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## **Avantor® to Feature Global cGMP Supply Chain, Expanded Product Portfolio and Biopharma Expertise at CPhI India 2017**

*Booth exhibit and expert presentations to highlight Avantor's cGMP manufacturing capabilities, innovation expertise and broad product portfolio covering small molecule, biologics and laboratory products*

**Center Valley, PA (USA) – November 3, 2017** – [Avantor®](#) will highlight its distinctive global [cGMP manufacturing](#) capabilities and robust portfolio of innovative life sciences materials and solutions at [CPhI India 2017](#) on November 28-30 in Mumbai, India. The company will be exhibiting in Hall 1, booth J-35 at the Bombay Exhibition Centre (BEC). In addition, two Avantor experts will present on key industry topics about streamlining product launches, and new approaches to controlling variability in protein therapeutics.

At its exhibit, Avantor representatives will discuss the company's global cGMP production footprint, which includes cGMP manufacturing and packaging in [Panoli](#), India; three North American cGMP production centers; and enhanced cGMP capabilities in [Gliwice](#), Poland.

"Avantor is distinct because we have cGMP manufacturing capabilities in three continents," said Devashish Ohri, Executive Vice President, Asia Pacific. "Our facilities there all follow Avantor's global quality systems and capabilities for supply chain security, which enables us to collaborate with pharmaceutical manufacturers and develop custom solutions."

### **Broad Product Portfolio**

The booth exhibit will highlight the broad range of life sciences products Avantor offers in the region. These include functional excipients for pharmaceutical production, such as magnesium stearate and bioexcipients, as well as analytical laboratory products such as [J.T.Baker® brand HPLC solvents](#) and [chromatography columns, media and consumables](#).

Visitors can also learn about other products, including:

- [J.T.Baker® brand High-Purity Low Endotoxin \(HPLE\) sugars](#) manufactured using proprietary purification technology to achieve endotoxin levels that are below regulatory requirements. These products contain industry-leading low impurity levels, reducing the potential for adverse chemical reactions. The company recently ramped up HPLE sugar production at its Panoli cGMP facility.

- [J.T.Baker® brand Direct Dispense](#) packaging designed to deliver pre-weighed free-flowing salts, buffers and cell culture ingredients to help customers streamline biopharmaceutical production.
- [J.T.Baker® brand PanExcea™ performance excipients](#) and Macron Fine Chemicals™ brand IPTG reagents.

### **Expert Presentations on Process Improvements**

Two Avantor senior technical experts will also give presentations during the show, addressing key topics in pharmaceutical and biopharmaceutical process challenges:

- Ashish Kulkarni, Ph.D., Executive Vice President, Chief Technology Officer, will discuss the evolving role of materials suppliers, in his presentation “Expedite New Product Launches by Leveraging Material Suppliers to Implement QbD” on Tuesday, November 28<sup>th</sup>, from 10:15 to 10:45 a.m. at Hall 7A.
- Nandu Deorkar, Ph.D., Vice President, Research and Development, will give a presentation titled “Control Variability in Protein Therapeutics by Defining Trace Metal and Carbohydrate Composition in Process Development” on Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup>, from 10:15 to 10:45 a.m. at Hall 7A.

For more information on Avantor’s regional capabilities in India, visit [www2.avantorinc.com/CPhlIndia17PR](http://www2.avantorinc.com/CPhlIndia17PR).

### **About Avantor**

Avantor is a global supplier of ultra-high-purity materials for the life sciences and advanced technology sectors. The company provides performance materials and solutions for the production and research needs of approximately 7,900 customers across the biotechnology, pharmaceutical, medical device, diagnostics, aerospace & defense, and semiconductor industries.

Avantor’s product portfolio includes more than 30,000 products that meet increasingly stringent standards across technology driven and highly regulated markets. Avantor manufactures and markets its products around the world under several respected brand names. Avantor’s brands of performance chemistries include the J.T.Baker®, Macron Fine Chemicals™, Rankem™, BeneSphera™, Puritan Products™, and POCH™ brands. Avantor’s brands of advanced silicones include the NuSil™ and CareSil brands. For more information visit [www.AvantorInc.com](http://www.AvantorInc.com).

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