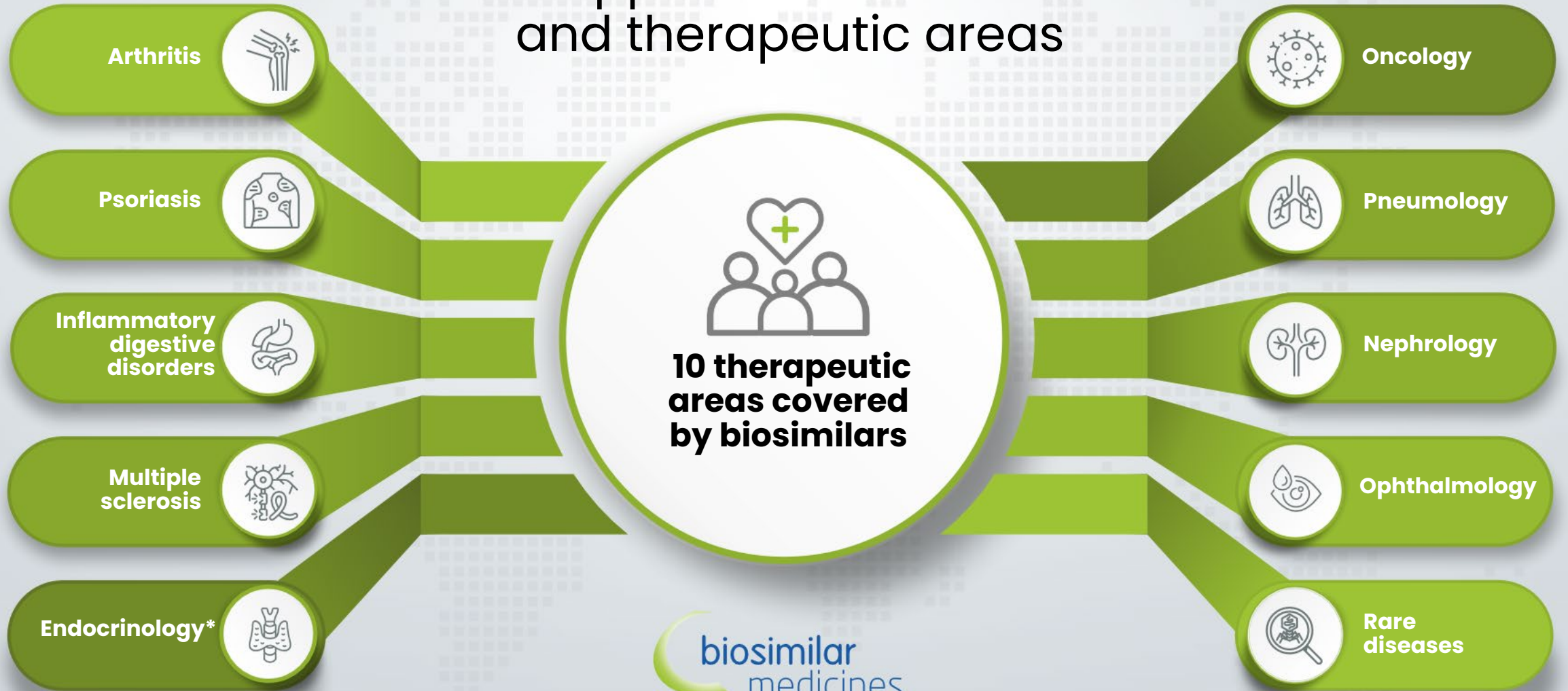
**142 biosimilar
medicines
received
marketing
authorisation**



**10+ therapeutic
areas covered
by
biosimilar
medicines**

Biosimilars in the EU:

Approval Overview and therapeutic areas



biosimilar
medicines

A **medicines**
for **eu**rope sector group

*Including growth hormone, fertility and diabetes.

Source: <https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/medicines/download-medicine-data>.

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