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Innovation... Quality... Commitment...















Methacrylic Acid Copolymer



Film Coating Ready Mix

Enteric Coating | Film Coating | Moisture Barrier | Sustained-Release

Taste Masking | Super Disintegrant

Chairman's Message

Our commitment is to never compromise on the quality & services. We monitor the highest level quality with our dedication, passion and determination to retain trust that customers have in us. We make sure that our customers get the best quality products for various customised applications.



















About us...

Corporate Office











Dhara Lifescience Pvt. Ltd, started its operation in 2009. The world's most preferred pharma excipients like Methacrylic acid copolymers, Color ready-mix material & Ion exchange resins are manufactured by us with utmost dedication at our state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities in india. **Dharacoat | Readycoat | Ionex** are the trusted brand names in these segments.

We have two 'state-of-the-art' manufacturing facilities.

Unit-I : Pharma Color Readymix | Powder product batch size up to - 1,000 Kg
Unit-II : Pharma Polymers | Liquid product batch size up to - 11,000 Kg

'Grab the faster coating technology advantage' is not just a tag line in tablet coating segment but a genuine serious approach. Due to our innovation, process development, quality polymers, cGMP manufacturing facilities, dedicated and well experienced R & D teams, committed QA/QC departments, excellent back office support and a strong techno-marketing field force; a complete team work in real means, is the key of success and the back bone of our organization. Our corporate office is situated at Science City Road, in Ahmedabad, Gujarat (INDIA).

Our R & D team efforts have made tablet coating process much easier, simpler and hassle free. We have our established brands with various grades. We offer highest level quality products, which are manufactured at our 'state-of-the art' facilities.

We work in a 'family-friendly work culture' but with professional approach so that each individual can put the best efforts to accomplish responsibilities and goal which leads to the maximum customer satisfaction.

We have started our liaison office in Bangladesh (Dhaka) with techno-marketing support to enhance customer services. We have strong presence across globe, which helps our clients to reach us easily.

New Product Development Centre

Polymer R & D

- Reactor
- Mixer
- Boiler
- Blender
- Shifter
- Dryer
- Oven

Readymix R & D

- Manual Coating Machine
- Auto Coater
- Colour matching machine
- Film Applicator
- Particle size analyzer
- Micronizer
- UV Spectrophotometer

Formulation R & D

- Rapid Mixer Granulator
- Fluid Bed Dryer
- Fluid Bed Processor
- Compression Machine
- Auto Coater
- Blender
- Shifter











Pharma Polymers

Products	Pharmacopoeial Monograph				
Enteric For	mulations				
L 30D-55	USP/NF: Methacrylic Acid and Ethyl Acrylate Copolymer Dispersion Ph. Eur.: Methacrylic Acid-Ethyl Acrylate Copolymer (1:1) Dispersion 30%				
L 100-55	USP/NF: Methacrylic Acid and Ethyl Acrylate Copolymer Ph. Eur.: Methacrylic Acid-Ethyl Acrylate Copolymer (1:1) Type A				
MAE 100P	USP/NF: Partially-Neutralized Methacrylic Acid and Ethyl Acrylate Copolymer (1:1) Ph. Eur.: Methacrylic Acid-Ethyl Acrylate Copolymer (1:1) Type B				
L 100	USP/NF: Methacrylic Acid and Methyl Methacrylate Copolymer (1:1)				
L 12.5	Ph. Eur.: Methacrylic Acid-Methyl Methacrylate Copolymer (1:1)				
S 100	USP/NF: Methacrylic Acid and Methyl Methacrylate Copolymer (1:2)				
S 12.5	Ph. Eur.: Methacrylic Acid-Methyl Methacrylate Copolymer (1:2)				
FS 30D	USP/NF: Methyl Acrylate, Methyl Methacrylate and Methacrylic Acid (7:3:1) Copolymer 280000 Dispersion				
Protective I	Formulations				
E 100					
EPO	USP/NF :Amino Methacrylate Copolymer Ph. Eur. :Basic Butylated Methacrylate Copolymer				
E 12.5					
Sustained-I	Release Formulations				
RL 100					
RL PO	USP/NF : Ammonio Methacrylate Copolymer, Type A Ph. Eur. : Ammonio Methacrylate Copolymer, Type A				
RL 12.5					
RS 100					
RS PO	USP/NF : Ammonio Methacrylate Copolymer, Type B Ph. Eur. : Ammonio Methacrylate Copolymer, Type B				
RS 12.5					

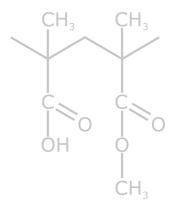


Pharma Polymers

Products Physical form Dissolution

Enteric Formulations

L 30D-55	30% Aqueous Dispersion		
L 100-55	Powder	Above pH 5.5	
MAE 100P	Powder		
L 100	Powder	Above pli C O	
L 12.5	12.5% Organic Solution	Above pH 6.0	
S 100	Powder		
S 12.5	12.5% Organic Solution	Above pH 7.0	
FS 30D	30% Aqueous Dispersion	Above pH 7.0	



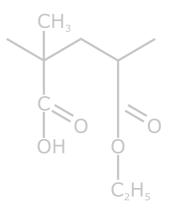
Protective Formulations

E 100	Granules	Soluble in gastric fluid			
EPO	Powder	up to pH 5.0 Swellable and permeable			
E 12.5	12.5% Organic Solution	above pH 5.5			



Sustained-Release Formulations

Sustained Release Formulations					
RL 100	Granules				
RL PO	Powder	pH independent			
RL 12.5	12.5% Organic Solution				
RS 100	Granules				
RS PO	Powder	pH independent			
RS 12.5	12.5% Organic Solution				







Color Ready Mix

Products	Reconstitution (%)	Application (%)	Examples			
Aqueous Non-Aqueous						
Immediate Release Formulations						
UNIVERSAL	Universal Film coating 10% 5%	2.0% to 2.5%*	Ibuprofen, Acetaminophen, Ciprofloxacin Hcl, Azithromycin,			
HS	Aqueous High Speed coating 33% NA	2.0% to 2.5%*	Fexofenadine Hcl, Metformin Hcl, Coralcalcium, Cetirizine.			
AMB	Aqueous Moisture Barrier coating NA	2.0% to 3.5%*	Ranitidine Hcl, Calcium carbonate combination, Diclofenac Potassium, Sildenafil			
MB	Non-Aqueous Moisture Barrier coating NA 5%	3.0% to 4.5%*	Potassium clavulanate, Multivitamins, B-complex, Herbal, Clopidogrel Bisulphate, Montelukast.			
SC	Universal Protective Sub coating 10% 5%	2.5% to 3.0%*	Pantoprazole sodium, Rabeprazole sodium, Esomeprazole sodium.			
CLEAR	Universal Transparent coating 7% 5%	1.0% to 2.0%*	Herbal, Senna, Multivitamins, Diclofenac potassium.			
SG	Sprayable Sugar coating 33% NA	60% to 80%*	Bisacodyl, Trypsin and Chymotrypsin, Chloroquine.			
Enteric For	mulations					
EZE	Aqueous Enteric coating 20% NA	8.0% to 10.0%*	Pantoprazole sodium, Aspirin, Rabeprazole sodium, Bisacody Sulfasalazine, Esomeprazole			
EZE II	Aqueous Enteric coating 20% NA	6.5% to 9.0%*	magnesium, Omeprazole sodium, Diclofenac sodium, Mesalazine, Naproxen sodium, Duloxetine Hcl, Garlic, Fish oil.			
EC	Non-Aqueous Enteric coating NA 10%	8.0% to 10.0%*	Sodium valproate, Charcoal, Serratiopeptidase, Doxylamine succinate, Sodium bicarbonate, PPIs.			

Ready to Use Emulsion

Readycoat 30D - RD20 / HTP 20 / T20



Specialty Products

Products	Description	
PEARL	Candurin Color Coating	Available In
SWEET	Artificial Sweetner Coating	Combination With
FLAVOUR	Flavour Coating	All Grades
GLOW	Glow Coating	

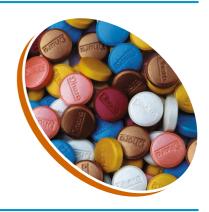
^{*} Application (%) may differ depending on physical and chemical properties of finished dosage forms.



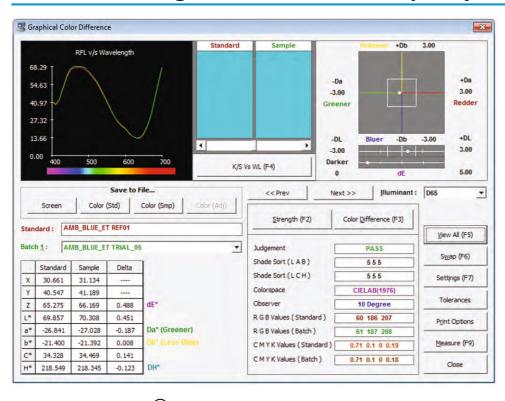
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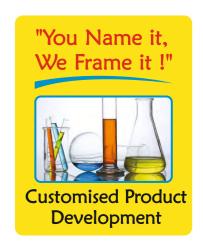
Salient Features of Readycoat Grades

- Color matching using software for $\triangle E$ value
- Batch to batch color uniformity.
- · Low inventory required.
- Minimize cost of testing.
- Consistent performance.
- Processing time reduction.
- Less technical expertise required.
- · Customised grades available.



Colour matching software dE value report (△E value)





Tabprint

Edible Printing Ink

- Tabprint Inks are edible printing inks. Used for Solid Oral Dosage forms in nutraceuticals, dietary supplements, Pharmaceutical formulations as well as food & confectionary applications.
- Tab Print Inks are available in Organic base & Aqueous base depending on applications. Tabprint inks are Shellac/HPMC based which contain selected pigments & other additives.
- It can be customised as per customer application requirements.
- Tabprint inks provide beautiful, clean & sharp monograms. Available in all colors including, White, Black, Red, Yellow, Orange, Blue, Green, Purple etc.
- 'Wonderful adhesion property' is one of the most important features of Tabprint.
- Available in 500 ml and 1 litre HDPE bottle packing.





Ion Exchange Resins

Polacrilex Resin

Ionex IRP 640

- This is used for the sustained release of nicotine. The resinate complex could be added to flavoured chewing gums and hard lozenges used for nicotine therapy to manage for quit off smoking (For manufacturing of Nicotine Polacrilex USP)
- Also suitable for the taste masking for free base drugs, like cefixime, linezolid.
- Vitamin B12 stabilizer.

Sodium Polystyrene Sulfonate USP Ionex IRP 691

- Strong acid cation exchange resin with sulphonic acid groups in sodium form.
- To control blood potassium for the treatment of Hyperkalemia
- As Long acting taste masking agent in Dextromethorphan Hbr.
- As an Anti-tussive agent
- As appetite reducing agent.
- Used in Streptomycin sulphate API to purify & load the sulphate ion in the process of manufacturing.

Calcium Polystyrene Sulfonate BP/JP Ionex IRP 692

- Strong acid cation exchange resin with sulphonic acid groups in calcium form.
- To control blood potassium for the treatment of Hyperkalemia
- as an Anti-tussive agent
- As appetite reducing agent.
- Amino acid purification.

Polacrilin Potassium USP/NF Ionex IRP 880

 Super Fast Disintegrant & Dissolution Improver.







Customised Taste masking Development

Ready to Use Grades

RTU FT	RTU CA	RTU PR	RTU C	RTU ZN	RTU FF
Famotidine	Cefuroxime Axetil	Cefpodoxime Proxetil	Cefixime	Zinc Sulphate	Fexofenadine HCl
RTU CP	RTU AZ	RTU FX	RTU IB	RTU RX	
Ciprofloxacin HCl	Azithromycin Dihydrate	Flucloxacillin Magnesium	Ibuprofen	Roxithromycin	

Drug Specific Grades

IRP 882 AZ	IRP 882 CP	IRP 641 A	IRP 641 C	IRP 881 D	IRP 882 BL
Azithromycin dihydrate	Ciprofloxacin HCl	Chloroquine phosphate, Quinine sulphate	Cefuroxime axetil, Cefpodoxime proxetil	Desloratidine HCl	Bilastine



Chart for improving efficiency

Tablet coating defects

Remedies



Peeling

- Erosion of core tablets, high friability and hygroscopic ingredients.
- If film coating formulation is poor.
- Tablets are too wet.

- · Improve core strength, reduce friability, take care of hygroscopic ingredients.
- Use proper coating material.
- Adjust temperature to a bit higher with regular spray rate.



Film cracking

- Excess heating of tablet core.
- Film coating with less mechanical strength. Use higher mechanical strength material.
- Plasticizer content in coating material is too low.
- Avoid high bed temperature.
- Increase plasticizer concentration.



Picking & sticking

- Spray rate is high/uneven.
- Solid concentration is low.
- Slow pan speed and inadequate load.
- Drying air volume & temperature is low.
- Adjust spray rate.
- Use higher solid concentration.
- Apply proper loading & increase pan speed.
- Adjust gun to bed distance, increase airflow and temperature.



Orange peel

- · High spray rate.
- Coating solution is too viscous.
- Too low air pressure.
- · High solid concentration in coating solution. · Use low solid concentration in coating
- Decrease rate of spray.
- Use low viscosity solution.
- Increase air pressure & optimise.
 - solution.



Twinning

- Tablet surface is flat.
- High spray rate.
- Spraying gun distance is not proper.
- Low pan speed & air pressure.
- Better to change tablet shape., if possible.
- Reduce spray rate.
- Set gun to bed distance properly.
- Increase pan speed & atomization air pressure.



Logo bridging

- · Plasticizer content is too low.
- Low inlet temperature/air pressure.
- High spray rate.
- · Coating with low adhesion.

- Increase plasticizer concentration.
- Increase inlet temperature/air pressure.
- Reduce rate of spray.
- Choose high adhesion coating material.



Surface erosion

- · Tablet core friability is high
- Film strength is low.
- High pan speed.
- Low spray rate.
- Hygroscopic ingredients.
- Low solid concentration material.
- Optimise core friability.
- Use high film strength material.
- Reduce pan speed.
- Increase rate of spray.
- Reduce hygroscopic material.
- Use high solid concentration material.





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advantage
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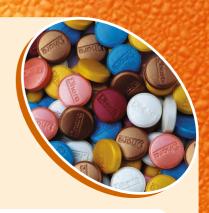


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"You Name it, We Frame it!"

Customised Polymer Development



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