



ZACH CUSTOM SYNTHESIS:
SOPHISTICATED PRODUCTION
OF APIs AND ADVANCED INTERMEDIATES
FOR THE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY

CUSTOM SYNTHESIS

Services & Capabilities



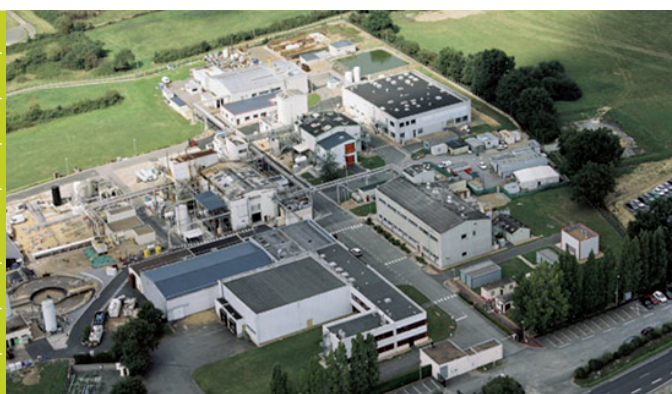
FACT SHEET

Zach Avriillé site has a long tradition in process development & API / pharmaceutical intermediates manufacturing.

- > 170 people (18 in R&D)
- > Strong track record with the Authorities (FDA, Local Authorities, PMDA, K-FDA)
- > 215MT of API and GMP intermediates manufactured per year
- > 70% of activity is in Custom Manufacturing
- > 5-10 new projects/products developed per year
- > Handling of HPAPI having an OEL > 1 µg/m³ (OEB 4) at industrial scale
- > Regular investments (new HPAPI laboratory, new Hastelloy filter dryer, Pin Mill)
- > About 6000 samples analyzed per year in the QC lab
- > Project management Team Organization
- > Full Regulatory Support (DMF, IMPD)

CAPACITY / REACTORS

	AVRILLÉ/FRANCE
TOTAL REACTOR CAPACITY	100 m ³
PRODUCTION OUTPUT	215 MT/year
REACTION TRAINS	31
REACTORS: STAINLESS STEEL, GLASSLINED & HASTELLOY	34
REACTOR RANGE: KILOLAB	15 - 30 L
REACTOR RANGE: PILOT	50 - 1000 L
REACTOR RANGE: INDUSTRIAL	1000 - 10000 L



CORE CHEMISTRIES AND TECHNOLOGIES

CHEMISTRIES

- > Asymmetric synthesis
- > Lithiation (RLi, LDA, Schlosser's base, Li in liquid NH₃)
- > Grignard (Mg/ether, AlkMgCl/ether) and low temperature Grignard (VinylMgCl/-80°C) chemistry
- > Pd-catalyzed coupling (Heck, Suzuki, Sonogashira)
- > Metal hydride reduction (powder and in solution LAH, DIBAL, LiAl(O-tBu)₃H, NaBH₄, etc...)
- > Catalytic hydrogenation (Pd/C, Pt/C, PtO₂, Ir/C) up to 12 bar
- > Asymmetric cat. hydrogen. (RhL*/RuL*; L*=chiral ligand)
- > BH₃/THF reduction
- > Carbonyl asymmetric reduction ((R)-DPP/BH₃)
- > (Asymmetric) reductive amination
- > TIBAL cleavage of ArO-Alk; TES cleavage of C-OH
- > N,O-Methylation and demethylation
- > Alkylation using DMS and DES
- > Eschweiler-Clarke methylation
- > Cyanation (alkali metal cyanides and substitutes)
- > Amino acids protection and derivatization
- > Ozonolysis + reductive/oxidative quench (in batch and continuous flow)
- > Chiral epoxides chemistry (synthesis and processing)
- > Periodate/permanganate oxidation
- > High T/P amination/aminolysis with aq./gas. NH₃

TECHNOLOGIES AVAILABLE

- > Cryogenic chemistry (-80°/-90°C)
- > Autoclaves (max. 12 bar)
- > Crystallization/Solid state engineering: large scale reactive crystallization, Spherical Agglomeration, handling of meta-stable polymorphs
- > Particle downsizing: grinding, milling, micronization
- > Spray-drying (PSD 1 and PSD 2)
- > Bulk freeze-drying (50 m²)
- > Ultra-Filtration (cut off ≥ 1000 Da)
- > Nano-Filtration (cut off ≥ 300 Da)
- > Electrodialysis
- > Wiped Film Evaporation down to 1mbar (pilot/indus. scale)
- > PAT: RAMAN and FBRM ATEX probes



THE COMBINATION OF OUR PROFOUND CHEMICAL KNOW-HOW AND THE WIDE RANGE OF CAPACITIES MAKES US A STRONG PROVIDER FOR YOUR PRODUCTS

ANALYTICAL CAPABILITIES AND QUALITY CONTROL

In-house development of new analytical methods
Validation and transfer of analytical methods

CHEMICAL AND INSTRUMENTAL ANALYSIS

- > HPLC, UPLC, GC, Headspace-GC
- > IR, UV, NIR, Raman
- > GC-HRMS, GC-MS
- > HPLC-MS, HPLC-TOF-MS
- > NMR [400 MHz]
- > Ion chromatography
- > DSC

R&D

- > Development of highly complex synthetic methodologies (up to 12-15 steps)
- > Tech transfer and process optimization for large scale GMP manufacture (kg to MTs): NOR/PAR determination, critical parameters, QbD using DoE approach
- > Process safety assessment (DSC, low/mid-high temp RC, ARC; TGA) – Risk analysis
- > Analytical development (UV/CAD/RID-HPLC, GC, HS-GC), structural characterization (GC-MS, HPLC-MS, NMR, IR)
- > Solid state/powder characterization (microscopy, XRPD, SEM, DSC, IR, RAMAN, PSD, flowability properties)
- > Supply chain securing through new RM suppliers qualification
- > Process troubleshooting through downscaling
- > Solid state engineering (traditional or scale down approach using customized glassware reactors mimicking industrial equipments; lab-scale filter-dryer; lab-scale mill; lab-scale spray-dryer; FTIR/RAMAN/FBRM PAT; DoE approach)
- > Continuous flow and microtechnologies (limited to Ozonolysis)
- > Handling of High Potent APIs (OEB5, OEL>0.1mg/m³)
- > PAT: In-situ FTIR, Raman (ATEX), FBRM (ATEX), turbidimetry



PHYSICAL & POLYMORPHS ANALYSIS

- > Wet and dry PSD analysis [laser]
- > BET surface area analysis
- > Polarimetry, Refractive index measurement
- > Densimetry Powder colorimetry
- > Turbidimetry



API FINISHING CAPABILITIES

Our finishing equipments are located in clean rooms (ISO8) fed with purified / low pyrogen water.

ISOLATION & DRYING

- > Filter Dryer
- > Press filter
- > Centrifuge
- > Tumble dryers
- > Pan dryers
- > Tray dryer
- > Freeze dryer
- > Spray dryer (PSD1 & PSD2)

PARTICLE SIZE REDUCTION

- > Pin mill under nitrogen
- > Hammer mill under nitrogen
- > Jet mill (200 & 300)

CLASS OF PRODUCTS:

- > Classical APIs made in multipurpose equipments
- > High potent APIs having an OEL> 1 µg/m³ (OEB 4) including corticosteroids at industrial scale
- > High Purity Low Endotoxins EXCIPIENTS

SERVICES

- > Supply Chain Management
- > Warehousing
- > Logistics
- > Reach Registrations
- > Regulatory Filings [DMF, CTD, Ceps] Worldwide
- > Intellectual Property Assessments
- > Legal Support

REGULATORY & GLOBAL COMPLIANCE

AVRILLÉ/FRANCE	
FDA INSPECTIONS	From 1984
LAST FDA INSPECTION	October 2014 NO FORM 483
OTHER INSPECTIONS	ANSM – PMDA – KOREAN FDA
COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATES	ISO 14001

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