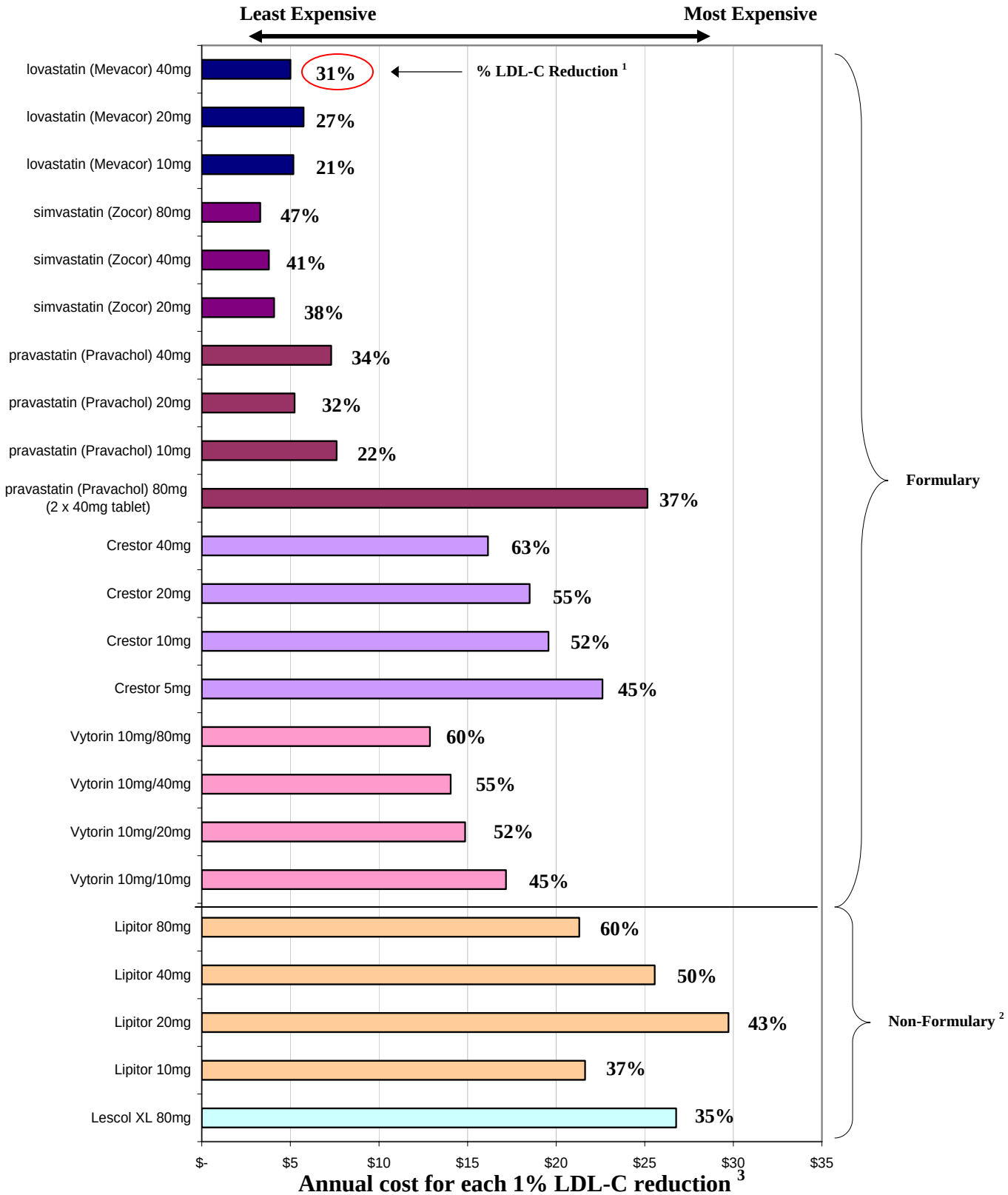
Statin Comparison
LDL-C Reduction versus Cost



[1] Based on manufacturer's prescribing information.
[2] Lipitor non-formulary effective 1/1/05; Lescol XL non-formulary effective 1/1/07.
[3] Annual cost for each 1% LDL-C reduction = $\frac{\text{Cost per Year}}{\text{LDL-C reduction}}$

Cost is based on discount off Average Wholesale Price (AWP) in First Data Bank for brands and Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) for generics as November 2006. Simvastatin (Zocor) and pravastatin (Pravachol costs are based on anticipated MAC by first quarter of 2007.

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