

Tuesc	lay, 26 April 2022 0	9:00 – 18:00 CEST
9:00	Welcome and Introduction	Falk Klar, PDA Europe
9:10	Welcome from the Chairs	John Shabushnig, Insight Pharma Consulting Romain Veillon, GSK
Opening P	Plenary: Updates from the Regulatory Landscape	Moderator: Romain Veillon, GSK Co-Moderator: Linda Wildling, Takeda
Visual inspection of parenteral is a highly regulated domain, compendial recommendations evolve constantly to adapt to changing environments and technology evolution. This session will cover both European and US perspectives on visual inspection regulation with key speakers from FDA, USP, EDQM, and German inspectorate.		
9:25	Particulates and related Updates in the European Pharmacopeia (Ph.Eur.)	Erika Stippler, <i>EDQM</i> Hanns-Christian Mahler, <i>Ten23 Health</i>
9:50	Inspectors View on Visual Inspection	Daniel Müller, Local Inspectorate Tübingen
10:20	Coffee Break, Poster Session & Exhibition	
10:50	USP Particle Chapters: A Summary of Recent Changes and their Implications	John Shabushnig, Insight Pharma Consulting
11:15	Regulatory Aspects of Visible Particulates Testing and Control	Rukman De Silva, U.S. FDA
11:40	Q&A, Discussion	Moderator: Romain Veillon, GSK



		Co-Moderator: Linda Wildling, Takeda
12:10	Lunch Break, Poster Session & Exhibition	
Session 1:	Particle Characterization and Safety Impact Evaluation	Moderator: Markus Lankers, MIBIC Co-Moderator: Hanns-Christian Mahler, Ten23 Health
Understanding the source, composition, and health impact of particulate matter provides the necessary information for the development of adequate control strategies and comprehensive risk assessments. A contamination control strategy illustrated by a case study will be highlighted in the first part of the session. The second presentation will discuss the challenges and risk management strategies involving the potential medical impact of particulates.		
13:10	Clinical Considerations: Assessing the Safety Implications of Extrinsic Particles	John Ayres, Pharma Safety Solutions
13:35	Controlling Particulate Contamination at the Source by use of CCS	Subrata Chakraborty, GxPFONT Consulting Group
14:00	Q&A, Discussion	Moderator: Markus Lankers, MIBIC Co-Moderator: Hanns-Christian Mahler, Ten23 Health
14:20	Exhibition & Poster Session	
Session 2:	Artificial Intelligence: from MVI to AVI and into the Future	Moderator: Florian Krickl, Vitronic Co-Moderator: Djonny Rigot, Syntegon



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Increasing challenges in visual inspection generate demand for new technologies and methods. This session gives a deep understanding of the latest developments in artificial intelligence, automation, and vision technology and its practical application in pharmaceutical inspection processes. In addition, research activities of key industry players and research centers present innovative methods for actual and future inspection needs.

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14:40	Human-like Inspection Robot	Romain Veillon, GSK
15:05	Artificial Intelligence Applied in the Human-Like Automated Vision Inspection	Veronica Ghidotti, Stevanato Group
15:25	Incorporating Deep Learning into Existing Vision Configurations for Cosmetic Defects of Lyophilized Product	Amy Gobel, Johnson & Johnson & Felix Riehn, Körber Pharma Inspection
15:50	Coffee Break, Poster Session & Exhibition	
16:20	Interactive Questionnaire: Where is the Industry Now and Where are We Headed: A Status Update	
16:30	Practical Applications, Challenges, and Solutions When Using Deep Learning and Big Data for Automated Visual Inspection	Joseph Straub, MSD
16:55	Integrating Multimodal Sensing and AI for Automated Inspection of Parenteral Products	Denise Tellmann, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
17:20	Q&A, Discussion	Moderator: Florian Krickl, Vitronic Co-Moderator: Djonny Rigot, Syntegon
18:00	End of Conference Day 1 & Networking Event	



Wednesday, 27 April 2022 05		9:00 – 16:30 CEST
9:00	Welcome to Day 2	John Shabushnig, <i>Insight Pharma Consulting</i> Romain Veillon, <i>GSK</i>
Session 3:	Difficult to Inspect Product	Moderator: Andrea Sardella, Stevanato Group  Co-Moderator: Herve Soukiassian, BD
Biotechnology is leading the wave of personalized medicines showing great benefits but also posing new challenges to assess the quality level of bio-manufactured products. Inspection experts are investigating new concepts and technologies to solve these issues as we will see in the following presentations. New drugs require also tailored containers and the third presentation will shed a light on the difficulties and the approach developed to inspect BFS.		
9:05	Visual Inspection of High Viscosity Syringe Containers	Al Goodwin, Amgen Jan Sende, Syntegon
9:30	Automatic Vision Inspection of Cell Therapy Products: Challenges, Opportunities, Mechanical Approaches, and Technologies	Massimo Frasson, <i>Brevetti CEA</i> Stefano Baila, <i>ANEMOCYTE</i> S.R.L
9:55	AVI of Difficult to Inspect Blow Fill Seal Container Blocks	Heino Prinz, Rommelag
10:20	Coffee Break, Poster Session & Exhibition	
10:50	Challenges during Automatic Inspection of Lyophilized Products: Case Study on Collapsed Cake and Unusual Cake Appearance	Corey Bishop, Amgen Technology Ireland Massimo Frasson, Brevetti CEA
11:20	Interactive Questionnaire: Addressing Challenges in the Visual Inspec Medicines	tion Process Regarding Evolving



11:30	Q&A, Discussion	Moderator: Andrea Sardella, Stevanato Group  Co-Moderator: Herve Soukiassian, BD
12:15	Lunch Break, Poster Session & Exhibition	
Closing Ple	enary: Improving the Visual Inspection Life Cycle	Moderator: John Shabushnig, Insight Pharma Consulting Co-Moderator: Djonny Rigot, Syntegon
This session is organized to share practical experience and lessons learned from a wide range of industry experts. It discusses evolving testing methods for components and expected changes in the European regulations found in EMA Annex 1. Pandemic supply experience provides another valuable lesson, and the session concludes by putting it all together with an example of a life-cycle approach for continuous process improvement.		
13:15	Updates on Recent PDA Activities	Speaker invited
13:30	Practical Implications of the revised Annex 1	Bram Keymolen, eyetec
13:50	Lessons from Visual Inspection	Robert Miller, Pfizer
14:15	How to Establish a Holistic, Company-Wide Visual Inspection & Particle Life-Cycle Management Program	Linda Wildling, Takeda
14:35	Coffee Break, Poster Session & Exhibition	
15:05	Enabling Visual Inspection in Commercial Production during Product Development	Rupert Depner, Körber Pharma Inspection
15:30	Closing Panel Discussion	Moderator: Romain Veillon, GSK Co-Moderator: Felix Riehn, Körber Pharma Inspection



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16:05	Conference Summary and Take-Home Message	John Shabushnig, Insight Pharma Consulting Romain Veillon, GSK
16:20	Closing Remarks & Farewell	Falk Klar, PDA Europe
16:30	End of Conference	

Agenda is subject to change without notice, all speakers invited and pending confirmation