HMPC meeting report on European Union herbal monographs, guidelines and other activities
The 116th HMPC meeting, held on 18-20 March 2024

Revised European Union herbal monographs – final
The HMPC adopted after systematic review, revision and public consultation the following revised monograph:

- Revised EU herbal monograph on Rhodiola roseae rhizoma et radix

The final revised monograph together with supporting documents will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

Revised European Union herbal monographs – draft
The HMPC adopted after systematic review and revision the following draft revised monographs for 3-month public consultation until 15 July 2024:

- Revised EU herbal monograph on Eucalypti aetheroleum
- Revised EU herbal monograph on Pilosellae herba cum radice

The draft revised monographs together with supporting documents will be published on the European Medicines Agency's website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

European Union herbal monographs’ review
Upon recommendation from the Rapporteurs, the HMPC decided, after systematic review according to the procedure¹ EMA/HMPC/124695/2011 Rev. 3, that no revision is required for the following monographs because no new data were detected that could change the monographs’ content:

- EU herbal monograph on Malvae sylvestris flos

• EU herbal monograph on Malvae folium

The review reports will be published as addenda to the existing assessment reports on the European Medicines Agency’s website at:

https://www.ema.europa.eu/en/search?f%5B0%5D=ema_search_categories%3A85&f%5B1%5D=ema_search_content_type%3Aema_herbal&landing_from=73303

**Guidance document**

The HMPC adopted the following draft revised guideline for 3-month **public consultation until 15 July 2024**:

- Guideline on good agricultural and collection practice (GACP) of starting materials of herbal origin

The draft revised guideline EMA/HMPC/246816/2005 will be published on the European Medicines Agency’s website at:


Moreover, the HMPC adopted the following draft revised templates for 3-month **public consultation until 15 July 2024**:

- Template for Assessment report for the development of European Union herbal monographs and European Union list entries
- Template for a European Union herbal monograph

The draft revised templates EMA/HMPC/418902/2005 and EMEA/HMPC/107436/2005 will be published on the European Medicines Agency’s website at:


**Assessments close to finalisation**

**New assessments – draft**
- Hyperici herba/Cimicifugae rhizoma
- Tribuli terrestris herba

**Monograph revision – final**
- Foeniculi amari fructus aetheroleum
- Ginseng radix
- Pelargonii radix

**Monograph revision – draft**
- Zingiberis rhizoma


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2 Documents endorsed for peer review and possible adoption at the HMPC May 2024 meeting.