



## Speaker



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# Cleaning Validation



Live Online Training on 17/18 February 2021



*Three Q & A sessions make it lively*

## Highlights

- Regulatory Requirements
- Hygienic Equipment Design
- Cleaning Process Development
- Cleaning Validation, incl. Practical Approaches
- Sampling
- Handling Deviations and OOS
- Segregation and Shared Facilities
- Cleaning Validation in Biologics and Biotech Production

## Background

In the manufacture of medicinal products and APIs, the cleaning of facilities and equipment is an important measure to avoid contamination and cross contamination. In compliance with the GMP regulations, cleaning is performed and documented according to the described procedures. In the past, cleaning effectiveness was often monitored only visually. However, residuals of APIs and excipients as well as of detergents are increasingly an issue in inspections and audits. The success of cleaning procedures has to be validated. In addition to the FDA "Guide to Inspection – Validation of Cleaning Validation Processes", the PIC/S document PI 006 and Annex 15 address cleaning validation in a separate chapter. Moreover, the ICH Guideline Q7 "GMP for APIs" also requires cleaning validation – as well as two guidelines by APIC, the association of European API manufacturers.

A Guideline from EMA on Dedicated Facilities and Exposure Limits for Cleaning Validation and the revised Annex 15 deal now with a PDE (Permitted Daily Exposure) approach

## Objective

Many questions relative to cleaning validation are still open and have to be answered within the companies:

- What does the cleaning validation concept have to look like to be GMP-compliant and cost-effective?
- Which risk analyses are applicable to cleaning validation?
- How helpful can a riboflavin test be?
- Which maximum value is scientifically acceptable, especially in the field of APIs?
- Which sampling procedure is appropriate for which process and facility?
- How can you cut costs by means of bracketing?
- How are critical areas defined?
- Is cleaning evaluation the solution for seldom manufactured products?
- Which microbiological maximum values are valid in the areas of non-sterile dosage forms and APIs?  
and
- What are special aspects of cleaning validation in biotech API plants?

These questions will also be discussed with the help of practical examples.

## Target Audience

This course is directed at staff of R&D, production and quality assurance involved in cleaning validation. It also addresses engineering companies and manufacturer of cleaning devices/equipment interested in learning more about the pharmaceutical industry's viewpoint and in exchanging experiences.

## Programme

### Day 1

#### Regulatory Requirements

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- EU GMP Guideline Part I, II and III
- EU GMP Guideline Annex 15
- EMA "Shared Facilities Guideline" (incl. PDE concept)
- PIC/S PI 006
- APIC Cleaning Validation Guidance for APIs
- PDA TR 29 – "Points to Consider for Cleaning Validation"
- FDA 21 CFR 211.67
- FDA Guide to Inspection – Validation of Cleaning Processes

#### Practical pre-requisites I – Hygienic Equipment Design

- What is hygienic design?
- Material aspects
- WIP/CIP aspects
- Riboflavin test

#### Practical pre-requisites II – Cleaning process Development

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- Developing a cleaning process – which steps are necessary?
- TACT
- Which residues are common
- Type and selection of cleaners
- CIP vs WIP vs manual cleaning
- Cleaning Documentation

#### Cleaning Validation – incl. practical Approaches

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- Cleaning Validation Concepts
  - Bracketing
  - Hold time studies (DHT, CHT)
- Cleaning Validation Risk Management
- Cleaning Validation Plan
- Cleaning Validation Report
- Cleaning Validation life cycle (Revalidation, Ongoing Cleaning Verification)
- Cleaning Evaluation



#### Q & A sessions

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Three Q &A sessions (two on day 1 and one on day 2) ensure interaction and that your questions are answered.

## Day 2

### Sampling during Cleaning Validation

- How to define sampling points?
- Sampling techniques
  - Swab
  - Rinse
  - Coupons
- Analytical requirements

### Handling Deviations and OOS during Cleaning Validation and Ongoing Cleaning Verification

- What is an OOS, what a deviation regarding Cleaning Validation?
- GMP-compliant documentation of OOS and deviations
- CAPA

### Special Topics of Cleaning Validation

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- Segregation & shared facility guideline
- Cleaning Validation in Biologics & Biotech production
  - Differences between chemical and biotech APIs
  - Acceptance criteria for biotech APIs
  - Analytical methods to detect biotech APIs in Cleaning Validation

To ensure a high quality transmission the presentations of this seminar was recorded in advance.

## Speaker



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Robert has 20 years hands-on experience in aseptic processing, contamination control and cleanroom technology. He graduated in bioengineering and biotechnological quality management and joined Baxter, Vienna in 2001 where he led the environmental monitoring team 4 years. 2005 - 2018 he gathered more in-depth knowledge of GxP compliance incl. profound quality assurance expertise in his function as validation specialist being responsible for equipment qualification, sterilization validation and cleaning validation (with an SME function since 2016) at Baxter and Shire. Since 2010 he additionally shares his experience as a university lecturer. Additionally he's frequently spotted as a speaker at congresses and conferences and recognized as a contributor in various scientific publications. In 2019 he started his business as freelancing trainer and consultant.

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## Date of the Live Online Training

Wednesday, 17 February 2021,

09.00 h – 16.30 h

Thursday, 18 February 2021,

09.00 h – 13.45 h

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## Conference language

The official conference language will be English.

## Organisation and Contact

ECA has entrusted Concept Heidelberg with the organisation of this event.

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