



## Statement of Animal Origin

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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 raw material contains a tallow-derived material that originates from bovine sourced from the United States, Canada or Mexico. The suppliers have stated the following processing conditions for the stearic acid: trans-esterification or hydrolysis at not less than 200°C for not less than 20 minutes under pressure, 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).

A raw material contains an animal derived additive. The supplier has stated that the animal derived additive is produced either from animals originating from North America or South America, or is free from SRM (Specified Risk Material) in conformance with EU Directive 2000/418/EC and/or its amendments (Commission Decisions 2001/2/EC and 2001/233/EC). The supplier has stated that the processing conditions meet or exceed 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).

A raw material contains a tallow-derived material that originates from bovine sourced from the United States, Canada and Mexico. The supplier has stated the following processing conditions for the tallow-derived material: trans-esterification or hydrolysis at not less than 200°C for not less than 20 minutes under pressure, 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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