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Global Registration and Life Cycle Management of APIs

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Contents of the regulatory information in the ASMF and CEP

Highlights

- Dossier Requirements for the Drug Substance
- Requirements for the Certificate of Suitability
- Drug Substance - Setting Specifications
- Synthesis derived impurities, genotoxic impurities, elemental impurities and residual solvents
- Stability Data
- How to read and use a CEP
- Choice and justification of the API starting material in a submission
- Variations/Changes and life cycle management: in the EU, US and rest of the world
- Registration procedures in the US, Japan and in emerging countries
- Regulatory procedures in Brazil and China

Three Workshops

1. Stability Studies and Establishing the Retest Date
2. Description of the Manufacturing Process
3. Top 10 deficiencies in new applications for Certificates of Suitability for chemical purity

Objectives

This education course is intended to provide guidance on the format, content and submission procedures for the pharmaceutical documentation of the quality of the drug substance for different types of dossiers, the CTD, the CEP and the European ASMF. In this context the consequences of the guidelines on Elemental Impurities (ICH Q3D (R1)) and genotoxic impurities (ICH M7) will be considered. Furthermore, the impact of the variations regulations will be discussed.

Participants will have the opportunity to join 3 workshops:

- Stability studies and establishing a retest date
- Description of the manufacturing process
- Top ten deficiencies in new applications for Certificates of Suitability for chemical purity

Background

In Europe there are several ways to document the quality of the drug substance for the purpose of marketing authorisation:

- Certificate of Suitability of the pharmacopoeial monograph (CEP)
- Full details of manufacture (according to CTD Module 3 Quality of Drug Substance)
- European Active Substance Master File (ASMF; former Drug Master File, DMF)
- Other evidence of suitability of the pharmacopoeial monograph

In the US, the quality of the drug substance can be documented as part of the CMC Dossier or in a US-DMF.

Target Audience

The education course is designed for all persons involved in the compilation of pharmaceutical dossiers for marketing authorisations who want to become familiar with the different ways to document the quality of the drug substance for the purpose of marketing authorisation in Europe. Furthermore, the course will be of interest to personnel from Quality Units of the medicinal products and the API industry.



Social Event

On the evening of the first day you are cordially invited to a social event. This is an excellent opportunity to share your experiences with colleagues from other companies in a relaxed atmosphere.

Programme

Dossier Requirements for the Drug Substance – An Introduction

- Chemical pharmaceutical documentation for active substance(s) – Regulatory requirements in EU and USA
- Types of active substances – types of documentation
- CTD Module 3, CEP and ASMF (former DMF)
- CEP for a substance for TSE risk assessment

Requirements for the Certificate of Suitability to the European Pharmacopoeia

- Regulatory basis: Resolution AP-CSP (99)4 of the Council of Europe
- CEP Procedure
- Content of the CEP dossier with practical examples
- Administrative minor and major changes, 5-year's revision

The European Active Substance Master File Procedure

- Regulatory background and scope
- The revised European ASMF guideline
- Applicant's and restricted parts - points to consider
- Questions & Answers on the ASMF procedure
- Recent European developments: Sharing of assessment reports, data bases ...

Pharmaceutical Impurities: Residual Solvents, synthesis-derived and Genotoxic and Elemental Impurities

- CPMP-/ICH-Guidelines on Impurities and Residual Solvents
- ICH M7 Guideline on genotoxic impurities
- ICH Q3D(R1) Guideline on elemental impurities
- Specifying Impurities
- Classifying solvents, setting and proving limits
- Justification of Specification

Stability Data

- CPMP/ICH Guidelines
- Stability Summary and Conclusions, stability commitment
- Documentation of Stability Data
- Necessity for documentation of raw data?

How to Read and Use a CEP

API Regulatory Starting Materials: how to Defend their Choice in a Submission

- Why is this such a hot topic
- What guidelines to consider
- How to define a suitable starting material
- How to defend your choice in the submission
- What is different for generics
- Consequences of a redefinition

Comparison of the CEP and DMF Procedure

- Advantages of the CEP procedure
- Handling Changes
- In which countries is the CEP being accepted?
- Cost Considerations
- Practical examples

Registration Procedures in the US and Japan – what are the Differences?

- Overview of the procedures
- Specifics for US and Japan

The EDQM Inspection Program

Stability Studies and Establishing the Retest Date

- Dr Jan Smeets

Description of the Manufacturing Process

- Dr Wilhelm Schlumbohm

Top ten Deficiencies in new Applications for Certificates of Suitability for Chemical Purity

- Marta Miquel

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Registration Requirements for APIs in Emerging Countries

- General remarks on API registrations in Emerging Countries
- Details of API registration in:
 - Taiwan
 - India
 - CIS countries: Russia, Belarus, Ukraine
 - GCC countries
- APIC Emerging Countries Interest Group

Variations/Changes and Life Cycle Management: in the EU, US and Rest of the World

- Types and categories of API changes
- EU: the variation regulation and CEP revisions
- Handling API changes in the US
- Handling API changes in Japan
- Handling API changes outside these regions
- Initiatives to facilitate changes

Regulatory Procedures in Brazil and China

- Overview of the procedures
- Specifics for Brazil and China
- Experiences

Speakers



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Ms van Dalen is the global regulatory specialist in the regulatory group dedicated to APIs, with almost 30 years of experience in the regulatory field. She is a board member of APIC, the European API Industry organization, and she participates in the Japan task force, Emerging markets task force and the Quality metrics task force. She frequently represents APIC in meetings and conferences organized by EMA, EDQM, ICH etc.



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Ms Miquel is a Scientific Officer in the Certification Department of the EDQM. After 8 years working in the Pharmaceutical Industry in Spain and Belgium (Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance fields), she joined the EDQM in 2004 as Quality Assurance officer and Quality auditor. Since 2011, she is in charge of the evaluation of new applications for Certificates of Suitability (CEP) in the Certification Department.



Dr Wilhelm Schlumbohm
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Dr Schlumbohm worked 30 years with German drug licensing authorities. He was an expert for the Certification Procedure of the European Pharmacopoeia and a member of the TAB for several years. He was also a member of the ASMF working group, and the CVMP co-opted member for quality. He is a pharmacist, holds a Ph D in biochemistry, and is further qualified as pharmacist for drug information and for public health. Currently he gives conference lectures on various quality topics and works as external advisor to drug regulatory authorities.



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Tuesday, 23 March 2021, 9.00 – 17.30

(Registration and coffee 8.30 – 9.00)

Wednesday, 24 March 2021, 8.30 – 18.00

Thursday, 25 March 2021, 9.00 – 14.30

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The official conference language will be English.

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