

**Navigating the Pharmacopoeia
Landscape: How to Stay Compliant
by Utilizing Regulatory Intelligence**



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Redica Regulatory Intelligence

We've built a precision, AI-driven regulatory monitoring system, combining automation, human expertise, and an infrastructure designed to adapt to regulator evolutions.

We act as the first line of detection for critical regulatory changes & provide timely actionable intelligence.

Staying ahead of global regulatory changes is hard. That's why Redica does the heavy lifting:

Continuously Monitor Global Regulatory Change

Track full document lifecycles or regulatory queries across agencies, regions, and standards.

Detect Relevant Changes Early

Identify new or revised requirements as they happen, including subtle updates that are often missed.

Understand Trends and Impact

Connect regulatory changes to inspection trends, enforcement history, and (soon) SOPs.

Align Teams with Shared Intelligence

Manage early impact assessments across RA, QA, and compliance stakeholders.

Transition to Proactive Compliance

Reduce manual effort, accelerate response time, and stay ahead of regulatory expectations with traceable rationale.



Comprehensive Regulatory Intelligence Coverage

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350+ unique sources from 100+ countries with more sources added regularly.

50+ Trade Associations

- EFPIA
- BioPhorum
- IFPMA
- MedTech Europe

40+ Harmonization Orgs

- ICH
- WHO
- PIC/S
- IMDRF

Primary Industries



- Human Drugs
- Biologics
- Animal Health
- Medical Devices
- In Vitro Diagnostics

Scope




- GMP
- GMP for IMP
- GDP
- GVP
- GCP
- GPeP
- GLP
- GTP
- GPP
- Labels
- Design & Dev
- PMS
- RA - Filing
- RA - CMC
- RA - Clinical
- RA - Preclinical
- RA - General
- Pharmacopoeia
- Health, Safety, Environment (HSE)


Pharmacopoeia Landscape




Origin and roles of Pharmacopoeias

The Development of Pharmacopoeias, George Urdang


 **Etymology** - The term “**pharmacopoeia**” originates from the Ancient Greek **φαρμακοποιία** (*pharmakopoiia*), which literally means “**drug-making.**”

 **Historical Definition** - *“A pharmacopoeia in the modern sense of the word is a pharmaceutical standard intended to secure uniformity in the kind, quality, composition and strength of remedies approved by the representatives of medicine within a particular political unit and made obligatory for its pharmacists by the authorities concerned.”*

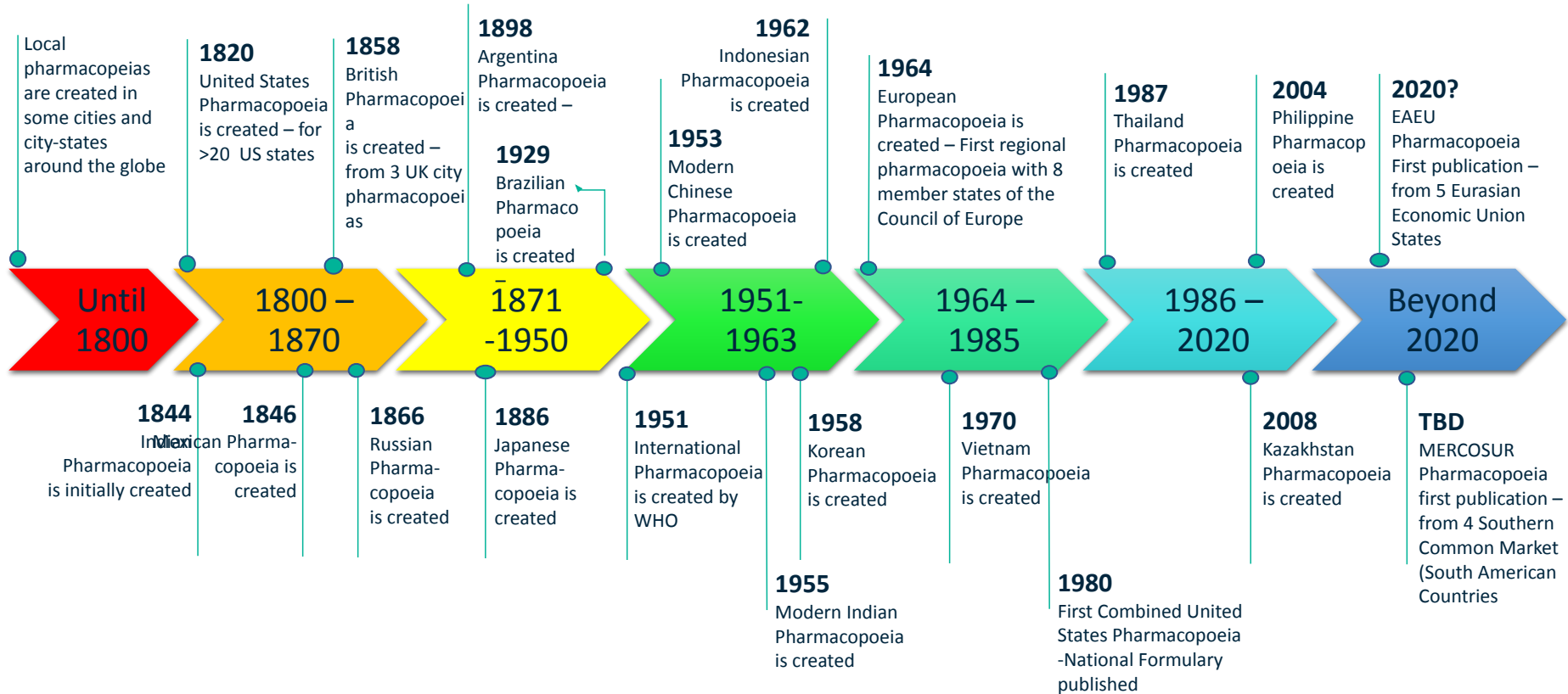
 **Evolution and Scientific Progress** - *“The very usefulness of the pharmacopoeia is determined by the periodical changes it has to undergo to keep pace with the latest progress in the sciences on which it is based.”*

 **Modern Role** - Over time, pharmacopoeias have evolved into:

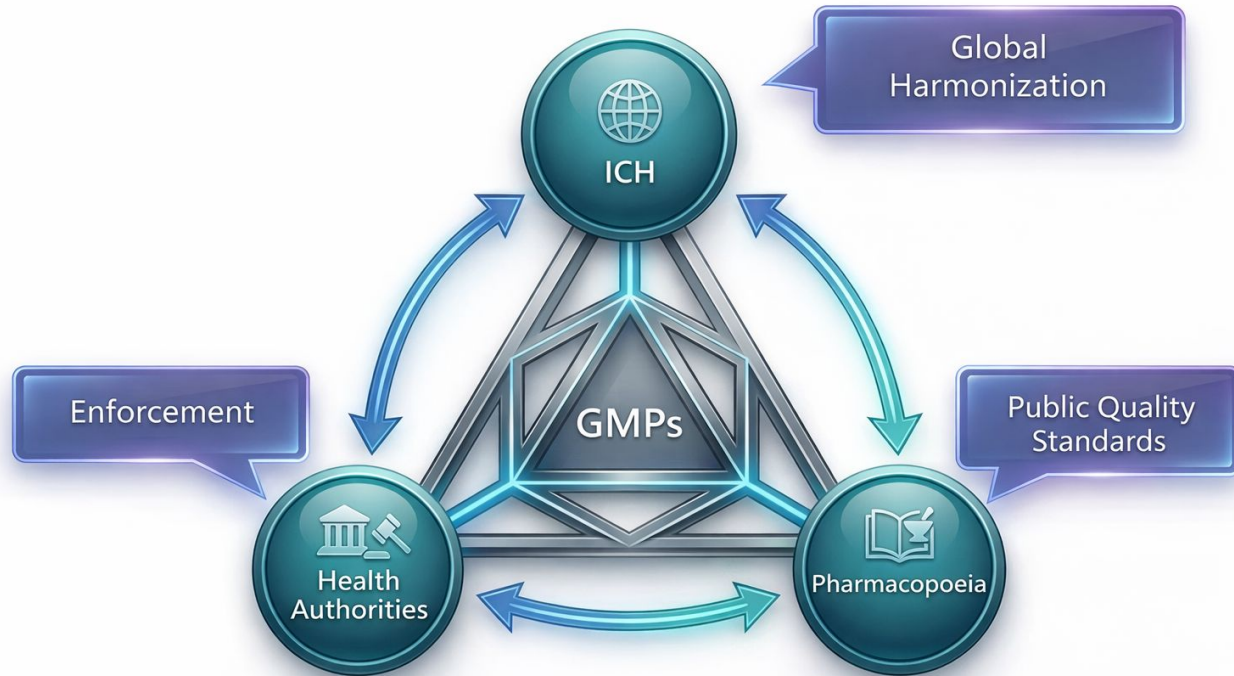
 **Official books of pharmaceutical standards**

 **Legally enforceable references** governing the **quality, composition, strength, and identity** of medicines.

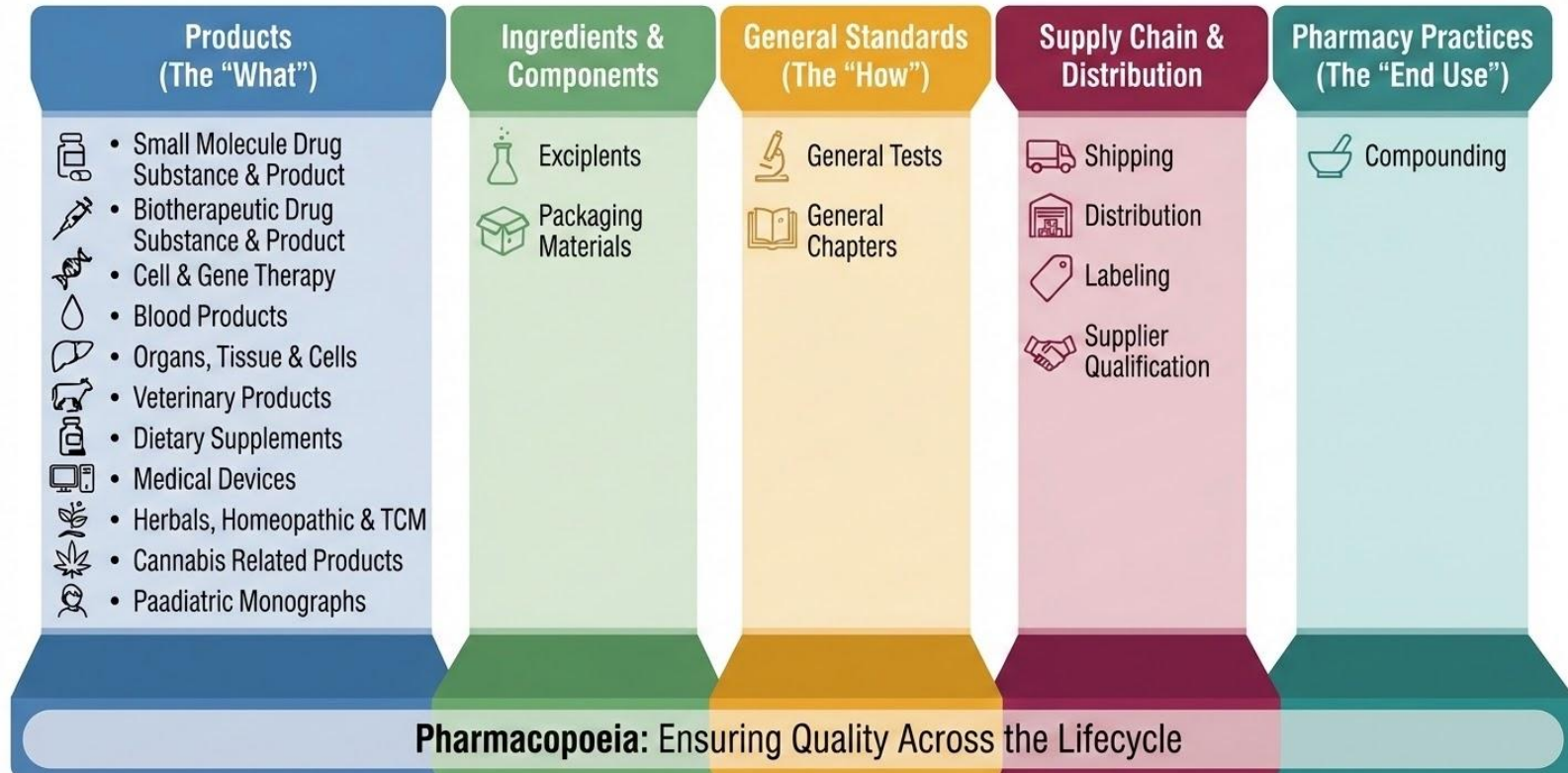
Pharmacopoeias Development over time



Pharmacopoeia relationship to GMP



A Comprehensive Scope of Public Standards



Pharmacopoeia Compliance Regulatory Basis and Risks

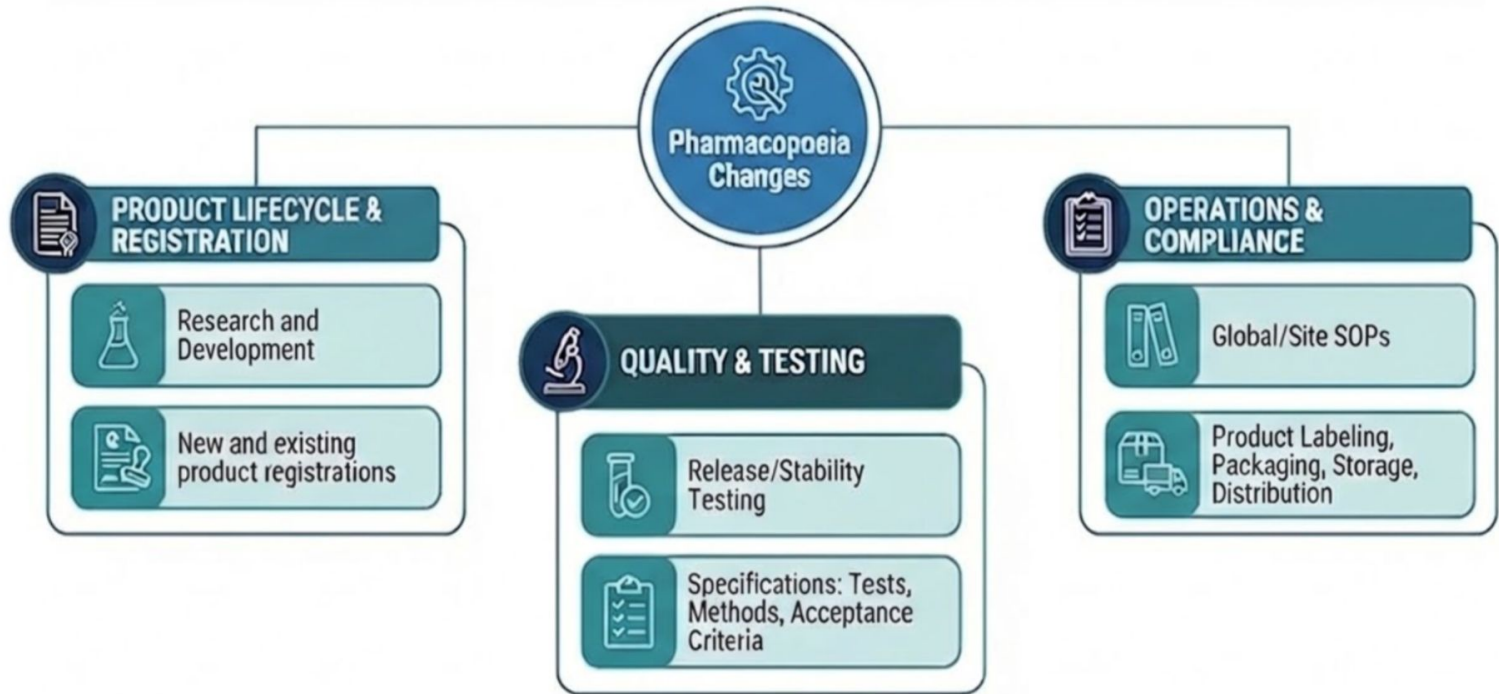


Pharmacopoeia Compliance: Fundamental Principles

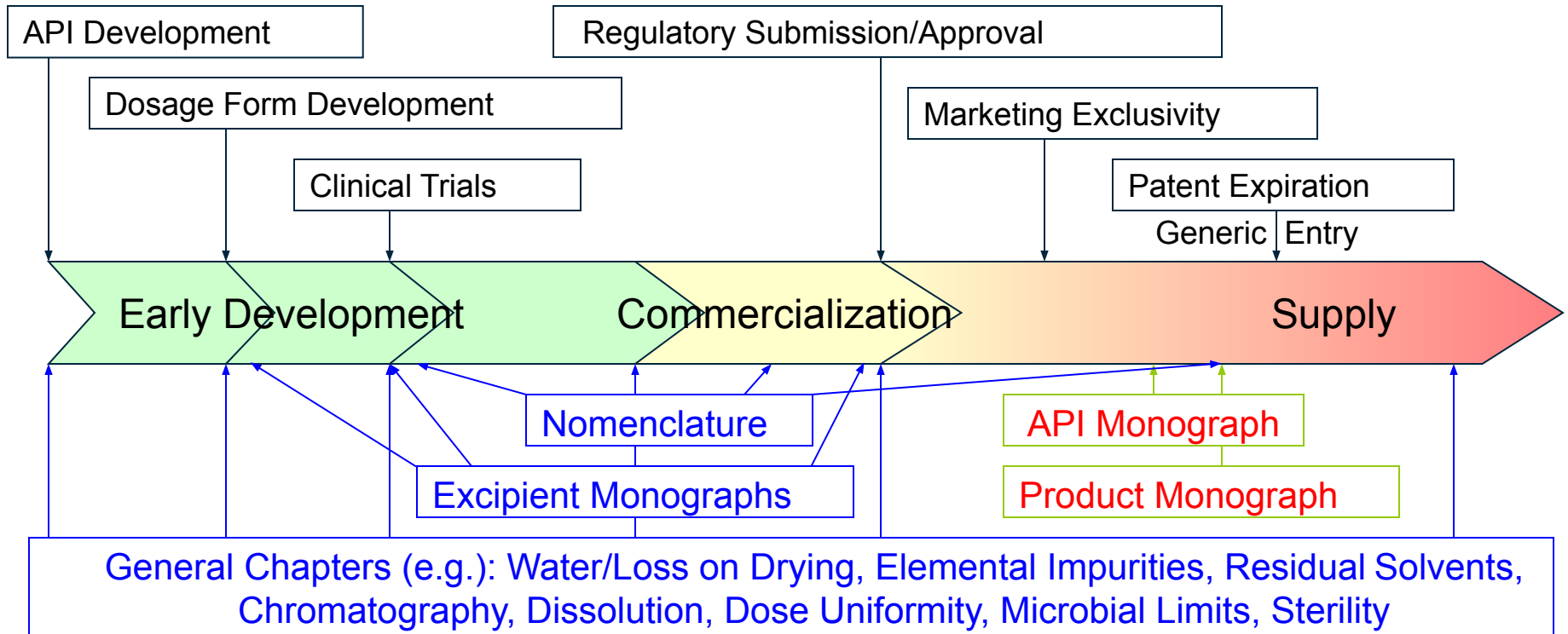
- Compliance with requirements published by pharmacopoeias is a legal and regulatory requirement in applicable countries and regions.
- A company must comply with **current** compendial requirements.
- A company must comply with the compendial requirements applicable in a particular country, **and also** with their product registrations as approved worldwide.

Why Pharmacopoeia matters?

"Pharmacopoeia is something where nobody pays attention to them until something goes wrong. I've seen it in many places." - Christine Moore, Organon



Impact of Pharmacopoeia Throughout Drug Product Life-Cycle



Three main challenges to Pharmacopoeia Compliance

1. Complexity & Lifecycle Management



- Compliance required throughout product lifecycle (development to post-market)
- Compliance is required to both product registrations and pharmacopoeia requirements for both release and stability testing

2. Global Regulatory Divergence



- Multiple, often conflicting, global regulatory expectations
- Lack of broad harmonization across the pharmacopoeia
- Significant number of compendial revisions published by the pharmacopoeia

3. Internal Alignment & Execution



- Lack of cross-functional understanding & partnership
- Inadequate compendial line-of-sight during development
- Complex change control processes hindering timely implementation

A sample of crispy enforcement actions across the board

Reference - Redica App 2.0	Observation
<p>True Botanica, LLC - Form 483, 2025-08-22</p>	<p>Laboratory controls do not include the establishment of scientifically sound and appropriate specifications designed to assure that components and in-process materials conform to appropriate standards of identity, strength, quality and purity. Specifically, A. Your firm has no documented justification/rationale for not following the testing and acceptance criteria outlined in the USP monograph for (b)(4) USP (which includes (b)(4) when produced by (b)(4)), which requires testing for Conductivity, Total Organic Carbon (TOC), and pH.</p>
<p>embecta Medical I LLC - Form 483, 2025-10-17</p>	<p>Laboratory controls do not include the establishment of scientifically sound and appropriate specifications designed to assure that components conform to appropriate standards of identity, strength, quality and purity. Specifically, You do not test your raw material (b)(4) for volatile impurities of (b)(4) (b)(4) or unspecified impurities as specified in the (b)(4) USP monograph, nor do you receive and review a qualified supplier's Certificate of Analysis or Certificate of Conformance</p>
<p>Medtronic, Inc. - Form 483, 2025-12-10</p>	<p>Each batch of drug product purporting to be sterile and pyrogen-free is not laboratory tested to determine conformance to such requirements. Specifically, A. Not all batches of combination product (b)(4) (“ (b)(4) ”) manufactured are tested for bacterial endotoxin; rather, each (b)(4) for testing..... Additionally, method CSS-0911-XXXX-0004 requires solely soybean casein digest media (SCDM; TSB) for (b)(4) testing and not fluid thioglycollate medium (FTM); compendial chapters for sterility testing of drug products (namely, USP <71>) specify both media types are to be used</p>
<p>US Specialty Formulations LLC - Form 483, 2026-01-14</p>	<p>The accuracy, sensitivity, specificity and reproducibility of test methods have not been established and documented. Specifically, (A) You have not established stability-indicating test methods to determine the stability of (b)(4), and the current analytical methods lack the capability to identify potential degradants and impurities in the finished drug product. (B) You have not demonstrated that your in-house benzyl alcohol test method QC-0060, Assay of Benzyl Alcohol, for testing incoming material is equal to or better than the USP compendial method.</p> <p>(D) Prior to December 29, 2025, your firm used the (b)(4) sample from the benzyl alcohol ingredient supplier as the in-house reference standard and did not qualify this secondary standard against the USP reference standard.</p>

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Reference - Redica App 2.0	Observation
<p>Delcath Systems, Incorporated - Complete Response Letter, 2013-09-12</p>	<p>Labeling In your resubmission, submit revised draft labeling that addresses the following comments (...) Full Prescribing Information 27. As discussed in CDER's Manual of Policies and Procedures (MAPP) 5020.1, which describes how CDER will apply the United States Pharmacopeia (USP) Monograph Naming Policy for Salt Drug Substances in Drug Products and Compounded Preparations (the USP Salt Policy) to prescription drug products to ensure consistent drug product naming when the USP Salt Policy becomes official on May 1, 2013, the strength of melphalan (hydrochloride), for Injection should be expressed in terms of the active moiety (melphalan base) and the names and strengths of both the active moiety and specific salt forms are to be provided in the labeling."</p>
<p>MedImmune UK Limited - MHRA Inspection Report, 2024-10-16</p>	<p>Microbiology Sterility testing was performed in an isolator using equipment and consumables. It was noted that the validated sterility test method included which was not considered to be in strict compliance with the BP monograph. A discussion was held regarding this, and the inspectors to support periodic review of the monograph.</p>
<p>SPC Co., Ltd. - MFDS - GMP Inspection Results, 2023-07-21</p>	<p>Summary of findings (corrective/supplementary Items) - Laboratory: Establish detailed test procedures and test criteria for endotoxin testing</p>
<p>Stabicon Life Sciences Pvt. Ltd. - WHO - Public Inspection Report (WHOPIR), 2024-03-15</p>	<p>Detailed guidance on pharmacopeial requirements was typically provided in the general notices and specific monographs of the pharmacopoeia or the specifications issued by DAV. Test procedures were adequately described, providing sufficient information for trained analysts to perform analyses reliably and reproducibly.</p>

Redica's current offering to stay ahead of pharmacopoeial change

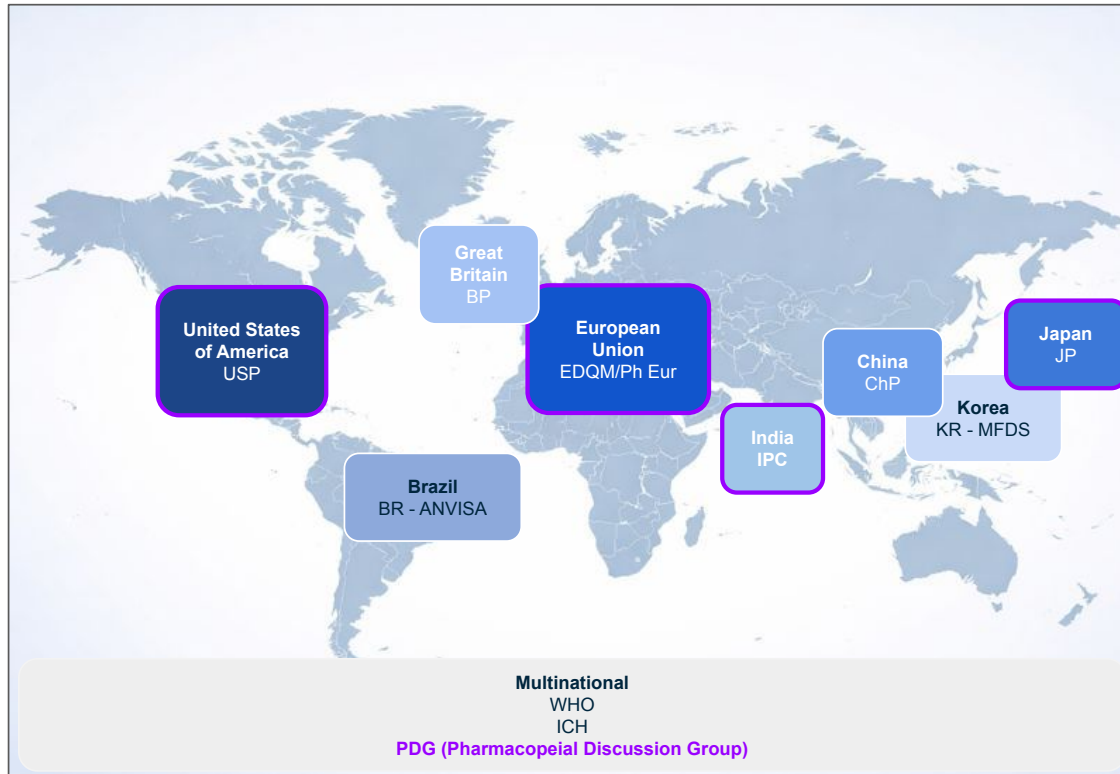


Your responses when registering

- As a CDMO, the materials and products mix rapidly changes across sites so it is difficult to ensure all sites are aware of changes and are evaluating for impact to their particular site.
- Staying up to date
- Keeping informed
- Time with keeping up and knowing what to pay attention to.
- Time consuming
- The number of different documents to review for changes



Redica Pharmacopoeia Regulatory Intelligence Focus



- USP as independent body, not affiliated to FDA
- European Pharmacopoeia (Ph. Eur.) published through European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines & HealthCare (EDQM), part of EMA
- ChP published by Chinese Pharmacopoeia Commission under NMPA
- JP published by Japanese Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare MHLW
- BP published by British Pharmacopoeia Commission under MHRA
- IPC (Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission) under the Ministry of Health & CDSCO
- Brazilian and Korean Pharmacopoeia echoed by ANVISA and MFDS respectively
- PDG signals published by Members: EDQM, IPC, JP or USP
- ICH shaping the analytical method landscape:
 - ICH Q4 dedicated to Pharmacopoeia topics but has not been revised for a while
 - Changes to other ICH Q Guidelines drive changes to analytical methods in the pharmacopoeia (e.g., Q2, Q3C, Q3D, Q3E)
 - Through PDG, those chapters gets harmonized

Redica framework to support Pharmacopoeia compliance

Official Content

Publish **Tables of Content** for new issues or supplements containing new or revised texts to become official.


Proposed Content

Publish **Tables of Content** for proposed monographs and general chapters (e.g., USP *PF* and *Pharmeuropa*).


Publish **Draft Content** (Monographs, General Chapters, General Tests, etc.) for comments (ChP) .

Most of the content is behind the pharmacopoeial online platform paywalls

 **Identification** of new and updated texts based on customer's products and excipients portfolio

 **Machine Translations provided** of the new and updated texts identified

 **Track Developments** - Track emerging regulatory and pharmacopoeial changes.

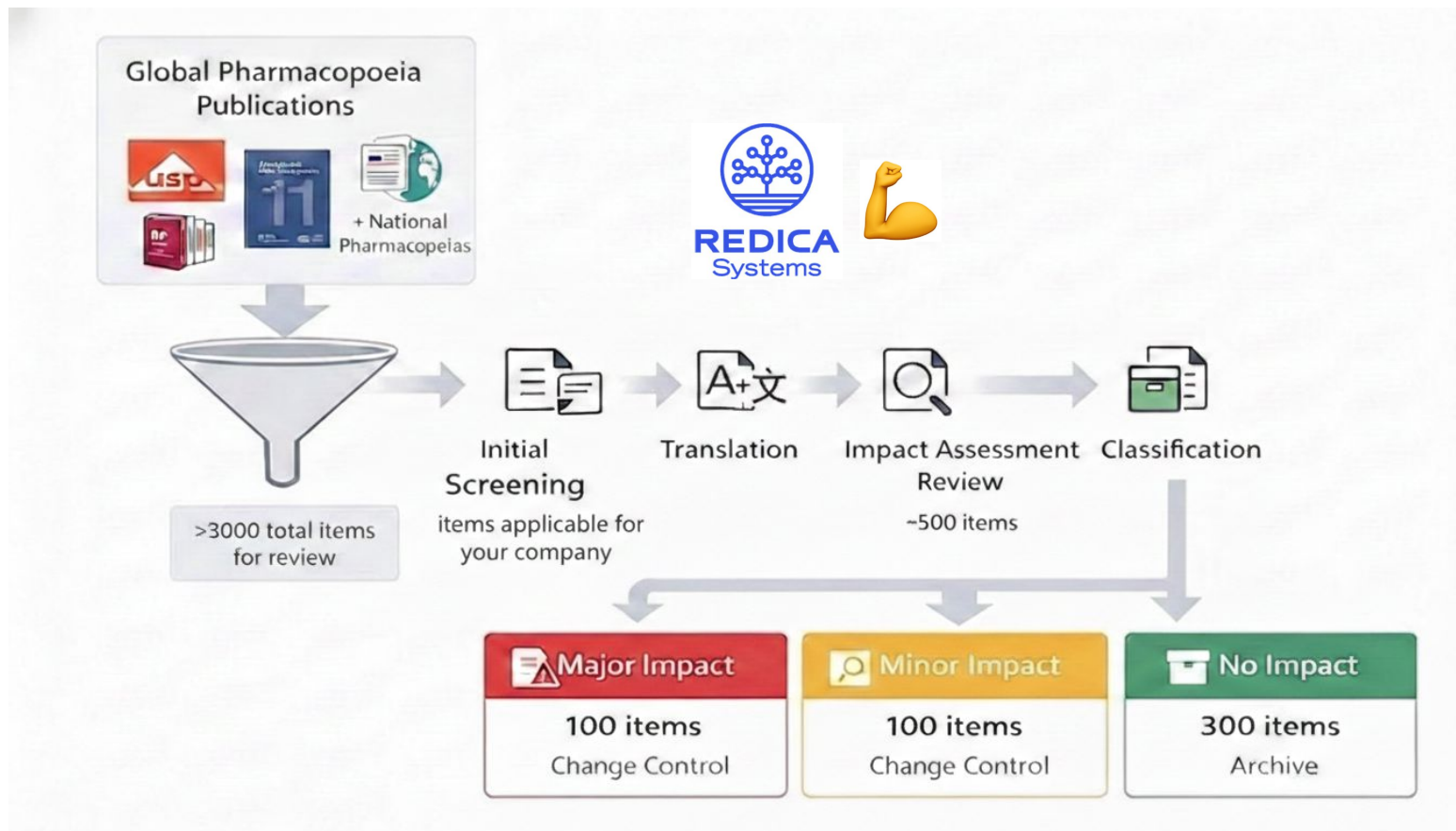
 **News & Announcements** - Share updates/context on changes ("*Hot Spots*" and "*Items on the Horizon*") and the implementation of new standards.

Surveillance Process Example

59 of the 190 items have potential impact to company X.
SMEs will review text and assess change impact.

REVISED TEXTS	
<i>The following texts have been technically revised since their last publication. They will be implemented on 1 January 2021 at the latest.</i>	
GENERAL CHAPTERS	
2.2.2. Degree of coloration of liquids	5.1.5. Application of the <i>F</i> concepts to heat sterilisation processes
2.2.24. Absorption spectrophotometry, infrared	5.1.10. Guidelines for using the test for bacterial endotoxins
2.2.29. Liquid chromatography	5.22. Names of herbal drugs used in traditional Chinese medicine
2.2.38. Conductivity	
2.2.49. Falling ball and automatic rolling ball viscometer methods	MONOGRAPHS
2.6.12. Microbiological examination of non-sterile products: microbial enumeration tests	General monographs
2.6.13. Microbiological examination of non-sterile products: test for specified micro-organisms	Substances for pharmaceutical use (2034)
2.6.27. Microbiological examination of cell-based preparations	Dosage forms
2.7.14. Assay of hepatitis A vaccine	Nasal preparations (0676)
2.9.19. Particulate contamination: sub-visible particles	Oromucosal preparations (1807)
3.3.4. Sterile plastic containers for human blood and blood components	Vaccines for human use
3.3.8. Sterile single-use plastic syringes	Diphtheria and tetanus vaccine (adsorbed) (0444)
4. Reagents (<i>new, revised, corrected</i>)	Diphtheria and tetanus vaccine (adsorbed, reduced antigen(s) content) (0647)
5.1.4. Microbiological quality of non-sterile pharmaceutical preparations and substances for pharmaceutical use	Diphtheria, tetanus and hepatitis B (rDNA) vaccine (adsorbed) (2062)
	Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (acellular, component) vaccine (adsorbed) (1931)
	Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (acellular, component) vaccine (adsorbed, reduced antigen(s) content) (2764)

Filtering global pharmacopoeia publications for impact



Redica - Call for Experts



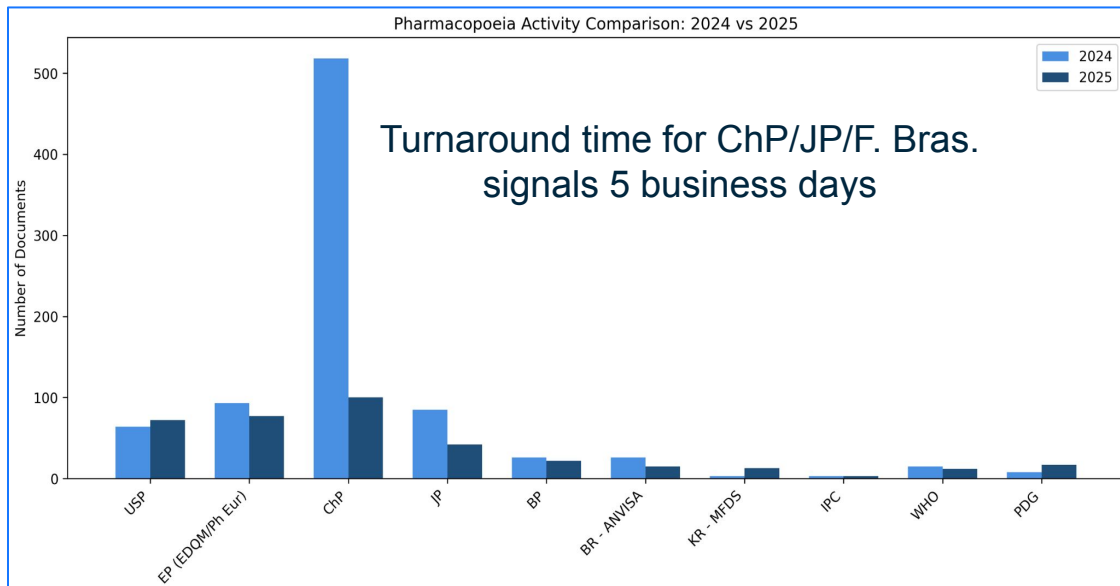
- Redica Systems seeks feedback on requirements to design an assessment tool tailored to pharmacopoeia users and internal SMEs.
- Specialists experienced in pharmacopoeia monitoring, triaging and assessment are needed to provide input on these requirements
- **To participate, email events@redica.com**

Pharmacopoeia Retrospective 2025


Hot Spots



Noticeable evolution in publications



 **Chinese Pharmacopoeia - 2024**
front-loaded ahead of ChP 2025 edition

 **Japanese Pharmacopoeia**
JP19 finalization, next edition preparation

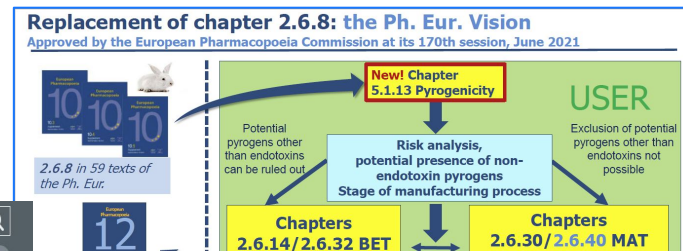
 **PDG**

- India's inclusion and Korea's trial membership
- Expanded harmonization driven by bilateral and trilateral monograph development
- Countries outside the PDG are aligning (e.g., Brazil, China, Mexico)

Hot Spots: Animal Welfare

Stronger regulatory emphasis on Reduce, Refine, Replace (**3Rs**) supported by pharmacopoeial shifts:

- New reagent for Endotoxin testing
- Elimination of the Rabbit Pyrogen Test
 - Pace of change globally
 - Being discussed at “PDG to globally harmonize



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Language

the way forward for topics requiring specific

Call for Submissions: Data to Support Alternative Pyrogen Tests

Type of Notice: General Announcement

Posting Date: 27-Feb-2026

Input Deadline: 01-May-2026

The United States Pharmacopeia (USP) is planning to convene an **Expert Panel on Modern Alternatives to Pyrogen Testing** to evaluate the suitability of non-animal pyrogen detection methods as alternatives to the **Rabbit Pyrogen Test (RPT)** described in <151> *Pyrogen Test*. This would include evaluation of potential non-endotoxin pyrogen analytical reference standards.

To support the work of this Expert Panel, USP is requesting that stakeholders submit **scientific, technical, and validation data** related to the use of alternative pyrogen tests, including, but not limited to, the **Monocyte Activation Test (MAT)** and other in vitro or non-animal methods.

test (BET) / recombinant Factor C (rFC) (EP)
importance for pharmacopoeias to provide science-derived alternatives to the use of the Limulus LAL) reagent in the harmonised test for bacterial
discussed each member's approach of using
s (both rFC and rCascade Reagent) as alternative
in testing with the aim of aligning on methods used.

Hot Spots: Impurities Management



- Nitrosamines
- Adulterants in Excipients
- Solvent Contamination in Excipients
 - EG/DEG in high-risk excipients
 - Methanol in Ethanol and IPA
- Microbial Requirements for Dosage Forms

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Polyethylene Glycol

Type of Posting: Notice of Intent to Revise
Posting Date: 29-Feb-2024
Targeted Official Date: 01-Nov-2024; Interim Revision Announcement
Expert Committee: Complex Excipients Expert Committee

In accordance with the Rules and Procedures of the Council of Experts to revise the Polyethylene Glycol monograph.

In response of an FDA letter (dated February 10, 2023) and the FD

COUNCIL OF EXPERTS European Directorate for the Quality of Medicines & HealthCare

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Newsroom

Ph. Eur. pre-publishes revised Propylene glycol monograph

02/27/2024 09:00:00

Find information on the EUDRA responses to the information contamination and the COVID-19 guidance.

Propylene Glycol
CANCOR, Pharm

The revised monograph on Propylene glycol (0430) was adopted by the European Pharmacopoeial Commission (EPC) on 21 and 22 November 2023. The monograph was adopted in response to the public disclosure of ethylene glycol (EG) and diethylene glycol (DEG) contamination in several medicinal products. Also adopted were limits for EG, DEG, and DEG/EG, and updated cases of propylene glycol.

Testing of Glycerin, Propylene Glycol, Maltitol Solution, Hydrogenated Starch Hydrolysate, Sorbitol Solution, and other High-Risk Drug Components for Diethylene Glycol and Ethylene Glycol

Guidance for Industry

This guidance is for immediate implementation.

The FDA is issuing this guidance for immediate implementation in accordance with 21 CFR 10.115(g)(2). Comments may be submitted at any time for Agency consideration. Submit electronic comments to <https://www.regulations.gov>. Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Staff (HFA-305), U.S. Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, Rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852. All comments should be identified with the docket number listed in the notice of availability that publishes in the Federal Register.

For questions regarding this document, contact (CDER) Office of Compliance, 301-796-3400.

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Carbomer 934, Carbomer 934P, Carbomer 940, Carbomer 941, and Carbomer 1342

Type of Posting: Notice of Intent to Revise
Posting Date: 18-Nov-2022
Targeted Official Date: 01-Aug-2025; USP-NF 2025 Issue 2
Expert Committee: Complex Excipients

In accordance with the Rules and Procedures of the Council of Experts, this is to provide notice that the Complex Excipients Expert Committee (EC) intends to omit the Carbomer 934, Carbomer 934P, Carbomer 940, Carbomer 941, and Carbomer 1342 monographs, with a targeted official date of August 1, 2025. These are documentary standards for carbomers manufactured with the use of benzene.

The proposed omissions are consistent with a request documented in a letter from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration dated November 1, 2022,

OPR&D

Synthesis of Nitroso Derivatives of Dihydropyridine Channel Blockers

Abstract: Nitroso derivatives of dihydropyridine channel blockers (NDBs) were synthesized and evaluated for their ability to inhibit voltage-gated calcium channels (VGCCs) in HEK293 cells. The NDBs were found to be potent and selective VGCC inhibitors. The structure-activity relationship (SAR) study revealed that the presence of a nitroso group at the 4-position of the dihydropyridine ring is essential for VGCC inhibition. The SAR study also revealed that the presence of a methyl group at the 2-position of the dihydropyridine ring is also important for VGCC inhibition. The NDBs were found to be potent and selective VGCC inhibitors. The structure-activity relationship (SAR) study revealed that the presence of a nitroso group at the 4-position of the dihydropyridine ring is essential for VGCC inhibition. The SAR study also revealed that the presence of a methyl group at the 2-position of the dihydropyridine ring is also important for VGCC inhibition.

Working document QAS/23.922/rev1
27 July 2023
Draft for comments

World Health Organization

1 TEST FOR DIETHYLENE GLYCOL AND ETHYLENE GLYCOL IN LIQUID PREPARATIONS FOR ORAL USE

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3 Draft proposal for inclusion in *The International Pharmacopoeia*

4 (27 July 2023)

5 DRAFT FOR COMMENTS

Please submit your comments through the online platform, [PleaseReview™](https://www.who.int/teams/medicines-services/quality-of-medicines-services/consultation) (<https://www.who.int/teams/medicines-services/quality-of-medicines-services/consultation>) or in our mailing list, kindly submit your request with your full name, email address and organization/affiliation to qa2023@who.int.

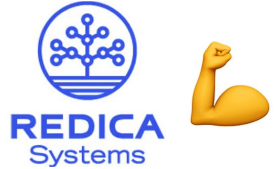
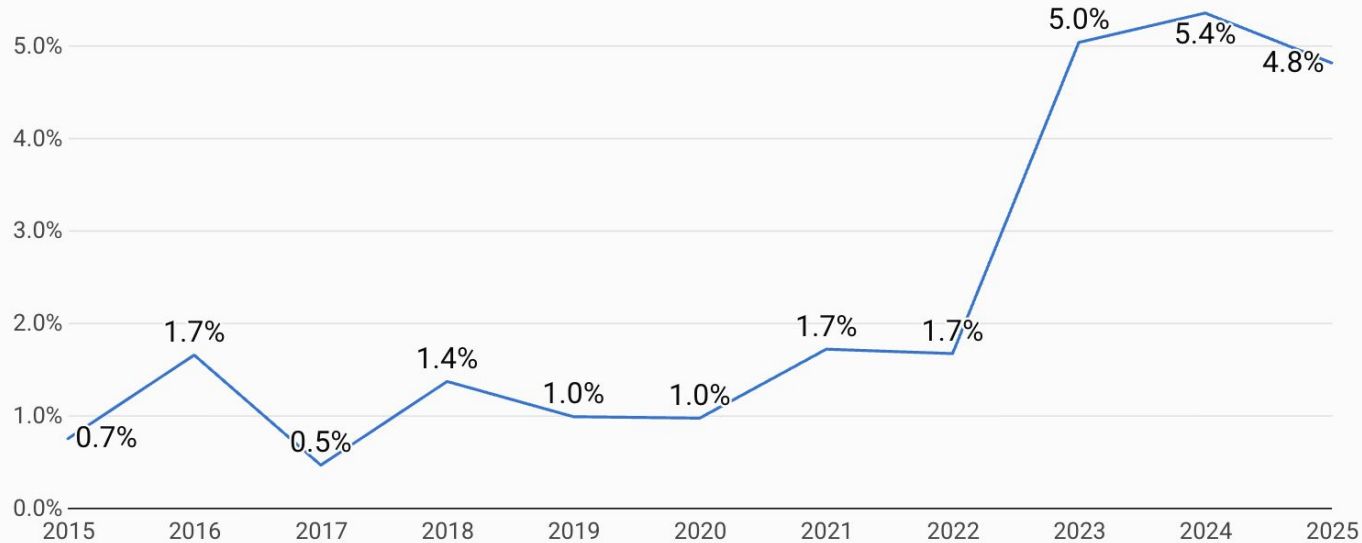
Top FDA Guidances Mentioned in Warning Letters

# of Warning Letters	Year of Date Issued (DOCUMENT_ES_COMPOSITE) ▾										
Guidance Document ▾	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Grand total
Quality Systems Approach to Pharmaceutical Current Good Manufacturing Practice Regulations		3	9	41	15	5	23	28	52	64	240
Process Validation: General Principles and Practices	1	14	22	28	20	4	14	21	27	28	179
Data Integrity and Compliance With Drug CGMP				24	17	5	14	12	19	18	109
Contract Manufacturing Arrangements for Drugs: Quality Agreements		9	11	23	8	5	9	15	11	15	106
Testing of Glycerin, Propylene Glycol, Maltitol Solution, Hydrogenated Starch Hydrolysate, Sorbitol Solution, and Other High-Risk Drug Components for Diethylene Glycol and Ethylene Glycol								13	29	25	67
Investigating Out-of-Specification (OOS) Test Results for Pharmaceutical Production	1	5	9	10	5	2	10	5	5	9	61
Sterile Drug Products Produced by Aseptic Processing	3	5	6	7	6	1	4	5	5	7	49
Policy for Testing of Alcohol (Ethanol) and Isopropyl Alcohol for Methanol							7	7	12	10	36
Q7 Good Manufacturing Practice Guidance for Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients		7	5	3	2	2	3	1	3	7	33
Testing of Glycerin for Diethylene Glycol		2	7	7	6		3	6	1		32
Circumstances that Constitute Delaying, Denying, Limiting, or Refusing a Drug or Device Inspection		4	1	1			1		3	2	12
Analytical Procedures and Methods Validation for Drugs and Biologics				1	1	1	3		2		8
PET Drug Products - Current Good Manufacturing Practice (CGMP)			1	2			1			1	5

FDA Form 483 Occurrence for High Risk Excipients

Rate of Theme Occurrence in Human Drugs and Biologics GMP Form 483s Issued by the FDA

Calculated as a Ratio of 483s Containing Theme Content to Total 483s



FDA is continuing to issue 483s in 2025 that mention issues with “glycerin” “diethylene glycol” and/or “ethylene glycol”. Warning Letters potentially to follow...

More items on the Horizon



More Items on the Horizon



Impact of Innovation Driving Introduction of Flexible Monographs

“By listening attentively to the needs of both regulators and industry and **rapidly incorporating new technological advances**, pharmacopoeias can ensure that their content remains relevant and state-of-the-art and that their quality standards and methods are not only able to ensure the safety and efficacy of medicines but **reflect advances in technology and science**. This proactive course is matched by an ability to **react swiftly to emerging challenges and with a large degree of flexibility** (through alternative methods)”.

S. Keitel, “The Pharmacopeia in the 21st Century,” PDA.org, PDA Letter, April 2019.



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Horizontal Standard Development Beyond Product Class

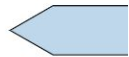
Least Complex



Excipients



Drug Substance



Most Applicable

• 2.5.44 Capillary isoelectric focusing for recombinant therapeutic monoclonal antibodies:

- cIEF procedure and imaged cIEF for analysis of charge heterogeneity of mAbs, to monitor identity, quality, production consistency
- based on data generated in multi-laboratory verification study
- guidance on the aspects to consider for product-specific application (validation)

• 2.5.43 Size exclusion chromatography for recombinant therapeutic monoclonal antibodies:

- widely used methodology for determination of size variants (monomer, HMWS); quantitation of LMWS can be highly variable depending on the mAb analysed
- SE-HPLC and SE-UPLC procedures, widely applicable to mAbs, given as examples
- suitability demonstrated by collaborative study



→ well-defined analytical procedures and **tools to control performance** (including reference materials) and facilitate analytical assessment of key quality attributes of mAbs



More items on the Horizon

Cell & Gene Therapy

Ph. Eur. Cell Therapy Products WP

Microbiological examination of human tissues (2.6.39)
 → Recommendations on the selection of analytical methods for the assessment of the microbiological quality of human tissues



Publication in 11th Edition (July 2022)

- **Nucleated cell count and viability (2.7.29)**
- **Colony-forming cell assay for human haematopoietic progenitor cells (2.7.28)**
 - Inclusion of automated technologies
 - Improvement of standardisation
 - Description of validation



- **Cell-based preparations (5.32)**
 - General requirements on cell-based preparations
 - Specifics section (e.g. MSC, HSC, etc.)
- **Flow cytometry (2.7.24)**
 - General update of the chapter to reflect the techniques currently in use



Pharmeuropa 34.1
 • Public deadline: 2022-03-31

Work in Progress

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Ph. Eur. Gene Therapy Products WP

General chapter
Gene transfer medicinal products for human use (5.14)

- Definition, Production
 - Recombinant vectors
 - Genetically modified cells
- Plasmid vectors for human use
- Bacterial cells used for the manufacture of plasmid vectors for human use
- Adenovirus vectors for human use
- Poxvirus for human use
- Adeno-associated-virus vectors for human use
- Retroviridae-derived vectors for human use

General monograph
Gene therapy medicinal products for human use (3186)

- Definition
- General requirements on:
 - the Production of GTMPs
 - Recombinant vectors
 - Genetically modified cells
- Genetically modified autologous human cells
- Adeno-associated-virus vectors for human use
- Oncolytic herpes simplex virus for human use

General chapter
Raw materials of biological origin for the production of cell-based and gene therapy medicinal products (5.2.12)

- preamble: chapter no longer be stand alone.
- Vectors: replacement of the reference with the new GTP general monograph 3186.

General chapter
Additional information on gene therapy medicinal products for human use (5.34)

- Plasmid vectors for human use
- Bacterial cells used for the manufacture of plasmid vectors for human use
- Genetically modified bacterial cells for human use
- Adenovirus vectors for human use
- Poxvirus vectors for human use
- Retroviridae-derived vectors for human use

Pharmeuropa 34.3
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Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products Guidance

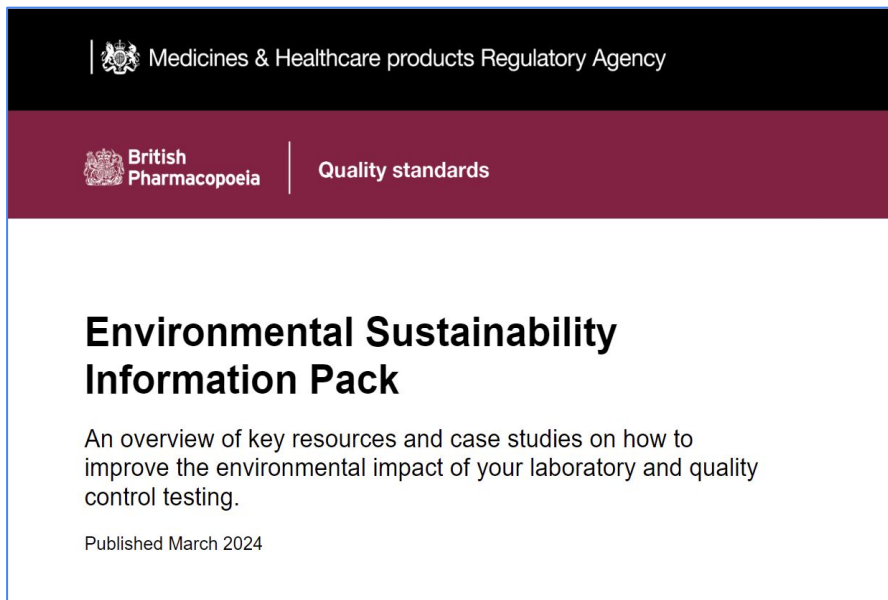
Confidence at every stage

With complexity and risk associated with each stage of assay development, our Advanced Therapy Medicinal Products (ATMP) best practice guidance offers a practical and phase-appropriate validation tool to help your cell and gene therapy programme succeed. Our ATMP guidance includes:

- Application of Flow Cytometry
- Vector Copy Number
- Characterisation of the Capsid Particle Population for rAAV products

More items on the Horizon

Environmental Sustainability



The screenshot shows the cover of the 'Environmental Sustainability Information Pack'. At the top, it features the logo of the Medicines & Healthcare products Regulatory Agency. Below that is the British Pharmacopoeia logo and the text 'Quality standards'. The main title is 'Environmental Sustainability Information Pack'. The subtitle reads: 'An overview of key resources and case studies on how to improve the environmental impact of your laboratory and quality control testing.' The publication date is 'Published March 2024'.

USP's commitment to fostering a healthier, more sustainable world



At the U.S. Pharmacopoeia (USP) we recognize that fulfilling our mission to improve public health through quality standards and related programs can also help to address pressing social and environmental challenges. To build on progress made in helping to meet these challenges, USP has expanded its approach to embedding key environmental, social, and operational considerations across the organization.

Sustainability commitment

As a private, nonprofit standards-setting organization driven by its public health mission, USP is committed to fostering a healthier, more sustainable world. This includes helping to address environmental and social challenges in areas most relevant to USP's operations, standards-setting activities, and stakeholder priorities, and where USP's work can have a disproportionately positive impact.

With this imperative in mind, USP is working to adopt select sustainability reporting metrics – encompassing social, environmental, and operational considerations – that can provide added transparency into USP's impact.

More items on the Horizon

Risk Management approaches

- **Analytical Quality by Design (AQbD)**
 - First monograph – Atorvastatin Tablets published BP 2023 with “additional method understanding” to provide assurance of the analytical procedure and highlight sensitivities (boundary conditions) of the analytical procedures design space.
 - Further supplemented by ICH Q2(R2) and ICH Q14 which an updated analytical validation guidance and AQbD guidance.
 - **Companies should expect new general chapters in the pharmacopoeias will follow.**
- **Continuous manufacturing (CM)**
 - **Still evolving topic for the pharmacopoeias**
 - Ph. Eur. and USP make it clear that PAT and RTRT are acceptable alternatives to ensure compliance with the pharmacopoeia.
 - Ph. Eur. General Chapter 5.28 – Multivariate Statistical Process Controls – first by a pharmacopoeia to publish such a chapter.

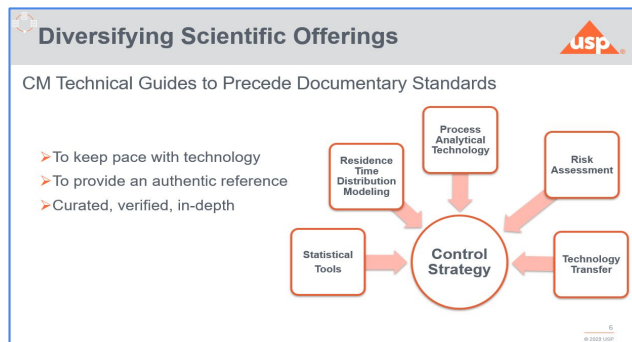
Analytical Quality by Design Guidance (AQbD)

Why are we exploring AQbD?

Quality by Design (QbD) is a systematic approach to development that begins with predefined objectives and emphasises product and process understanding and process control, based on sound science and quality risk management. As a concept, it aims to assure the quality of medicines by using enhanced approaches to design, development and manufacture of medicinal products. The application of QbD principles to analytical methods, Analytical Quality by Design (AQbD), is being explored by industry, regulators, and academia.

Pharmacopoeial standards are a key component of a regulatory framework. For medicinal products in the UK, they are published in the British Pharmacopoeia (BP), a publication of the MHRA. Pharmacopoeial standards evolve with advances in the manufacture of medicinal products.

The MHRA is exploring how AQbD may apply to pharmacopoeial standards through the BP's AQbD working party, which brings together BP scientists with MHRA assessors and inspectors as well as the Therapeutic Goods Administration of Australia (TGA), multinational biopharmaceutical manufacturers, the generics manufacturing industry and experts in the field of metrology.



Bringing it all together

- **“Pharmaceutical manufacturers must establish acceptance criteria, analytical procedures, storage conditions, labeling, and other product requirements consistent with the applicable pharmacopoeias.”**
- **“However, pharmacopoeial requirements are not static, and monitoring of pharmacopoeias is necessary to ensure continued compliance.”**
- **“...continued compliance demands that companies...be alert to changes.”**

Neil A. Schwarzwald and Rafik H. Bishara,
Establishing a Process for Pharmacopoeial Review and Interaction American Pharmaceutical Review,
Vol. 7(4), pp. 53-57 (Jul-Aug 2004)

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