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Corporate Description

Sonneborn is a global leader in the manufacture and supply of high purity specialty hydrocarbons for Pharmaceutical, Consumer Health, and Personal Care applications.

Sonneborn traces its US heritage back to Petroia, PA in the late 1800s, and the Netherlands facility has a full century of manufacturing and applications expertise. Sonneborn pioneered the production of petrolatum for use in medical salves and ointments from the utilization of petroleum by-products previously considered unusable. The next major development came as a result of WWI when Sonneborn became the first refiner of white oils in the United States, as offshore white oil was unavailable during those years. This marked the beginning of Sonneborn's path to industry leadership. Along the way, Sonneborn has improved on original developments, utilizing state-of-the-art refining and manufacturing processes to pioneer such innovations as super white petrolatum products and specialty food grade wax blends.

Products

Sonneborn offers the broadest line of highly refined White Mineral Oils, Petrolatums, Microcrystalline Waxes, and Light Specialty Hydrocarbons

in the industry. Sonneborn grades meet the strict standards of *USP, NF, EuP, BP, DAB, French Codex*, Japanese and other pharmacopoeias and also conform to USDA and FDA classifications.

Sonneborn offers USP and NF grade White Mineral Oils to meet FDA 21 *CFR* 172.878 and 21 *CFR* 178.3620(a) regulations for direct food contact, and USDA H1 food processing lubricant standards. The Sonneborn USP mineral oil grades have viscosities that range from 35cSt to 420cSt, and pour points that range from -10°C to less than -35°C for naphthenic grades.

Sonneborn carries the world's broadest line of standard and custom-compounded Petrolatums and related products used in many topical drug applications, such as skin protectants, medicated ointments, suppositories and dental adhesives. As a petrolatum supplier, Sonneborn lines of USP petrolatums meet FDA 21 *CFR* 172.880.

Sonneborn is among the leading Microcrystalline Wax suppliers to the top consumer dental floss brands. They are also used in ointments, where they harden, lubricate, carry pigments and medication and protect against moisture. All Sonneborn standard Multiwax® grades meet FDA *CFR* 172.886 and 178.3710 requirements for food-grade petroleum waxes.

Facilities

Sonneborn offers a similar product range in both Europe and North America, enabling more efficient service for global customers. Sonneborn is the world's only specialty hydrocarbon producer that offers this global reach expertise and depth of experience.

All Sonneborn manufacturing facilities are accredited to quality standard ISO 9002 or ISO 9001:2008. Our US manufacturing facility is registered with the Food and Drug Administration as a drug-manufacturing site.

