



March 1, 2023

Subject: Detrex Lot Numbering and Traceability Statement

To whom it may concern,

Detrex Chemicals utilizes an internal set of procedures to provide traceability of our hydrochloric acid products produced at our production facility. Our manufacturing process is a continuous operation, but we track product using batch and lot numbers assigned by Detrex Chemicals. Product manufactured within a pre-determined period is considered a batch of product and assigned a batch number. Each of our purchased components is also tracked through our system using a unique lot number associated with a specific shipment from the vendor.

Our administrative systems provide Detrex Chemicals with the ability to track our product, by batch number, to our customers. These systems also provide us with traceability of the raw materials to a specific batch of Detrex Chemicals hydrochloric acid.

Detrex Chemicals periodically tests the robustness of our product traceability systems by conducting mock recalls of our products to determine the effectiveness of our systems. The results of these mock recalls are reviewed by Detrex Chemicals management.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Dave Morgan". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "D".

Dave Morgan
Global Product Manager, Hydrochloric Acid
Detrex Chemicals