



February 17, 2026

Subject: Detrex Non-Vegetable Origins Statement

To whom it may concern,

Detrex Chemicals hydrochloric acid products are made using a direct synthesis process using only high purity hydrogen, chlorine and DI water. The hydrochloric acid product from our process is chemically pure with very few trace contaminants or elemental impurities.

Hydrochloric acid products manufactured by Detrex contains no biological material. The precursor materials used by Detrex, to the best of our knowledge does not contain any items from biological or vegetable origins. All our products are processed, stored, and packaged in a closed system that uses no vegetable-based grease or lubricants. Our products are not derived from vegetable origins, and to the best of our knowledge contain no products or byproducts of vegetable origin.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Morgan". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looped "D" and a trailing flourish.

Dave Morgan
Global Product Manager, Hydrochloric Acid
Detrex Chemicals