



**Fig. 5.12** Pill ladders – arranged by progestogen. Q5.129.

Notes 1. Positioning on rungs is somewhat arbitrary: attempts to allow for both dose and potency of constituents.

2. Major distinction between less oestrogen-dominant ladders E and F versus the remainder.
3. Dianette is not shown as it is licensed for short term use for androgenic symptoms, not solely as a COC (see Qs 6.64–65).