



## Statement of Animal Origin

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Catalog Number: SLAAM33SS

Item Description: Millex 33mm MCE .8um Sterile FDA Listed CE Marked 50/pk

Based on the information received from our suppliers, some raw materials contain animal derived materials. The information we have received from our suppliers is summarized below:

A material that contacts the product contains a tallow derived by-product that originates from bovine or porcine sourced from the United States. The suppliers have stated the following processing conditions for the tallow-derived material: trans-esterification or hydrolysis at 200°C for not less than 20 minutes under pressure, and distillation at 200°C. The suppliers state the processing conditions meet the requirements of the "Note for Guidance on Minimising the Risk of Transmitting Animal Spongiform Encephalopathy Agents via Human and Veterinary Medicinal Products" (EMEA/410/01 Rev. 2).

A packaging material contains an animal-derived material. The supplier has stated the following processing conditions for the animal-derived material: trans-esterification or hydrolysis 200°C for not less than 20 minutes under pressure, saponification with NaOH 12M: Batch Process at not less than 95°C for not less than 3 hours, and distillation at 200°C. The processing conditions meet the requirements of the "Note for Guidance on Minimising the Risk of Transmitting Animal Spongiform Encephalopathy Agents via Human and Veterinary Medicinal Products" (EMEA/410/01 Rev. 2).

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Quality Assurance

*Millipore's Quality Compliance includes a Material Sourcing and Animal Origin Program to actively manage its supply chain to ensure compliance with applicable regulatory requirements.*

The wording or format of this statement has been modified for clarification only. Please contact Tech Service at 1-800-MILLIPORE with any questions.

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