



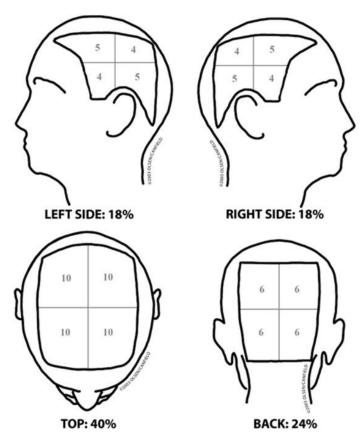
SEVERITY OF ALOPECIA TOOL SCORE

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The Severity of Alopecia Tool (SALT) score can be used for all types of hair loss/alopecia. It has been the main assessment tool for patients with alopecia areata and routinely been used in clinical trials for alopecia areata.

SALT is also the assessment tool recommended in the British Association of Dermatologists' alopecia areata clinical guideline (2024).

Below we provide a diagram and calculation on how to assess your patient's SALT score:



(A) Left side view: % hair loss x 0.18 =	
(B) Right side view: % hair loss x 0.18 =	
(C) Top of the scalp: % hair loss x 0.4 =	
(D) Back of scalp: % hair loss x 0.24 =	
Final SALT score: A + B + C + D =	

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