

Statement on Microplastics

Capsugel® empty capsule products

Synthetic polymer microparticles (commonly referred as 'microplastics') are defined under the REACH Regulation as solid, non-water-soluble, non-biodegradable particles whose dimensions are not more than 5 mm (or not more than 15 mm for fibers). Capsugel® empty capsules products do not fall under the definition of synthetic polymer microplastics. Moreover, microplastics are not intentionally used during the manufacturing process of empty capsules. As such, it is unlikely that such substances are present in any of our empty capsules.

For what concerns the specific EU regulatory framework, Capsugel® empty capsules products are out of scope and do not require any further due diligence assessment under Regulation (EU) 2023/2055.

The information contained herein corresponds to Lonza's knowledge on the subject at the date of publication and is, to the best of our knowledge, accurate. However, Lonza refuses any liability for the application and use of further processed material containing our products. According to the relevant regulations, the manufacturer of the final product is solely responsible for the use and commercialization of the Lonza product and the information contained herein.

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