

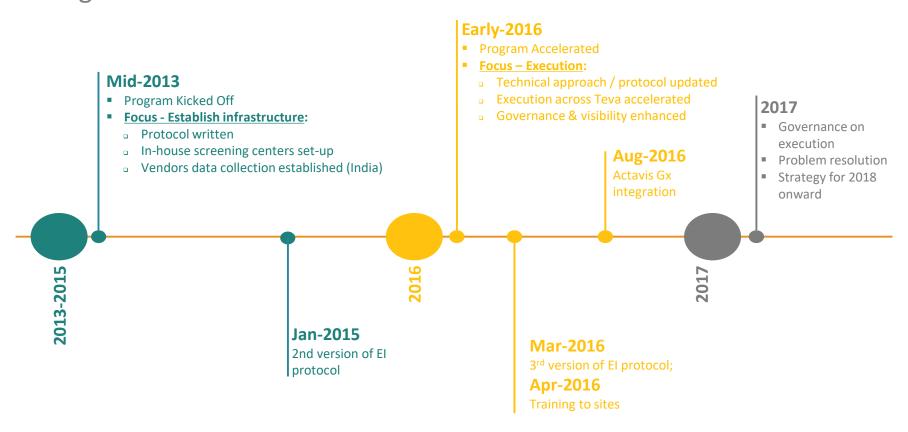
# Elemental Impurities Program in Teva – Challenges and Expectations

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The numbers imply the magnitude and complexity of the program for Teva, No.1 Gx company in the world

> 40 Impacted Pharma Mfg. Plants	> 2500 Risk Assessments	> 900 Impacted CMOs and BD Partners
> 1500 Materials Vendors	> 90 US NDA/ANDA Submissions Since June 2016	> 2000 Drug Products Screening
11 ICP-MS Labs	> 450 Impacted APIs produced by Teva API division	> 40 EU Submissions (new files) Since June 2016

Program infrastructure was set-up starting in 2013, execution accelerated during 2016-2017



## Challenges observed in early 2016 required "recalculation of route"

#### Scientific Approach

Components approach - fully relying on vendors information, which was difficult to obtain

#### **Actavis Gx Acquisition**

Differences in approach - observed between Teva and Actavis; CMO products not yet included in Actavis program

### **ICP-MS Capacity**

Low validation & screening ICP-MS capacity

in-house labs infrastructure only partially operational

- Revisiting the Approach
- Extending the Execution Plan
- Applying strong governance & Support

#### **Internal Collaboration**

Third-Party Ops and Procurement not fully on board – Teva API and R&D efforts separate from the drug products program

#### **Guidance to Sites**

Global protocol at high-level only – limited templates / training provided to aid the sites

**Governance**; Managerial Awareness

Weak global governance and low managerial awareness - to the program



## Revisiting the approach – Seeking for a practical approach, without compromising on compliance



Change	Benefits
	✓ More proactive and controllable approach
Follow the "Drug Product Approach" rather than "Component Approach";	<ul> <li>✓ Assuming that all or most of our vendors will provide full data, on-time, on elemental impurities in their products - not realistic → May need to</li> </ul>
Collect components information for supporting & solidifying the Risk Assessment	anyway screen the DP or components  ✓ Amount of items to collect data on is not higher with the "drug product" approach - since in the "component approach" each unique combination of material/manufacturer/grade (catalog no.) requires separate data
<b>3</b> <sup>rd</sup> party products fully included in scope – CMOs expected to provide a risk assessment, BD partners (IP owners) a declaration of conformity	✓ Comprehensive approach
Full alignment of the scientific approach between legacy Actavis and Teva - no. of elements to screen, treating multiple strengths, etc.	<ul><li>✓ Harmonized approach</li><li>✓ Compliant approach</li></ul>

## Extending the execution plan – Enabling on-time completion



Change	Benefits	
Screening capacity expanded, to fit the required total number of screenings:  1. Utilize the already existing screening centers (Teva & Actavis)  2. Enhance capacity within the existing centers thru process efficiency  3. Source the missing capacity from external labs  4. Dynamic allocation of sites to labs, done globally	<ul> <li>✓ On time completion enabled - by dynamically matching of capacity and demand</li> <li>✓ Quick availability of large capacity</li> <li>✓ More flexible set-up - Better fit with the life-cycle needs</li> </ul>	
Detailed training was provided to sites; Additional Q&A support session continue, and knowledge sharing between sites  Templates for Risk Assessments shared  Global team collecting data from vendors -	<ul> <li>✓ Sites enabled to execute effectively and efficiently</li> <li>✓ Enhanced compliance</li> <li>✓ Greater effectiveness of the components data collection</li> </ul>	
<b>mechanism was improved</b> : vendors prioritization , SharePoint to sites etc.	Greater effectiveness of the components data collection	

## Applying strong governance and support



Change	Benefits	
Strong governance model applied:		
<ol> <li>Program defined one of a few "must have" programs in Quality</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>✓ Management's active involvement</li> <li>✓ Visibility</li> <li>✓ Effective execution</li> </ul>	
<ol><li>Steering Committee, led by Teva's Head of Quality , meeting every month</li></ol>		
3. Dedicated Project Manager		
4. Focal Points at each site		
5. Frequent work meetings at various forums		
6. Monthly report		
Joint multi-disciplinary effort – collaboration of Global Quality with Sites, 3rd Party Ops, Teva API, Procurement, RA, R&D	<ul> <li>✓ Effective execution</li> <li>✓ Good utilization of resources &amp; expertise, Knowledge Sharing</li> </ul>	
<b>Risk Management</b> – close monitoring, prioritization of products, analysis of market impact scenarios etc.	✓ Contained Risks	

## The readiness of Teva to January 1st 2018 is just around the corner

## **Data Collection from Vendors** Effort mostly extracted (partial responsiveness from vendors) **R&D Products Teva API Risk Assessments** Since June 2016 routine requests Mostly Completed for compliance with Q3D for new registrations Teva has met the registration requirements, so far no real issues or delays to approvals **Drug Products Risk Assessments** (CMOs) **Screening of Drug Products** The big majority provided Risk Mostly Completed Assessment or committed to provide **Drug Products Risk Assessments** on time (In-House) Ongoing on high gear, still significant number to complete in Q4

## Plans and expectations towards 2018

#### Our Situation / Plans

#### Science

- Our statistics so far (N>1000):
  - Only 1.4% of the products above threshold (30% of PDE)
  - None above limit (100% of PDE)
- Teva's protocol provides guidance for revisiting the Risk Assessment

## **Operations**

- Sites will assume full responsibility for compliance, while global project is dismantled
- ICP-MS labs set-up is planned to be adjusted to a significantly lower demand

## Compliance

- Potential scenarios of non-compliance were analyzed (e.g. Risk Assessment not completed, CAPA not completed) – Guidance being provided to sites and markets QP
- Large effort to complete readiness on-time;
   Risk Assessment to be documented in sites
   systems

### Expectations

- Q3D Assessment will replace the traditional Heavy Metal testing
- For new regulations authorities to provide as much as possible on-time and clear guidance, aligned between territories
- Overall effort around Q3D in the "maintenance phase" is expected to be significantly lower, mostly derived from product/process changes
- Labwork will not have to be repeat in all cases, certainly not full validation
- Q3D to be controlled through the regular internal systems, and as such would be an inspection point
- Authorities to seek balance between Q3D compliance and market needs

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