

# Our new standard for Good Warehousing Practices (GWP)

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#### Certification Standards for Pharmaceutical Excipient Suppliers

Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP) Good Distribution Practices (GDP) Good Warehousing Practices (GWP)

Requirements for Auditor Competency and Third-Party Organisations Providing Certification of the Management System

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### **GMP** and **GDP**

- The original 2012 standards covered Good Manufacturing practices and Good Distribution Practices (GMP and GDP)
- GDP is for excipients suppliers who:
  - Store packed excipients
  - Repack and relable these excipients



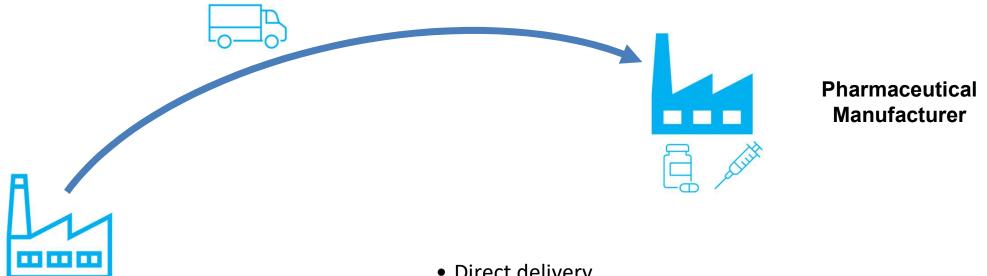
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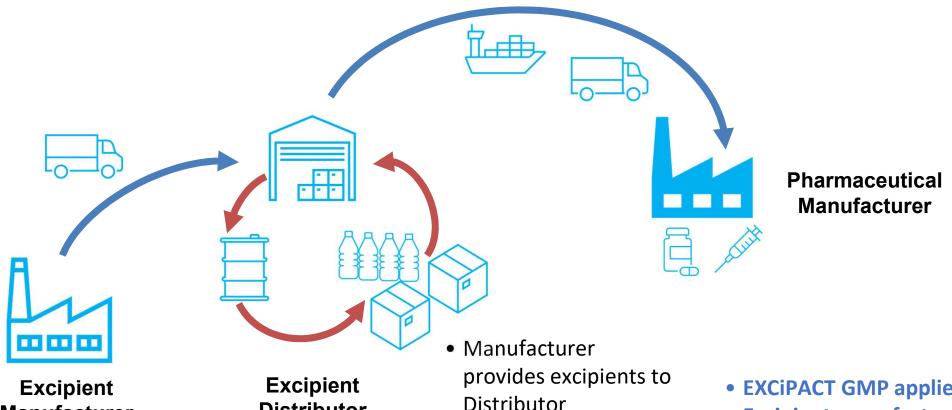
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**Excipient** Manufacturer **EXCIPACT GMP** 

- Direct delivery
- Single Vehicle
- Likely only if the two parties are in close proximity and in the same economic zone
- EXCIPACT GMP applies to the **Excipient manufacturer and** covers the logistics of the supply chain

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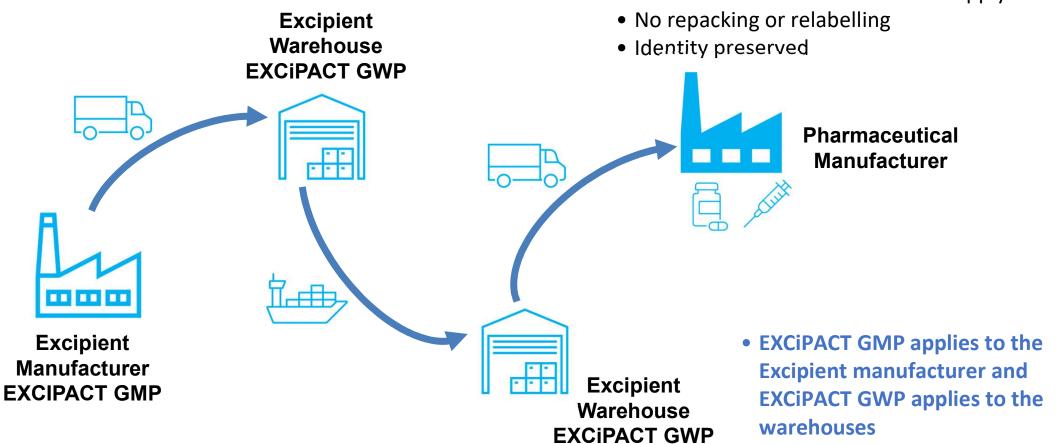
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**Distributor EXCIPACT GDP** 

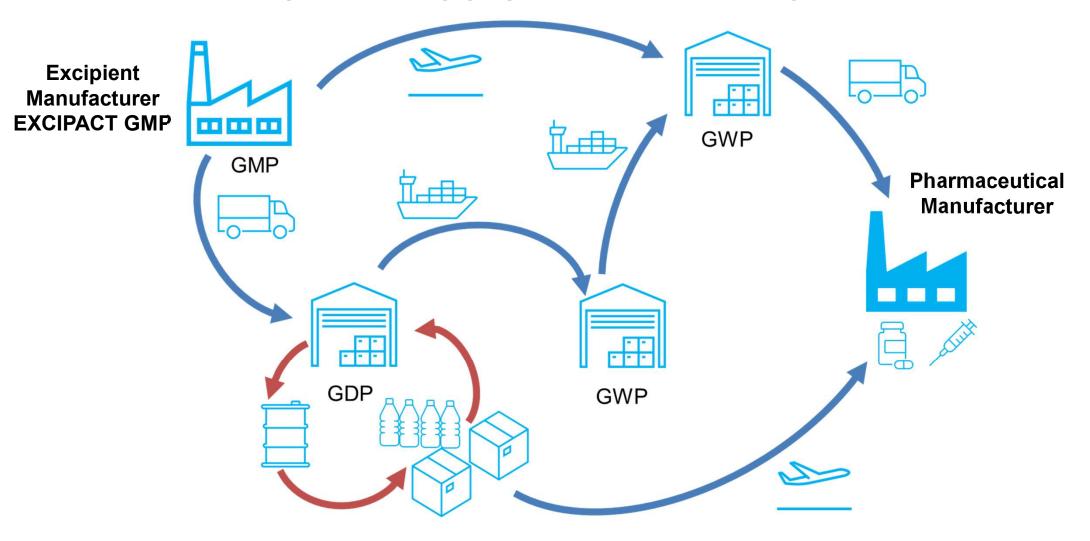
- Distributor
- Repacks excipient
- May relabel excipient
- EXCIPACT GMP applies to the **Excipient manufacturer and EXCIPACT GDP applies to the** distributor

## The Excipient supply chain

- Excipient Manufacturer provides excipients to Logistics company
- Intermediate warehouses in the supply chain



## The Excipient supply chain – reality?



### **GMP, GDP and GWP**

- The 2021 edition of the standards includes GWP as a new Annex
- There are also some adjustments to the ISO 17021-1 annex (Certification Body quality requirements) to accommodate GWP and as a result of improvements to the Certification scheme following an internal review
- Implementation of GWP follows the same process as for GMP and GDP



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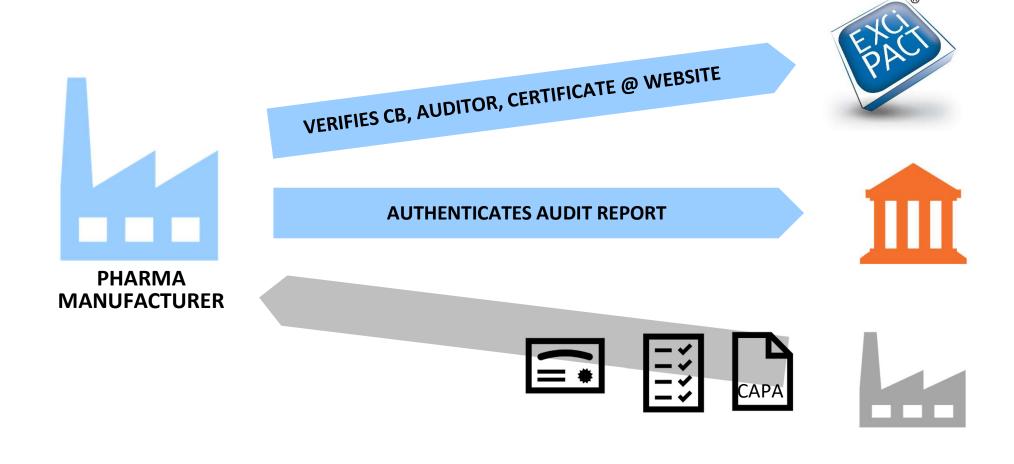
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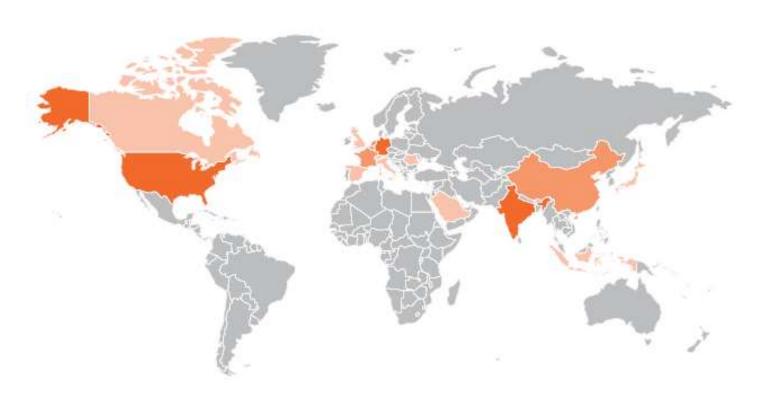


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## **EXCIPACT Advantages**

- Minimizes risk
- Reduces audit burden
- Unbeatable cost-efficiency: usually free access for Pharma Manufacturers
- Allows pharma company to focus on specific supplier issues
- Speeds up the audit process
- Entire GMP/GDP levels of the supplier available for evaluation
- Satisfies (or surpasses) international regulatory guidelines
- Independent oversight guarantees transparency and reliability
- Excipient supplier provides certificate and audit report
- Maximizes benefits



## Q&A

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