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MEVOPUR™ Amber Colorants for Pharmaceutical Packaging

Avient constantly monitors the evolution of regulations in the healthcare industry, and develops compliant products well before those regulations go into effect. An addition to the MEVOPUR™ portfolio is a pre-tested amber masterbatch for PET vials, bottles and other packaging products. Amber shades are known to offer effective protection from certain wavelengths, but the technologies of most amber polymer solutions on the market do not have regulatory support to comply with the pharmaceutical packaging regulations. MEVOPUR amber provides the safety of pre-tested raw materials while protecting and prolonging the shelf life of pharmaceuticals and nutraceuticals in amber PET packaging products.

KEY CHARACTERISTICS

- Manufactured at four ISO 13485 certified sites, providing global consistency and increased security of supply
- Documented change control beyond CAS number level reducing risk of change
- Free from animal-derived substances and phthalates
- Different tones of amber available on request —more or less red or yellow and/or lighter or darker

REGULATORY SUPPORT

- Pre-tested raw materials:
 - ISO 10993-1 and USP parts <87> <88> (Class VI)
 - European Pharmacopeia, monograph 3.1.15, USP <661.1> and elemental analysis as per ICH Q3D
 - USP <661.2> criteria appearance of solution, color
- Registered Drug Master File (Type III) by the FDA
- Food contact compliance established with FDA/EU*



* FDA/EU compliance information available upon request



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- (b) active implantable medical devices as defined in EU Directive 90/385/EEC as amended; or
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