



## Absence of Dioxin

Product group: Starch, Lactose, Inhalation and Superdisintegrants

Brand name: Lactochem®, Lactohale®, Lactopress®, Lactose FC, Pharmatose®, Respitose®, SuperTab®, SuperStarch®, Primojel® and Primellose®

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Dear Customer,

Herewith we certify that it is highly unlikely that the above mentioned products contain dioxins as contaminants.

The main reason for this is the preference of dioxins for lipid like media. All the mentioned substances are more or less hydrophilic. Furthermore, there is a system of contaminant monitoring in the EU and in New Zealand which on a regular basis analyzes agro-alimentary raw materials for the presence/absence of contaminants like dioxins. There is also a monitoring scheme in place at DFE Pharma to perform a contaminants monitoring of products.

This statement substitutes all previous versions issued for the brand names mentioned above. We trust this information, which is made up to the best of our knowledge, will be helpful to you.

With kindest regards,

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