



February 17, 2026

Subject: Detrex Synthetic Latex Statement

To whom it may concern,

Rather than being harvested from rubber trees, synthetic latex is produced from petrochemicals. Several types of synthetic latex exist but SBR (styrene-butadiene rubber) is the most common type of synthetic latex used in the production of synthetic latex foam. To the best of our knowledge synthetic latex is not a material used in the manufacture or packaging of Detrex Chemicals hydrochloric acid products.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Morgan".

Dave Morgan  
Global Product Manager, Hydrochloric Acid  
Detrex Chemicals