

BDMAI BULLETIN



From the Desk of President

Dear Friends,
Greetings from BDMAI!

I hope you all had a great time during the recently concluded CPhI Worldwide 2025, renewing old associations and entering into new partnerships. Events like these remind us of India's growing prominence in the global pharmaceutical supply chain and the need to constantly evolve to stay ahead.

I would like to share my views on an important topic. Our industry stands at the threshold of a technological revolution – one driven by Artificial Intelligence (AI) and data-driven decision-making. Around the world, AI is transforming every aspect of healthcare and manufacturing, and the Bulk Drug (API) sector is no exception.

AI offers immense potential to optimize our processes – from R&D and process development to yield improvement, quality control, predictive maintenance, and supply chain management. However, there still exists a myth that AI is relevant only for large-scale or high-tech industries. In reality, even MSMEs can benefit significantly from AI-based tools that improve process efficiency, reduce costs, and enhance compliance with GMP and environmental standards.

The need of the hour is to build awareness, develop digital readiness, and encourage practical adoption of AI solutions tailored for our industry's unique challenges. The future competitiveness of Indian Bulk Drug manufacturing will depend not only on chemistry and engineering excellence but also on our ability to harness digital and intelligent technologies effectively.

Recognizing this importance, BDMAI is planning to organize a one-day seminar on "AI & Digitalization in Bulk Drug

Manufacturing" to create awareness among industry professionals and explore real-world applications and success stories. Schedule of the Seminar will be shared with members soon. We look forward to the participation of our members, technology providers, and experts in making this initiative a meaningful step toward a smarter, more efficient, and globally competitive Indian API industry.

With best regards

Ch A P Rameswara Rao
National President

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Global Pharma News

Investments

Kailera nets \$600m to power Phase III launch of obesity drug

Weight loss treatment-focused biotechs are bucking the wider downturn in early-stage investments. Just a year after emerging from stealth with a nearly half a billion dollars, Kailera Therapeutics has reached another financing goal, raising \$600m to fund a Phase III trial of its promising weight loss drug. Kailera, one of the industry's most closely watched private biotechs, secured the funds as part of a Series B financing round led by new investor Bain Capital. The US firm is hoping to seize a share of the lucrative cardiometabolic market with its lead candidate KAI-9531, an injectable dual GLP-1/GIP receptor agonist.

Pharmaceutical Technologies 14.10.2025

Bristol Myers Squibb acquires cell therapy biotech Orbital for \$1.5bn

Bristol Myers Squibb (BMS) has added to its cell therapy portfolio, paying \$1.5 billion for the US biotech Orbital Therapeutics. At the heart of the deal is the Cambridge, Massachusetts-based biotech company's investigational *in vivo* chimeric antigen receptor (CAR) T-cell therapy OTX-201, which targets autoimmune diseases. Robert Plenge, Chief Research Officer at BMS, said: "*In vivo* CAR T represents a novel treatment approach that could

redefine how we treat autoimmune diseases.

European Pharmaceutical Review 15.10.2025

AstraZeneca doubles Lokelma production at its Texas facility

The pharma company invested \$445m to expand its Coppell site. AstraZeneca has doubled production capacity for its hyperkalaemia treatment Lokelma (sodium zirconium cyclosilicate) after completing a \$445 million expansion of its manufacturing facility at Coppell in Texas. The pharma company added a new 9,000 square foot building and two novel manufacturing lines at the site, which is Lokelma's sole global manufacturing facility. Available as powder sachets, Lokelma was first approved by the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and European Medicines Agency (EMA) in 2018

European Pharmaceutical Review 16.10.2025

Adcytherix gains \$122m to propel ADC development

Adcytherix has set a target to file for an IND and clinical trial applications in Canada, the UK, and the EU by the end of 2025. France-based Adcytherix has completed a Series A funding round, raising €105m (\$122m) earmarked for expediting the antibody-drug conjugate (ADC) pipeline with a focus on new payloads. The funds will be used to progress the company's primary candidate, ADCX-020, into clinics.

Pharmaceutical Technologies 18.10.2025

Tubulis Raises €308M to Advance Antibody-Drug Conjugate Pipeline

Tubulis, a German biotech company specializing in next-generation antibody-drug conjugates (ADCs), has secured €308 million (USD 361 million) in a major Series C financing round aimed at accelerating the clinical development of its lead oncology programs. The round was led by Venrock Healthcare Capital Partners, with participation from new investors Wellington Management and Ascenta Capital. Existing backers including Nextech Invest, EQT Life Sciences, Frazier Life Sciences, Andera Partners, Deep Track Capital, and others also joined the round.

Pharma Journalist 17.10.2025

ENA Respiratory secures US\$22.4m to advance nasal spray therapy

Funding to support phase 2 trial of INNA-051 aimed at preventing viral respiratory infections - ENA Respiratory has raised US\$22.4m (AU\$34m) in Series B financing to support the phase 2 clinical development of its nasal spray therapy, INNA-051. The Melbourne-based pharmaceutical company welcomed new investment from the Gates Foundation and Flu Lab, alongside continued backing from Brandon Capital, Uniseed and Stoic Venture Capital.

Pharma Times 22.10.2025

New Drug Developments

AbbVie unveils new data on solid tumour therapies

Phase 1 and phase 2 results highlight promise of ADCs for hard-to-treat cancers

AbbVie has announced new clinical data from its antibody-drug conjugate (ADC) platform, reinforcing its commitment to advancing targeted therapies for solid tumours. The data will be presented at the 2025 European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) Congress in Berlin, taking place from 17 to 21 October. The company's investigational ADCs, including telisotuzumab adizutecan (Temab-A) and ABBV-706, demonstrated encouraging results across pancreatic, colorectal and other solid tumour types. AbbVie also shared updates on Emrelis (telisotuzumab vedotin), which is already approved for certain indications.

Pharma Times 14.10.2025

FDA grants fast Track status to Enterome's EO2463 for follicular lymphoma

Designation supports phase 3 launch in watch-and-wait patients in 2026

Enterome has received fast track designation from the US Food and Drug Administration for its lead OncoMimics immunotherapy EO2463, targeting follicular lymphoma in the low tumour burden 'watch-and-wait' setting. The designation highlights EO2463's potential as a first-in-class monotherapy for patients who typically do not receive treatment unless symptoms emerge.

Pharma Times 14.10. 2025

NIHR invests £157 million in research partnerships to transform healthcare

Applied Research Collaborations to drive innovation and tackle inequalities across England

The National Institute for Health and Care Research (NIHR) has announced a £157 million investment over 5 years to support 10 new Applied Research Collaborations (ARCs) across England, beginning in April 2026. The ARCs will help deliver the ambitions of the NHS 10 Year Plan, the Life Sciences Sector Plan and the Government's Health and Growth Missions. These collaborative partnerships between universities, NHS trusts, local authorities, Health Innovation Networks, Integrated Care Boards and the voluntary sector will focus on applied research to address pressing health and social care challenges

Pharma Times 15.10.2025

Johnson & Johnson's (J&J's) bispecific Rybrevant (amivantamab) could provide an effective, novel option for patients with head and neck squamous cell cancer (HNSCC)

This follows the positive results of the Phase Ib/II OrigAMI-4 study (NCT06385080), which saw the subcutaneous therapy trigger an objective response rate (ORR) of 45%. Of these patients, one achieved a complete response (CR), while 12 achieved partial responses (PR). Stable disease was experienced by 15 patients in the Rybrevant monotherapy arm, meaning that 82% of patients given the drug experienced a clinical benefit

Pharmaceutical Technologies 20.10.2025

Recipharm supports landmark trial of next generation pneumococcal vaccine developed by ImmBio and iiCON

Recipharm, a leading global contract development and manufacturing organisation (CDMO), today announced the successful cGMP manufacture of PnuBioVax[®], a new protein-based vaccine against pneumococcal disease developed by ImmunoBiology Ltd (ImmBio) and the Infection Innovation Consortium (iiCON). This milestone has enabled the start of Phase 2 clinical trials in Malawi, the largest human challenge trial ever conducted in the country.

World Pharma 19.10.2025

Astellas' treatment shows promise for menopause symptoms

There have been encouraging preliminary findings from Astellas Pharma's ongoing phase 4 OPTION-VMS observational study, showing that fezolinetant significantly improves symptoms of vasomotor symptoms (VMS) associated with menopause. Involving over 900 women aged 40–75 with confirmed menopausal VMS, the study demonstrated statistically significant improvements in VMS bother, sleep quality and work productivity at weeks 4, 8 and 12. The study also reported statistically significant improvements in both subjective and objective sleep outcomes, including sleep efficiency and wakefulness after sleep onset. Improvements were measured using PROMIS SD SF 8b and actigraphy endpoints.

PF Media 30.10.2025

Drug Approvals

FDA approves Glaukos' Epioxa as incision-free corneal disease treatment

The approval marks the first pharma-based therapy option that does not require corneal removal. The US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has approved Glaukos Corporation's Epioxa, offering patients living with a rare corneal disease a treatment option that does not require incisions. Epioxa, which contains an active component from a bio-activated formulation of riboflavin, will be available to patients with keratoconus, an eye condition in which the cornea becomes gradually thinner, ultimately leading to vision loss. Glaukos intends for the therapy to be commercially available in Q1 2026.

Pharmaceutical Technologies 20.10.2025

Mergers & Acquisitions

Ipsen strikes €1bn deal to acquire French biotech ImCheck Therapeutics

The move will boost its oncology pipeline, adding a potential first-in-class anti-BTN3A monoclonal antibody for acute myeloid leukaemia. Ipsen is set to acquire French biotech ImCheck Therapeutics in a move that will strengthen its oncology pipeline by adding rights to a potential first-in-class anti-BTN3A monoclonal antibody. ImCheck's lead asset ICT01 is currently

being evaluated in an ongoing phase I/II EVICTION trial in first line acute myeloid leukaemia (AML) patients who are ineligible for intensive chemotherapy. The biologic's unique mechanism of action modulates both innate and adaptive immunity and recent clinical data suggests that in combination with Ven-Aza (venetoclax and azacitidine) ICT01 has potential as a novel immunotherapy for AML

European pharmaceutical Review 23.10.2025

Regulations

FDA Releases Biosimilar Guidance Pushing to Streamline Development

- The FDA's updated guidance prioritizes comparative analytical assessments over comparative efficacy studies for biosimilar development, aiming to streamline the approval process.
- Conditions for waiving CES include high purification, well-characterized analytical tests, and feasible pharmacokinetic studies, enhancing specificity and sensitivity.
- The FDA emphasizes personalized approaches for biosimilar development, ensuring safety and efficacy while reducing bureaucratic delays.
- The new approach is expected to benefit patients, providers, and manufacturers by lowering costs and accelerating market access for biosimilars.

Drug Topics 1.11.2025



ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES

Representations:

Following Representations were made during October 2025:

APPCB, Andhra Pradesh: Requested for directing the concerned authorities to implement the revised COD limit of up to 500 mg/l is limits as per the MoEF & CC notification No. 3864(E) dated 9th September 2024. Click [HERE](#) to see the detailed representation.

GST Council: Represented to GST Council requesting to maintain the status quo on GST rates for APIs and Intermediates. Click [HERE](#) to see the detailed representation

APIIC: Representation to Dr. N. Yuvaraj, IAS, Secretary to Government, Industries and Commerce, Dept. Govt. of Andhra Pradesh requesting for allotment of Land to MSME Manufacturers in Nakkapalli Bulk Drug Park. Please click [HERE](#) for a detailed representation

CIRCULARS:

7TH October 2025: About Pharma Bulk Drug Manufacturing Summit on 15.10.2025, where our National President was the Chief Guest for this Summit.

27th of October 2025: Informing members about SIDBI offering Term / Soft Loans under Arogya Scheme for Pharmaceutical Industry

31st of October 2025: Informing the members about 12th India Pharma Awards by CPhHi India and inviting members to participate in the prestigious 12th India Pharma Awards 2025

3rd of November 2025 Informing the members about Hon'ble Chief Minister of Punjab's visit to Hyderabad on 11.1.2025

Events:

Recruitment Drive:

In association with Telangana Council for Higher Education and Palamuru University, BDMAI organized a Recruitment Drive at the University campus of Palamuru University on 11th October



2025. Eight of member companies participated in the Recruitment Drive. University officials made extensive arrangements for the drive.

Pharma Summit on Bulk Drug Manufacturing



by our members. National President of BDMAI Sri Ch A P Rameswar Rao was the Chief Guest of the event.

BDMAI actively supported Pharma Summit on Bulk Drug Manufacturing which was organized on 15th October 2025 by ICEXPO at Hotel Radison Blue, Hyderabad. The Summit was well attended



Process Safety in Pharma Industry:

BDMAI supported the one-day seminar on **Corrosion Risk Management and Process Safety in Pharma and Chemical Industry** on **October 15, 2025** at **Sheraton Hyderabad Hotel, Hyderabad**, organized by Indian Pharma Post (IPP), in association with Alleima. The event was well organized and presented useful information to the audience. Sri Ch A P Raameswara Rao, National President of BDMAI was the Guest of Honor of the event.



Important Notifications:

New Drug Approvals:

DCGI issued a Public Notice inviting comment from stakeholders to ensure a level playing field in new drug approval. Please click [HERE](#) to see the Public Notice issued by CDSCO on this subject.

Green Belt requirements

Impact Assessment Division of MoEF & CC issued an Office Memorandum specifying the Green Belt Requirements for various sectors

within Industrial area and outside Industrial Areas. Please click [HERE](#) for a detailed OM.

Implementation of Revised Schedule:

Enforcement Division of CDSCO issued an internal circular on 7th November 2025 directing the State Drug Controllers to inspect the manufacturing units, who have applied for extension of time for implementing Schedule M till 31.12.2025. Please click [HERE](#) to see the internal circular.

Green Manufacturing: Reducing Carbon Footprint in the Pharma Sector

Introduction

The pharmaceutical industry is highly energy and water-intensive, with cooling systems among its largest consumers. These systems are vital for process cooling, HVAC in cleanrooms and condenser cooling for chillers. As the sector transitions towards greener manufacturing, Thermax offers advanced closed-loop and hybrid cooling solutions that enable pharmaceutical facilities to reduce carbon footprint, conserve water and ensure process hygiene - all while improving reliability and compliance.

Cooling and its role in Carbon Reduction

Cooling infrastructure directly influences a plant's carbon footprint through electricity and water consumption. Conventional open-loop cooling towers often suffer from fouling, scaling and microbial growth, reducing system efficiency and increasing energy use. By replacing these with Thermax's closed-loop or hybrid closed-loop systems, pharma manufacturers can achieve

- Higher energy efficiency through clean heat transfer surfaces
- Reduced water consumption by up to 95%
- Lower chemical use and blowdown losses
- Improved reliability with consistent performance and reduced maintenance

These efficiencies translate into measurable reductions in both Scope 2 (electricity-related) and embodied emissions, aligning with sustainability and ESG goals.

Where are Cooling Solutions used in Pharma?

Thermax's cooling solutions cater to every critical application within pharma operations.

1. Chiller Condenser Cooling – for water-cooled chillers supporting cleanrooms and controlled environments
2. Direct Process Cooling – for reactors, fermenters, distillation condensers and lyophilizers
3. Utility Equipment Cooling – for compressors and vacuum pumps
4. Ancillary Systems – for laboratory equipment and pre-cooling in CIP systems

Each of these applications demand reliability, temperature precision and contamination-free cooling - all of which are inherent advantages of closed-loop designs.

Challenges with Conventional Open-Loop Cooling

Traditional open-loop cooling towers expose circulating water to the atmosphere, leading to,

- Microbial growth and biofilm risks that complicate compliance in sterile environments
- High evaporation and blowdown losses
- Fouling and scaling that increase energy consumption
- Heavy chemical dependence for water treatment
- Seasonal variations affecting process stability

Thermax Closed-Loop Cooling Systems: Smart, Sustainable, and Reliable: Thermax has pioneered sustainable cooling technologies designed for long-term performance and hygiene in pharma operations.

1. Closed-Loop Cooling Towers:

Ensure clean, sealed circuits where process water never contacts ambient air. This maintains efficiency, reduces scaling and eliminates the need for separate primary and secondary pumping systems.

2. Hybrid Closed-Loop Cooling Towers:

Deliver up to 50% water savings by combining evaporative and dry cooling. They intelligently switch between modes based on ambient conditions to balance efficiency and conservation.

3. Adiabatic Cooling Towers:

Offer up to 95% water savings by using pre-cooled air instead of direct evaporation - ideal for regions facing water scarcity. Together, these systems help pharma manufacturers enhance productivity while meeting their sustainability and compliance goals.

How Thermax Systems Cut Carbon Emissions

1. **Energy Efficiency:** Clean heat exchangers ensure chillers operate at optimal COP levels
2. **No Additional Pumps Required:** Closed design eliminates intermediate exchangers and pump sets, saving power
3. **Heat Recovery Integration:** Enables recovery of waste heat for reuse in process heating
4. **Reduced Water & Chemical Use:** Cuts embodied carbon in treatment and procurement
5. **Enhanced Reliability:** Reduced downtime and smoother operation ensure long-term energy savings

Even a modest 3% gain in chiller efficiency can save around 40,000 kWh per year, reducing more than 30 tonnes of CO₂ - proving that incremental improvements lead to significant sustainability gains.

Expanding Efficiency: Heat Pump Technology for Pharma Hot Water

Thermax extends its decarbonization expertise beyond cooling with industrial heat pumps, offering a clean and efficient alternative to fossil-fuel-based boilers for process and utility hot water up to 120°C.

How Thermax Heat Pumps Work

They capture waste heat from chillers or process water and upgrade it via vapor compression or absorption cycles - delivering 3-5 times the heat energy for every unit of electricity consumed.

Types of Thermax Heat Pumps

- Absorption Heat Pumps: Driven by thermal energy (steam, hot water, or gas)
- Electrical Heat Pumps: Powered by electricity, ideal for renewable integration
- Hybrid Systems: Combine both technologies for high flexibility

Applications in Pharma Industry

- Process Hot Water: For reactor jackets, fermenters, and sterilization systems (70–95°C)
- Utility Hot Water: For HVAC coils and domestic use (60–70°C)
- Boiler Feedwater Preheating: Reduces boiler fuel consumption (up to 110°C)
- Space Heating & Dehumidification: Ideal for controlled environments in cold regions

Sustainability & Cost Advantages

Thermax's heat pumps directly contribute to decarbonization by:

- Replacing fossil fuel-based boilers
- Cutting CO₂ emissions through electrification and waste heat recovery
- Achieving COP values of 3-5, ensuring substantial energy savings
- Reducing chemical and water use tied to steam generation
- Supporting ESG and net-zero reporting goals

They also offer modular scalability, safety and integration flexibility - making them ideal for both greenfield and retrofit pharma projects.

Conclusion

For the pharmaceutical industry, Thermax provides a clear pathway toward green manufacturing. By adopting closed-loop cooling systems and industrial heat pumps, companies can simultaneously enhance operational reliability, reduce carbon emissions and conserve vital resources.

These solutions embody Thermax's vision of "Trusted Partner In Energy Transition," helping pharma manufacturers move closer to net-zero while maintaining the precision and purity their processes demand. In every drop saved and every unit of energy optimized, Thermax empowers the pharma sector to make sustainability a core part of performance.

Quality Culture, Quality Metrics, Quality Management Maturity- Pillars of Integrity

Dr. Ajay Babu Pazhayattil, President, cGMPWorld

In the current period of increasing regulatory scrutiny and complex global supply chains, data integrity (DI) and quality culture have emerged as foundational pillars of pharmaceutical quality management. In spite of the longstanding regulatory emphasis, persistent gaps in DI practices continue to challenge industry compliance both in India and globally. Empirical studies, including FDA funded research, have demonstrated that measurable improvements in quality culture directly enhance data reliability and organizational commitment to continuous improvement. The long favoured ignorance plea tactic has been historically ineffective in defending DI failures. Regulatory agencies and manufacturers are now aligned on advancing Quality Management Maturity (QMM) as a mechanism to strengthen sustainable compliance.

Reliability of data is directly linked to the existence of a strong quality culture within an organization. The FDA funded University of St. Gallen research [1] supports this and concludes that the introduction of metrics can improve organizational commitment to a quality culture. FDA warning letters (WL) review shows that DI remains one of the most frequent and critical areas of non compliance [2]. Consciously infusing DI focused practices and regularly measuring its effectiveness can reduce DI regulatory risks and improve operational efficiency. This requires organizations to engage industry experts, adopt enabling technologies, and reinforce a mindset of integrity.

Figure 1: Evolution Timeline



Quality metrics, as suggested by the US FDA [3], evaluate product and process performance across the product lifecycle. The metrics provide valuable insights into manufacturing consistency and are key to achieving Quality Management Maturity (QMM). They can help organizations maintain control over manufacturing processes, support continuous improvement, and enhance overall product quality and reliability. Compliance with current Good Manufacturing Practice (cGMP) ensures that products meet minimum safety and quality standards, but quality metrics go further, promoting sustainable compliance through continuous improvement. Within a robust

Pharmaceutical Quality System (PQS) [4], quality metrics enable data driven decisions that strengthen supply chain resilience, guide supplier oversight, and prevent disruptions. They serve as valuable tools for regulatory agencies to better understand manufacturing performance and identify early signals of potential quality or supply disruptions. The FDA recognize quality metrics as central to advancing its risk-based regulatory oversight model.

Figure 2: Quality Metric Framework



Through its Quality Metrics Reporting Program, the FDA aimed to collect standardized data from manufacturing sites to quantify quality performance, integrate this information into its surveillance and risk-prioritization process, and use it to optimize inspection scheduling, reducing burdens for best performing sites. The agency's effort to establish this program has evolved through extensive collaboration with industry. Following early discussions and public consultations beginning in 2013, the FDA issued draft guidances in 2015 and 2016 outlining the structure of the Quality Metrics Reporting. Industry feedback led to a shift from a mandatory to a voluntary, phased approach, allowing iterative refinement for both regulator and manufacturers. Subsequent pilot programs in 2018, including the quality metrics site visit and feedback initiatives, helped the FDA gather real-world input on metric selection and reporting feasibility. By 2022, the agency continued refining the framework based on lessons learned and stakeholder feedback. Ultimately, metrics and key performance indicators (KPIs) have become central to proactive, data-driven decision making, helping organizations prevent failures that could lead to revenue loss and supply disruptions. It is essential for bulk drug manufacturers to voluntarily adopt and track metrics such as Lot Acceptance Rates (LAR), Product Quality Complaint Rate (PQCR), invalidated Our-Of-Specification Rate (IOOSR) [5], as clients increasingly use these indicators to assess CMO site performance.

The Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER) Quality Management Maturity (QMM) framework seeks to strengthen quality culture, recognize establishments with advanced quality systems, and identify growth opportunities for continual improvement. By promoting mature quality management practices, the initiative aims to reduce quality

related failures, enhance supply chain resilience, and ensure reliable supply. CDER white paper on QMM [6] emphasizes that strategic investments in quality management can deliver measurable returns for both manufacturers and public health. To advance this, the 2025 QMM Prototype Assessment Protocol Evaluation Program [7] invited establishments to participate in testing CDERs assessment tool for evaluating quality maturity. The QMM initiative builds on earlier findings, which linked drug shortages to the lack of incentives for manufacturers to exceed minimum regulatory standards.

An integrated approach with organizational awareness programs, strategic technology adoption, risk management, and portfolio reassessment is required to deliver and maintain maturity. For bulk drug manufacturers, the journey towards QMM begins with people integrity, starting from robust recruitment practices and leadership behaviour. Embedding a culture of integrity supported by quality metrics and maturity frameworks transforms compliance from a reactive necessity into a strategic advantage. Establishing such a foundation requires transparency, accountability, and personnel integrity, supported by data-driven and risk-based decision-making.

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Country-wise Exports of Bulk Drugs & Intermediates April-Sept 2025

Value in \$ mn		
Country	April - Sep 2024	April - Sep 2025
Afghanistan	0.77	0.92
Albania	0.10	0.04
Algeria	23.29	16.57
Angola	0.73	0.83
Antigua	0.00	0.00
Argentina	15.97	17.37
Armenia	0.03	0.06
AUSTRALIA	7.23	6.48
Austria	4.58	5.64
Azerbaijan	0.03	0.21
Bahrain	0.29	0.15
Bangladesh	89.71	71.67
Barbados	0.08	0.07
Belarus	1.85	1.72
Belgium	85.52	65.48
Belize	0.00	0.00
Benin	0.37	0.03
Bhutan	0.29	0.41
Bolivia	0.72	0.73
Bosnia Herzegovina	0.38	0.29
Botswana	0.00	0.02
Brazil	102.40	102.64
British Virgin Islands	0.00	0.00
Brunei	0.00	0.04
Bulgaria	2.91	3.39
Burkina Faso	0.01	0.01
Burundi	0.02	0.00
Cambodia	0.57	1.50
Cameroon	0.61	0.78
Canada	24.61	39.74
Cape Verde Is	0.00	0.01
Cayman Islands	0.00	0.00
Central African Republic	0.00	0.00
Chad	0.16	0.00
Chile	5.05	7.19
CHINA	87.11	87.90
Colombia	17.38	19.24
Comoros	0.00	0.00
CONGO D REP	5.80	6.44
Congo P. Republic	0.08	0.18
Costa Rica	1.53	4.15
Cote D' Ivoire	2.49	1.95
Croatia	9.46	21.17
Cuba	0.23	0.09

Cyprus	7.74	5.75
Czech Rep.	4.41	5.46
Denmark	2.28	3.21
Djibouti	0.44	1.24
Dominica	0.01	0.00
Dominican Republic	1.70	2.13
Ecuador	1.23	2.18
Egypt	68.47	65.58
El Salvador	1.84	1.76
Eritrea	0.07	0.08
Estonia	1.05	0.16
Ethiopia	2.60	3.52
Fiji	0.05	0.06
Finland	1.90	1.36
Fr Polynesia	0.01	0.01
France	54.87	60.66
Gabon	0.01	0.08
Gambia	0.00	0.00
Georgia	0.18	0.41
Germany	59.00	70.17
Ghana	12.53	11.32
Greece	25.90	13.36
Grenada	0.02	0.00
Guam	0.03	0.01
Guatemala	3.40	3.88
Guinea	0.01	0.18
Guinea Bissau	0.00	0.00
Guyana	0.02	0.05
Haiti	0.02	0.03
Honduras	0.46	0.36
Hong Kong	4.98	3.77
Hungary	8.29	8.07
Iceland	1.65	2.54
Indonesia	55.75	51.25
Iran	4.94	3.59
Iraq	8.16	8.69
Ireland	25.34	33.23
Israel	8.04	9.21
Italy	65.23	50.68
Jamaica	0.09	0.13
Japan	55.54	58.69
Jordan	18.62	17.49
Kazakhstan	1.06	0.50
Kenya	24.80	27.55
Korea Republic (South)	67.52	52.87
Kuwait	0.68	1.09
Kyrgyzstan	0.94	3.48
Laos	0.55	1.47
Latvia	0.47	0.27
Lebanon	9.32	7.16

Liberia	0.07	0.14
Libya	0.00	0.06
Liechtenstein	0.00	0.00
Lithuania	1.64	1.76
Luxembourg	0.00	0.00
Macao	0.22	0.01
Macedonia	5.55	4.85
Madagascar	0.17	0.18
Malawi	0.52	0.29
Malaysia	15.71	14.10
Maldives	0.00	0.00
Mali	0.03	0.01
Malta	3.88	6.97
Mauritania	0.00	0.00
Mauritius	0.09	0.07
Mexico	52.66	39.73
Micronesia	0.00	0.00
Moldova	0.14	0.17
Mongolia	0.01	0.00
Morocco	6.99	7.22
Mozambique	6.46	4.88
Myanmar	2.80	2.19
Namibia	0.02	0.00
Nepal	15.62	13.13
Netherlands	62.80	86.52
Netherlands Antilles	0.00	0.00
New Zealand	1.98	0.48
Nicaragua	0.53	0.52
Niger	0.01	0.02
Nigeria	24.13	25.47
Norway	0.56	4.56
Oman	3.82	5.65
Pakistan	29.90	14.47
Palau	0.00	0.00
Panama Republic	0.36	0.34
Papua New Guinea	0.02	0.00
Paraguay	2.24	6.23
Peru	4.69	4.15
Philippines	10.50	8.65
POLAND	21.35	26.99
Portugal	11.28	10.87
Puerto Rico	4.38	8.03
Qatar	0.13	0.20
Romania	7.28	7.10
Russia	61.44	52.02
Rwanda	0.01	0.08
Saudi Arabia	19.87	19.85
Senegal	0.55	1.40
Serbia	5.91	3.35
Seychelles	0.00	0.00

Sierra Leone	0.13	0.25
Singapore	30.96	18.34
Slovak Rep	0.58	1.37
Slovenia	2.62	5.14
Somalia	0.04	0.02
South Africa	17.12	8.62
South Sudan	0.01	0.00
Spain	61.28	59.88
Sri Lanka	8.70	8.72
St Kitt N A	0.00	0.00
St Lucia	0.00	0.00
Sudan	0.02	0.46
Suriname	0.01	0.05
Swaziland	1.71	3.44
SWEDEN	0.06	2.46
Switzerland	54.12	24.18
Syria	0.87	1.28
Taiwan	16.24	19.03
Tajikistan	0.03	0.05
Tanzania	9.47	11.80
Thailand	29.44	34.26
Timor-Leste	0.00	0.00
Togo	2.60	1.75
Trinidad and Tobago	0.00	0.00
Tunisia	4.35	3.39
Turkey	56.84	64.35
Turkmenistan	0.01	0.60
U S A	188.99	260.69
Uganda	3.13	3.76
Ukraine	0.61	0.55
United Arab Emirates	67.32	50.75
United Kingdom	34.15	35.71
UNSPECIFIED	0.70	157.60
Uruguay	3.07	5.96
Uzbekistan	0.87	1.40
Vanuatu	0.00	0.00
Venezuela	0.92	1.77
Vietnam Soc Rep	47.51	41.33
VIRGIN IS US	0.00	0.01
Yemen Republic	1.82	1.24
Zambia	1.18	0.31
Zimbabwe	0.32	0.84
Grand Total	2138.67	2293.94

HS code0-wise Exports of Bulk Drugs & Drug Intermediates April-

Value in \$ Mn					
HS codes	Description	Sep-24	Sep 2025	2024-25	2025-26
17023010	Glucose liquid	3.258	3.178	26.221	26.025
17023020	Glucose solid	0.927	0.495	5.628	3.513
17023031	Dextrose,solid	1.452	0.730	8.302	9.201
17023039	Dextrose other than solid	0.003	0.023	0.211	0.194
17024039	Dextrose other than solid	0.001	0.003	0.079	0.050
29051410	Ethambutol, ethambutol hcl	1.313	0.471	4.362	2.502
29051420	Salbutamol sulphate	0.901	1.036	5.762	5.405
29054300	Mannitol	0.290	1.187	2.503	3.869
29054400	D-glucitol (sorbitol)	4.868	5.188	30.088	32.803
29071930	Thymol	0.558	0.488	4.342	3.244
29072200	Hydroquinone	0.709	1.118	4.538	6.264
29095010	Guaiacol	0.071	0.261	0.888	1.234
29124920	Heliotropin (piperonyl aldehyde)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29124940	3,4,5-trimethoxy-benzaldehyde	0.251	0.000	1.091	0.943
29154010	Monochloroacetic acide their salts and esters	1.272	0.646	6.476	6.258
29163120	Benzyl Benzoate	0.624	0.192	2.678	1.772
29163150	Benzocaine (ethylpara-amino benzoate)	0.024	0.422	1.079	1.870
29163400	Phenyl acetic acid	0.110	0.016	0.590	0.662
29171940	Ferrous fumerate	0.850	0.547	3.974	3.832
29171970	Ethoxy methylene malonate, diethyl malonate	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.164
29181120	Calcium lactate	0.036	0.003	0.108	0.053
29181320	Metroprolol tartrate	1.002	0.979	5.021	5.039
29181510	Potassium citrate	0.126	0.134	1.590	1.382
29181520	Sodium citrate	0.705	0.785	4.899	6.415
29181550	Ferric ammonium citrate	0.061	0.203	0.323	0.656
29181610	Calcium gluconate	0.182	0.406	3.096	2.703
29181620	Ferrous gluconate	0.214	0.044	0.659	0.302
29182110	Salicylic acid	0.300	0.324	1.372	1.726
29182120	Sodium salicylate	0.192	0.158	1.502	1.010
29182200	O-acetylsalicylic acid its salts and estrs	0.208	0.080	0.824	0.730
29182310	Methyl salicylate	0.499	0.632	3.882	4.227
29182320	Amino salicylate	0.052	0.124	0.297	0.346
29183030	Nalidixic acid	0.014	0.091	0.657	0.525
29199010	Glycerophosphoric acid	0.001	0.000	0.018	0.000
29199030	Iron glycerophosphate	0.021	0.000	0.037	0.006
29214600	amfetamine INN and its related apis	0.361	2.222	10.759	35.921
29215110	o phenylenediamine	0.102	0.000	0.477	0.582
29215120	M-phenylenediamine (m-di aminobenzene)	1.693	1.107	3.580	14.405
29215130	P-phenylenediamine	1.140	0.500	6.491	3.965
29215170	Para amini acetanalide	0.095	0.034	0.135	0.253
29223100	Amfepra none(inn), methdone & mormethadonesalts	0.048	0.216	0.159	0.629

29224100	Lysine and its esters salts thereof	0.128	0.539	0.844	1.751
29224210	Glutamic acid	0.056	0.052	0.116	0.168
29224220	Monosodium glutamate (aginamoto)	0.037	0.047	0.350	0.303
29224910	Amino acetic acid (glycine)	2.529	1.010	10.885	7.927
29224920	N-methyl taurine	0.002	0.000	0.017	0.034
29225013	Procaine hydrochloride	0.002	0.038	0.035	0.086
29225015	L-tyrosine(p-hydroxyphenylamine)	0.000	0.000	0.008	0.001
29225021	Frusemide	2.138	1.467	9.857	9.109
29225024	D0mperid0ne	0.455	0.452	4.298	3.654
29231000	Choline and its salts	1.455	0.532	5.355	3.853
29241100	Meprobamate (inn)	0.065	0.000	2.434	0.355
29242910	Acetanilide	0.000	0.015	0.123	0.080
29242960	Pyrazinamide(pyrazine carboxamide)	0.812	0.329	2.932	1.927
29242970	Pretilachlor	0.009	1.101	0.033	7.570
29242980	Paracetamol	0.000	6.620	37.308	40.560
29262000	1-Cyanoguanidine (dicyandiamide)	0.000	0.094	0.002	0.099
29263000	Fenproporex (inn) & its salts	0.000	0.000	0.037	0.000
29264000	Alpha-phenylacetoacetonitrile	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.007
29280010	Isoniazid	0.100	0.025	0.548	0.532
29309014	Industrial chemical	0.000	0.559	0.000	3.002
29309040	L-cystine (alpha-amino beta-thiopropionic acid)	0.270	0.000	1.264	0.000
29322010	Coumarin,mthylcoumrn & ehylcoumrn-lactones	0.822	0.907	5.093	5.761
29331100	Phenazone (antipyrin) and its derivatives	0.793	0.659	5.318	4.808
29331910	3-carboxy (para sulpho-phenyl)-5-pyrazolone	0.158	0.075	1.070	1.034
29331920	1 (2,5- dichloro-4-sulpho phenyl)-3-methyl 5 Pyrazolone	0.096	0.071	0.485	0.464
29331930	3-methyl-1(4-sulpho-O-toluy1-5-pyrazolone)	0.033	0.003	0.535	0.082
29331940	Phenylmethylpyrazolone	0.000	0.004	0.011	0.024
29331950	1-phenyl-5-pyrazolone-3-carboxylic acid	0.000	0.000	0.019	0.000
29331960	1-(m-sulphophenyl)-3-pyrazolone	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.059
29332910	Tinidazole	0.157	0.409	1.651	1.982
29332920	Metronidazole metronidazole benzoate	1.648	1.335	7.705	8.906
29332930	Mebendazole	0.334	0.608	2.596	3.838
29332940	Dimetridazole	0.274	0.265	4.267	1.915
29334100	Levorphanol (inn) and its salts	0.394	0.000	0.815	0.000
29334110	Levorphanol (inn) and its salts	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.657
29334190	Other Containing structure of quinoline or iso quinoline ring halogenated or non halogentated and not further fused	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.734
29335200	Malonylurea (barbituric acid) & its sals	0.025	0.196	0.126	0.589

29335300	Allobarbitol and othr barbitol compnds andits salts	0.318	0.083	2.306	1.365
29335400	Other derivatives of malonylurea (barbituric acid), salts thereof	0.157	0.044	0.913	0.450
29335910	Aminophylline(cordophylin)	0.100	0.015	0.404	0.160
29335920	Trimethoprim	1.137	0.729	6.402	6.681
29335930	Diethyl carbanazine citrate	0.005	0.141	0.150	0.183
29335940	1-Amino-4-Methyl piperazine	0.160	0.489	1.781	2.827
29335950	Bispiribac Sodium(Herbicide)	0.147	1.501	0.147	5.240
29339100	Alpra zolam, camazepam & other cmpnds of zepam, salts thereof	2.297	0.969	10.256	9.852
29339200	Azinphos-methyl (ISO)	0.000	0.159	0.017	0.192
29349100	Aminorex, brotizolam and other like cmpnds, salts thereof	0.115	0.413	3.783	8.701
29349200	Fentanyl	0.000	0.000	0.061	0.543
29349910	Chloro Thiophene-2-Carboxylic Acid	0.000	0.000	0.044	0.038
29349990	Other Hetrocyclic compounds	60.540	61.977	273.275	365.936
29351000	N-Methylperfluorooctane sulphonamide	0.000	0.000	0.045	0.269
29352000	N-Ethylperfluorooctane sulphonamide	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.041
29355090	Other Perfluro Octane Suphonomides	0.285	0.153	0.932	0.901
29359011	Sulphamethoxazole	3.453	1.694	17.276	15.164
29359012	Sulphafurazole	0.000	0.002	0.006	0.002
29359013	Sulphadiazine	0.517	0.823	2.606	3.311
29359014	Sulphadimidine	0.013	0.000	0.048	0.018
29359015	Sulphacetamide	0.000	0.001	0.005	0.001
29359022	Sulphamethiazole	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.836
29359040	Pyrazosuluron ethyl(Pesticide)	0.000	3.802	0.000	3.885
29362100	Vitamins a and their derivatives	0.859	1.225	12.108	10.689
29362210	Vitamin b1i(thiamine, aneurine) & its salt	1.065	0.658	4.955	4.667
29362290	Other vitamin b1i and its drivatives	0.776	2.307	9.644	7.708
29362310	Vitamin b2 (riboflavin, lactoplavin) and its salts	0.587	1.450	5.561	6.329
29362390	Other vitamin b2 and its derivatives	0.000	0.083	0.131	0.085
29362400	D-or dl-pantothenic acid (vitamin b3 or vitamin b5) and its derivatives	0.073	0.034	0.375	0.186
29362500	Vitamin b6 & its drvts	0.014	0.085	0.079	0.557
29362610	Vitamin b12 (cynocobalamin)	0.066	0.278	0.414	0.918
29362690	Other vitamin b12 and its derivatives	0.256	0.291	1.707	6.294
29362700	Vitamin c (ascorbic acid) & its drvtvs	0.794	1.606	5.291	6.759
29362800	Vitamin e and its derivatives	1.648	2.461	9.925	12.432
29362910	Folic acid (vitamin b9)	0.786	0.548	3.099	3.205
29362920	Nctnc acid & nctnmd(niacinamide/niacine)	7.356	5.790	43.021	38.398
29362930	Vitamin k (menaphthonum b.p.)	0.014	0.026	0.876	5.402
29362940	Vitamin d	2.847	2.460	9.240	14.791
29362950	Vitamin h (biOlin)	0.034	0.007	0.344	0.137
29362990	Other vitamins and thr drvtvs	1.364	1.643	8.553	9.174

29369000	Other, incl. natural concentrts	4.353	5.501	19.375	28.789
29371100	Somatotropin, its drvtvs& strctl analogves	0.000	0.000	0.113	0.067
29371200	Insulin and its salts	5.977	6.524	23.508	22.238
29371900	Other polypeptide hormones thr dtvtvs & strctl anlges	3.795	5.635	14.532	20.272
29372100	Cortisone,hydrocortisone,prednisone (dehy-drocortisone)and frednisolone and prdnl(dehydrohydrocortisone)	1.308	1.407	6.515	6.447
29372200	Halgntd drvtvs of corti costeroidal	4.534	3.803	18.709	16.025
29372300	Oestrogens and progestogens	3.169	3.663	12.812	11.428
29372900	Othr steroidal hormons thr drvtvs and strctl anlges	9.591	12.531	57.029	57.832
29375000	Prostaglandins, tiromboxames& leukotrienes thr drvtvs & strclt anlges	0.197	0.165	0.749	0.530
29379019	Other Catecholamine hormones, their derivatives and structural analogues	0.015	0.065	0.814	0.295
29379020	Amino acide Derivatives	2.779	0.530	11.000	7.847
29379090	Other Amino acide Derivatives	0.888	1.079	13.027	10.383
29381000	Rutoside (rutin) and its derivatives	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.001
29389010	Digoxin	0.047	0.357	1.118	0.753
29389090	Other glycosides ntrl/rprdcd by synthsis &thr slts ethrs drvtvs	2.962	6.977	22.665	37.043
29391100	Concentrates of poppy straw cmpnds of morphin, codeine, codone, the baine, salts thereof	0.012	0.000	0.016	0.132
29392010	Quinine alkaloids	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29392020	Quinine hydrochloride	0.301	0.099	1.217	1.886
29392030	Quinine sulphate	0.077	0.045	0.621	0.243
29392040	ChlOrQuine phOsphate	0.126	0.186	0.708	0.906
29393000	Caffeine and its salts	5.182	7.243	26.747	35.557
29394100	Ephedrine & its salts	0.181	0.072	1.086	1.364
29394400	Norephedrine and its salts	0.640	0.130	1.027	0.916
29394900	Other ephedrives and thr salts	0.221	0.269	1.188	1.039
29395900	Other theophylline and aminophylline thr drvtvs, salts	2.911	4.392	18.446	22.540
29396900	Other alkaloids of rye ergot & drvtvs	0.033	0.189	1.304	0.787
29397900	Other of Vegitable origin	9.518	10.595	57.878	81.499
29398000	Non Vegetable Alkaloids	0.329	0.775	7.202	5.828
29411010	Penicillins and its salts	0.000	0.013	0.015	0.084
29411020	Ampicilline & its salts	1.624	1.542	13.652	11.775
29411030	Amoxycilline & its salts	19.721	15.573	92.471	79.225
29411040	Cloxacilline & its salts	1.163	1.406	10.961	10.115
29411090	Other penicillins & thr drvtvs with a pentcillianic acid strctr slts thereof	11.138	3.800	41.162	40.494
29412010	Streptomycins	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.032
29412090	Other streptomycine & drvtvs, salts	0.001	0.004	0.009	0.207
29413010	Doxycylime & its salts	0.003	0.018	0.376	0.422

29413020	Tetracycline/oxytetra - cycline & hr salts	0.179	0.105	1.482	0.484
29413090	Other tetracyclines & thr drvtvs slts	0.173	0.164	0.209	0.225
29414000	Chloramphenicol & its drvtvs slts thereof	0.095	0.044	1.225	1.011
29415000	Erthromycin & its drvtvs slts thereof	8.398	7.343	52.244	46.954
29419011	Rifampicin	0.372	0.762	4.816	7.478
29419014	1-Amino-4-Methyl piperazine (Rifaint)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29419019	Other rifampicin and its salts	0.294	0.358	4.746	2.564
29419020	Cephalexin & its salts	1.071	0.593	6.590	3.111
29419030	Ciprofloxacin & its salts	1.790	2.668	9.906	11.356
29419040	Gentamycin & its salts	0.001	0.001	0.028	0.002
29419050	Neomycin	0.007	0.002	0.009	0.062
29419060	Norfloxacin & its salts	0.001	0.155	0.748	1.237
29419070	Other antibiotics	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002
29419090	Other antibiotics	52.590	45.410	280.593	214.097
29420011	Cefadroxil	2.676	0.024	10.997	11.488
29420012	Ibuprofane	5.303	6.152	36.822	34.515
29420013	Nifedipine	0.244	0.102	0.939	1.489
29420014	Ranitidine	1.188	0.936	4.311	3.855
29420016	Timolo maleate, terbutoline sulphate, imipramine HCl, amitryptiline, Atenolol, Propanolol	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.022
29420021	Timolol maleate	0.214	0.164	2.771	2.361
29420022	Terbutoline sulphate	0.221	0.050	0.632	0.601
29420024	Imipramine hcl	0.076	0.125	0.262	0.414
29420025	Amitryptiline hcl	0.497	0.740	2.877	2.616
29420027	Atenolol, propranalol	1.434	0.802	5.893	5.768
29420031	Diloxanide furoate	0.039	0.493	1.261	1.562
29420033	Oxyclozanide	0.576	0.973	3.042	4.396
29420034	Famotidine	1.179	1.304	6.458	7.029
29420090	Other diloxanide furoate, cimetidine, famotidine nes	98.239	95.198	524.650	537.506
90189097	Surgical appliances	0.014	0.012	0.080	0.116
29329300	3 -Carboxy(Para sulpho- phenyl)-5- Pyrazololne	0.000	0.000	0.081	0.000
29329600	Carbofuran	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
29349930	Pramoxine	0.004	0.003	0.004	6.331
29355010	Flubendiamide(insecticide)	0.004	0.000	0.004	0.000
29373100	Epinethrine	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29394500	Levo Methaphatamine	0.075	0.000	0.075	0.000
29396110	Ergometrine	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29396190	Other ergometrine salts	0.004	0.000	0.004	0.000
29411050	6 - apa	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29419012	3 Formyl Rifa S V(Rifaint)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29419013	Rifa S or Rifa S Sodium (Rifaint)	0.000	0.000	0.201	0.000
29420026	Cysteanune hcl	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29420032	Cimetidine	0.001	0.003	0.001	0.035
Grand Total		394.864	397.904	2138.673	2293.937

**Country-wise Imports of Bulk Drugs & Intermediates
April-Sept 2025 \$ mn**

Country	April - Sep 2024	April - Sep 2025
Angola	0.02	0.00
Argentina	3.02	0.17
AUSTRALIA	5.64	0.11
Austria	14.99	12.42
Bangladesh	0.01	0.35
Belgium	23.62	20.19
Brazil	1.23	1.15
Bulgaria	1.45	3.09
Cambodia	0.00	0.14
Canada	0.12	0.77
Chile	1.05	0.16
CHINA	1597.60	1533.86
Colombia	0.59	0.56
Costa Rica	0.05	0.00
Croatia	0.39	0.64
Czech Rep.	5.54	5.70
Denmark	11.41	18.63
Egypt	0.20	0.20
Estonia	0.47	0.00
Finland	0.16	0.78
France	20.46	16.10
Germany	36.23	60.07
Greece	1.07	1.23
Guatemala	0.02	0.00
Honduras	0.00	0.02
Hong Kong	10.51	10.61
Hungary	8.42	5.94
Indonesia	9.96	7.88
Iran	0.00	0.00
Ireland	0.73	0.51
Israel	2.74	5.80
Italy	62.45	56.42
Japan	16.61	10.85
Jordan	0.33	0.07
Kenya	0.05	0.00
Korea Republic (South)	11.10	8.01
Kuwait	0.00	0.00
Latvia	0.12	0.18
Lebanon	0.01	0.00
Lithuania	0.01	0.18
Macao	0.96	2.61
Macedonia	0.27	0.00
Madagascar	0.64	0.94
Malaysia	6.34	13.02
Malta	3.10	3.01

Mexico	13.50	22.64
Morocco	0.12	0.20
Nepal	0.01	0.00
Netherlands	34.29	27.18
New Zealand	0.00	0.00
Nigeria	0.00	0.17
Norway	0.00	0.00
Pakistan	0.01	0.01
Paraguay	0.02	0.00
Peru	0.09	0.00
POLAND	0.82	0.65
Portugal	1.71	2.72
Puerto Rico	0.00	0.00
Qatar	0.00	0.08
Romania	1.66	1.27
Russia	0.53	0.15
Saudi Arabia	0.04	0.02
Seychelles	0.12	0.00
Singapore	13.25	11.18
Slovak Rep	1.05	0.73
Slovenia	17.50	23.61
South Africa	0.04	0.00
Spain	40.20	42.71
Sri Lanka	0.00	0.32
Swaziland	0.00	0.00
SWEDEN	0.51	0.22
Switzerland	25.25	40.05
Taiwan	16.51	16.44
Thailand	3.03	4.39
Turkey	0.54	0.12
Ukraine	0.02	0.52
United Arab Emirates	10.68	3.75
United Kingdom	16.01	19.69
UNSPECIFIED	0.56	0.49
Uruguay	0.00	0.02
Uzbekistan	0.00	0.03
Vietnam Soc Rep	4.19	6.61
U S A	47.48	35.17
	2109.44	2063.53

HS Code-wise Imports of Bulk Drugs & Intermediates April-Sep 2025

HS codes	Description	Value in Mn \$			
		Sep 2024	Sep 2025	2024-25	2025-26
17023010	Glucose liquid	0.000	0.009	0.034	0.089
17023020	Glucose solid	0.030	0.022	0.441	0.487
17023031	Dextrose,solid	0.033	0.045	0.255	0.398
17023039	Dextrose other than solid	0.146	0.078	0.486	0.541
17024039	Dextrose other than solid	0.000	0.001	0.000	0.132
29051410	Ethambutol, ethambutol hcl	0.106	0.073	1.865	2.126
29051420	Salbutamol sulphate	0.024	0.031	0.154	0.206
29054300	Mannitol	5.006	4.416	24.762	29.991
29054400	D-glucitol (sorbitol)	1.248	0.951	5.689	5.449
29071930	Thymol	0.008	0.014	0.053	0.063
29072200	Hydroquinone	1.887	3.207	16.445	18.081
29095010	Guaiacol	0.259	0.442	0.550	1.539
29124940	3,4,5-trimethoxy-benzaldehyde	0.094	0.000	0.271	0.290
29154010	Monochloroacetic acide their salts and esters	0.142	0.449	1.377	0.794
29163120	Benzyl Benzoate	0.108	0.069	0.264	0.567
29163150	Benzocaine (ethylpara-amino benzoate)	0.000	0.010	0.001	0.055
29163400	Phenyl acetic acid	0.848	1.496	2.572	1.496
29171940	Ferrous fumerate	0.000	0.000	0.027	0.040
29171970	Ethoxy methylene malonate, diethyl malonate	1.637	0.621	10.366	7.397
29181120	Calcium lactate	0.056	0.022	0.248	0.184
29181320	Metroprolol tartrate	0.000	0.217	0.214	1.322
29181510	Potassium citrate	0.107	0.004	1.016	0.595
29181520	Sodium citrate	0.079	0.276	1.015	2.066
29181610	Calcium gluconate	0.750	0.401	4.666	3.857
29181620	Ferrous gluconate	0.000	0.008	0.000	0.023
29182110	Salicylic acid	1.945	1.469	14.222	10.357
29182120	Sodium salicylate	0.000	0.002	0.032	0.064
29182200	O-acetylsalicylic acid its salts and estrs	0.072	0.000	0.207	0.371
29182310	Methyl salicylate	0.065	0.066	0.606	0.497
29182320	Amino salicylate	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29183030	Nalidixic acid	0.000	0.077	0.560	0.320
29199010	Glycerophosphoric acid	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000
29214600	amfetamine INN and its related apis	0.003	0.055	0.238	0.139
29215110	o phenylanediaamine	1.486	0.935	9.302	7.087
29215120	M-phenylenediaamine (m-di aminobenzene)	0.381	0.319	2.000	1.946
29215130	P-phenylenediaamine	0.164	0.544	2.794	2.583
29224100	Lysine and its esters salts thereof	7.523	9.195	65.173	57.257
29224210	Glutamic acid	0.000	0.000	0.010	0.031
29224220	Monosodium glutamate (aginamoto)	6.157	4.574	33.622	30.692

29224910	Amino acetic acid (glycine)	2.387	1.441	12.610	8.969
29224920	N-methyl taurine	0.366	0.533	0.670	2.424
29331940	Phenylmethylpyrazolone	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.006
29331950	1-phenyl-5-pyrazolone-3-carboxylic acid	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.286
29331960	1-(m-sulphophenyl)-3-pyrazolone	0.000	0.000	0.107	0.338
29331970	Analgin	0.523	0.158	1.812	1.180
29331980	Oxyphenbutazone	0.000	0.000	0.013	0.151
29332910	Tinidazole	0.026	0.093	0.046	0.226
29332920	Metronidazole metronidazole benzoate	0.918	0.061	6.064	4.672
29332930	Mebendazole	0.000	0.000	0.118	0.002
29332940	Dimetridazole	0.072	0.000	0.116	0.000
29334190	Other Containing structure of quinoline or iso quinoline ring halogenated or non halogenated and not further fused	0.000	0.029	0.000	0.029
29335200	Malonylurea (barbituric acid) & its salts	0.591	0.386	2.730	3.211
29335300	Allobarbitol and other barbitol compounds and its salts	0.001	0.000	0.004	0.037
29335400	Other derivatives of malonylurea (barbituric acid), salts thereof	0.000	0.199	0.003	0.625
29335500	Loprazolam, mecloqualone, methaqualone, ziperol, salts thereof	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29335910	Aminophylline (cordophyllin)	0.000	0.000	0.367	0.107
29335920	Trimethoprim	0.025	0.018	0.094	0.216
29335940	1-Amino-4-Methyl piperazine	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.019
29335950	Bispiribac Sodium (Herbicide)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.010
29339100	Alprazolam, clonazepam & other compounds of zepam, salts thereof	0.017	0.008	1.155	0.985
29339200	Azinphos-methyl (ISO)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29349100	Aminorex, brotizolam and other like compounds, salts thereof	0.000	0.000	0.023	0.000
29349200	Fentanyl	0.085	0.077	0.444	0.260
29349910	Chloro Thiophene-2-Carboxylic Acid	0.034	0.069	0.111	0.460
29349930	Pramoxine	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.002
29349990	Other Heterocyclic compounds	45.896	55.033	360.073	324.310
29351000	N-Methylperfluorooctane sulphonamide	0.000	0.000	0.022	0.000
29355090	Other Perfluoro Octane Sulphonamides	0.006	0.018	0.015	0.786
29359011	Sulphamethoxazole	0.000	0.000	0.025	0.018
29359013	Sulphadiazine	0.074	0.054	0.324	0.490
29359014	Sulphadimidine	0.176	0.000	1.011	0.979
29359023	Sulphamoxole	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
29359040	Pyrazosuluron ethyl (Pesticide)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.404
29362100	Vitamins A and their derivatives	0.801	2.724	6.611	8.804

29362210	Vitamin b1i(thiamine, aneurine) & its salt	2.308	1.228	7.295	12.679
29362290	Other vitamin b1i and its drivatives	0.118	0.109	1.642	1.431
29362310	Vitamin b2 (riboflavin, lactoplavin) and its salts	1.151	0.778	6.951	4.296
29362390	Other vitamin b2 and its derivatives	0.343	0.002	3.105	1.752
29362400	D-or dl-pantothenic acid (vitamin b3 or vitamin b5) and its derivatives	0.595	0.799	4.525	4.688
29362500	Vitamin b6 & its drvts	0.863	0.573	6.933	6.460
29362610	Vitamin b12 (cynocobalamin)	1.579	2.563	13.069	17.520
29362690	Other vitamin b12 and its derivatives	0.086	0.621	0.754	2.220
29362700	Vitamin c (ascorbic acid) & its drvtvs	1.832	1.434	7.619	14.206
29362800	Vitamin e and its derivatives	3.339	3.553	22.328	30.232
29362910	Folic acid (vitamin b9)	0.034	0.498	1.439	3.297
29362920	Nctnc acid & nctnmd(niacinamide/niacine	0.397	0.168	1.037	0.496
29362930	Vitamin k (menaphthonum b.p.)	0.362	0.288	1.254	1.149
29362940	Vitamin d	0.299	1.014	5.934	7.953
29362950	Vitamin h (bi0lin)	0.059	0.190	0.650	0.877
29362990	Other vitamins and thr drvtvs	1.847	1.712	10.179	6.577
29369000	Other, incl. natural concentrts	0.077	0.104	0.491	1.171
29371100	Somatotropin, its drvtvs& strctl analogves	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.003
29371200	Insulin and its salts	1.518	6.378	17.489	29.827
29371900	Other polypeptide hormones thr dtvtvs & strctl anlges	0.926	3.437	19.203	35.645
29372100	Cortisone,hydrocortisone,prednisone (dehy-drocortisone)and frednisolone and prdnlsl(dehydrohydrocortisone)	2.016	2.177	22.644	18.209
29372200	Halgntd drvtvs of corti costeroidal	2.718	2.427	12.735	14.215
29372300	Oestrogens and progestogens	3.457	1.981	29.159	27.590
29372900	Othr steroidal hormons thr drvtvs and strctl anlges	7.861	9.460	52.947	52.292
29373100	Epinethrine	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001
29375000	Prostaglandins, tiromboxames& leukotrienesthr drvtvs & strctl anlges	0.555	0.110	3.577	1.002
29379011	Epinethrine	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.003
29379019	Other Catecholamine hormones, their derivatives and structural analogues	0.547	0.695	3.012	2.100
29379020	Amino acide Derivatives	0.556	0.937	6.075	4.563
29379090	Other Amino acide Derivatives	5.019	5.514	29.904	33.033
29381000	Rutoside (rutin) and its derivatives	0.675	0.516	3.163	2.961
29389010	Digoxin	0.000	0.112	0.023	0.112
29389020	Digitalis glycosides	0.000	0.000	0.086	0.000
29389090	Other glycosides ntrl/rprdcd by synthsis &thr slts ethrs drvtvs	3.868	5.836	36.972	32.690

29391100	Concentrates of poppy straw cmpnds of morphin, codeine, codone, the baine, salts thereof	3.862	0.013	9.393	1.485
29392010	Quinine alkaloids	0.037	0.066	0.355	0.452
29392020	Quinine hydrochloride	0.000	0.000	0.004	0.000
29392030	Quinine sulphate	0.119	0.000	0.247	0.198
29393000	Caffeine and its salts	2.269	2.148	11.016	18.279
29394100	Ephedrine & its salts	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.089
29394300	Cathine(INN) & its salts	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002
29394400	Norephedrine and its salts	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.015
29394500	Levo Methaphatamine	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.000
29394900	Other ephedrives and thr salts	0.000	0.133	0.387	0.526
29395900	Other theophylline and aminophylline thr drvtvs, salts	0.294	0.182	1.510	2.920
29396190	Other ergometrine salts	0.000	0.000	0.096	0.025
29396210	Ergotamine tartarate	0.000	0.000	0.364	0.000
29396290	Other ergotamine salts	0.000	0.000	0.036	0.000
29396900	Other alkaloids of rye ergot & drvtvs	0.705	0.422	1.999	1.315
29397200	Cocaine, ecgonine, levometamfetamin, metamfetamine (INN), metamfetamine racemate; salts, esters and other derivatives thereof	0.000	0.001	0.090	0.001
29397900	Other of Vegitable origin	0.084	0.179	1.494	4.880
29398000	Non Vegetable Alkaloids	0.415	0.245	6.170	1.517
29411010	Penicillins and its salts	13.606	18.255	96.725	60.034
29411020	Ampicilline & its salts	0.023	0.022	0.302	0.042
29411030	Amoxycilline & its salts	4.165	3.809	24.892	19.061
29411040	Cloxacilline & its salts	0.000	0.000	0.402	0.394
29411050	6 - apa	39.769	18.872	217.508	173.529
29411090	Other penicillins & thr drvtvs with a pentcillianic acid strctr slts thereof	4.605	9.088	42.325	44.767
29412010	Streptomycins	0.498	0.295	2.374	2.485
29412090	Other streptomycine & drvtvs, salts	0.323	0.047	1.254	0.872
29413010	Doxycylime & its salts	1.187	1.530	9.214	13.727
29413020	Tetracycline/oxytetra - cycline & hr salts	0.725	0.747	5.352	5.737
29413090	Other tetracyclines & thr drvtvs slts	1.236	1.292	10.831	11.531
29414000	Chloramphenicol & its drvtvs slts thereof	0.407	0.056	1.434	0.226
29415000	Erthromycin & its drvtvs slts thereof	11.503	14.912	81.377	94.886
29419011	Rifampicin	3.695	2.738	18.352	32.881
29419013	Rifa S or Rifa S Sodium (Rifaint)	0.863	1.704	5.699	18.725
29419014	1-Amino-4-Methyl piperazine (Rifaint)	0.000	0.000	0.076	0.000
29419019	Other rifampicin and its salts	3.070	5.399	26.573	31.156
29419020	Cephalexin & its salts	4.853	2.336	19.093	14.236
29419030	Ciprofloxacin & its salts	0.905	0.870	5.477	3.076
29419040	Gentamycin & its salts	0.220	0.688	4.230	3.123
29419050	Neomycin	0.479	0.495	1.559	1.917

29419060	Norfloxacin & its salts	1.608	0.000	6.971	2.657
29419090	Other antibiotics	59.150	64.436	377.243	389.763
29420011	Cefadroxil	0.422	0.559	1.395	0.622
29420012	Ibuprofane	0.020	0.713	1.626	4.514
29420013	Nifedipine	0.000	0.000	0.010	0.000
29420014	Ranitidine	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.189
29420015	Danes salt of D(-) phenyl glycine	0.846	1.350	9.138	8.760
29420016	Timolo maleate, terbutoline sulphate, imipramine HCl, amitryptiline, Atenolol, Propanolol	1.459	1.631	13.390	7.148
29420021	Timolol maleate	0.000	0.000	0.155	0.136
29420022	Terbutoline sulphate	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.023
29420023	D(-) phenyl glycin chloride HCL (DPGCH)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.037
29420025	Amitryptiline hcl	0.000	0.000	0.029	0.000
29420026	Cysteanune hcl	0.124	0.293	1.324	1.845
29420027	Atenolol, propronalol	0.000	0.000	1.017	0.035
29420032	Cimetidine	0.074	0.003	0.337	0.189
29420034	Famotidine	0.000	0.049	0.182	0.227
29420090	Other diloxanide furoate, cimetidine, famotidine nes	26.877	23.599	157.981	162.327
90189097	Surgical appliances	0.027	0.392	2.111	0.570
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