

The influence of excipients on pharmacotechnical parameters of paracetamol tablets

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Abstract. The great advantage of direct compression is the low manufacturing cost. It uses conventional equipment, commonly available excipients, and a limited number of process steps. In this paper we have performed a study to analyze the influence of the paracetamol properties (one of the most used analgesic-antithermic substance in high doses: 500 mg/tablet) and the excipients characteristics on the pharmacotechnical parameters of tablets obtained by direct compression.

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