

To whom it may concern

## Latex content in Roche Diabetes Care products

Dear Madam or Sir,

In Germany Latex is not considered a harmful substance, therefore we do not scrutinize all product ingredients on their latex content.

In Roche Diabetes Care all Accu-Chek Lancets and Lancing Devices, Accu-Chek Control Solutions and Accu-Chek Infusion-Sets are free of latex.

For all Accu-Chek Test Strips, the reactive pads on the test strips are free of latex.

For the Accu-Chek Blood Glucose Monitors and Accu-Chek Infusion Pumps and their System Components the outer surface of the instruments is also free of latex.

Some adhesive tapes which are used in strip manufacturing and packaging may contain adhesives on caoutchouc/rubber basis. If using the produsts according to the prescribed procedures and Instructions for Use the adhesives are not accessible by the user when using the product as intended.

Some parts inside the instrument may also contain caoutchouc/rubber based components. In case of proper use of the instrument the customer does not get into contact with these parts, either.

This statement accounts for the Roche Diabetes Care in-vitro diagnostic and medical device products (e.g. blood glucose meter, test strips, controls, infusion pumps, infusion sets and lancing devices and their packaging material) but does not include any accessories (e.g. bags, commercial gimmicks, etc.).

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