From: Jacobs, Abigail (Abby) C
To: Babich, Michael
Subject: RE: diethyl phthalate
Date: Friday, May 20, 2011 11:02:55 AM

It is total kg per day in the United States. The overall total number of prescriptions is 11,000,000. The number of affected persons is less but not known how much less.

I can give you the max amount per day of diethyl phthalate per person for each drug.

The amount of diethyl phthalate per unit dose varies across the drugs. The exact amount of diethyl phthalate per drug is proprietary.

From: Babich, Michael [mailto:MBabich@cpsc.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 20, 2011 10:39 AM
To: Jacobs, Abigail (Abby) C
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Abby,

I don't understand the table. This is total kg/d in the U.S.? Can you tell us the number of prescriptions and the dose?

Thanks,
Mike

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Hi Mike,

Attached is a table of diethyl phthalate exposure from pharmaceuticals. I hope this is something you can use for your exposure estimates.

If you want the information broken out some other way (that is releasable), please let me know. Also could you please send a more formal request to me and CDER/FDA for this information for our records.

Thanks,

Abby

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