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APPLICATION NUMBER:

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PRODUCT QUALITY REVIEW(S)

RECOMMENDATION

☒ Approval
☐ Approval with Post-Marketing Commitment
☐ Complete Response

NDA 219155 Assessment 1

Drug Product Name	ANZUPGO® (delgocitinib) Cream, 2%, for topical use.
Dosage Form	Cream
Strength	2 %
Route of Administration	Topical
Rx/OTC Dispensed	Rx
Applicant	LEO Pharma A/S
US agent, if applicable	LEO Pharma Inc, Madison, NJ 07940

Submission(s) Assessed	Document Date	Discipline(s) Affected
Original, SD#1	07/23/2024	DS, DP, Micro, OPMA, Labeling
SD#3	08/27/2024	DP
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SD#10	01/08/2025	DS, DP, OPMA
SD#15	02/12/2025	DP, OPMA
SD#21	03/03/2025	DP

QUALITY ASSESSMENT TEAM

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Drug Product	Ghaled Hamad, PhD	Baoqing Ma, PhD
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Biopharmaceutics	N/A	N/A
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Laboratory (OTR)	N/A	N/A
Environmental	Ghaled Hamad, PhD	Baoqing Ma, PhD

QUALITY ASSESSMENT DATA SHEET

For more details about the items in this template, please see the [Quality Assessment Data Sheet chapter of the NDA IQA Guide](#)

1. RELATED/SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

A. DMFs:

DMF #	Type	Holder	Item Referenced	Status	Comments
(b) (4)	III	(b) (4)	(b) (4)	Active Since: Jul 19, 1994	LOA: Feb 22, 2022 Not reviewed because Necessary information provided in the NDA.

B. OTHER DOCUMENTS: *IND, RLD, RS, Approved NDA*

Document	Application Number	Description
IND	135351	Conducted clinical studies

2. CONSULTS

Discipline	Status	Recommendation	Date	Assessor
Biostatistics	N/A			
Pharmacology/Toxicology	N/A			
CDRH	N/A			
Clinical	N/A			



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NDA Executive Summary

- Application/Product Information

NDA Number	219155
Applicant Name	LEO Pharma A/S
Drug Product Name	ANZUPGO® (delgocitinib) Cream 2%, for topical use.
Dosage Form	Cream
Proposed Strength(s)	2%
NDA Classification	Type 1 - NME
Route of Administration	Topical
Maximum Daily Dose	(b) (4) mg
Rx/OTC Dispensed	Rx
Proposed Indication	Treatment of moderate to severe chronic hand eczema (CHE) in adults who have had an inadequate response to, or for whom topical corticosteroids are not advisable.
Drug Product Description	LEO Pharma A/S submitted a new NDA219155 for ANZUPGO® (delgocitinib) cream, 2% for topical use via 505 (b)(1) regulatory pathway for the treatment of moderate to severe chronic hand eczema (CHE) in adults who have had an inadequate response to, or for whom topical corticosteroids are not advisable. This NDA is based on the IND 135351 and has been granted for Fast-Track (2020) Designation. The drug substance (DS), delgocitinib, is a white to almost white, non-hygroscopic powder, freely soluble in aqueous solution at pH 3, sparingly soluble at pH 5 and slightly soluble in aqueous solution at pH 7.4. Delgocitinib bulk drug substance is packaged (b) (4) and stored (b) (4) with a re-test period of (b) (4) months.

	Cream formulation has been used in phase 1 clinical trial, but it was changed to ointment in phase 2a and switched back to cream in phase 2b and 3 trials. Different strengths of delgocitinib cream were tested in the phase 2b trial i.e. vehicle, 1 mg/g, 3 mg/g, 8 mg/g and 20 mg/g. For the phase 3 trials, 20 mg/g was the selected strength, which is also the commercial drug product composition. During the course of the phase 2b trial, the final optimization of the formulation was performed and the amount of the (b) (4) was reduced from (b) (4) mg/g to (b) (4) mg/g in phase 3. Delgocitinib is formulated as (b) (4) ANZUPGO® (delgocitinib) cream, 2% is packaged with 15g, 30g and 60g three configurations in laminated aluminium tubes. Three primary registration batches (Batch#MDTR3965, MDTR3966 and MDTR4119) for each package manufactured at LEO Laboratories Limited have been provided with their COAs. The applicant has also provided a couple of supportive stability batches. The applicant provided up to 36 months long-term stability data at 25°C/60%RH and 6 months accelerated data at 40°C/75%RH for three primary registration batches for three package configurations. The proposed expiry period for the drug product is 36 months when stored at 20°C to 25°C (68°F to 77°F); excursions permitted from 15°C to 30°C (59°F to 86°F) [see USP Controlled Room Temperature]. Do not freeze.
Co-packaged product information	N/A

Device information	N/A		
Storage Temperature/ Conditions	at 20°C to 25°C (68°F to 77°F) and excursions permitted to 15°C to 30°C (59°F to 86°F).		
Review Team	Discipline	Primary	Secondary
	Drug Substance	Sam Bain, PhD	Lawrence Perez, PhD
	Drug Product/ Labeling	Ghaled Hamad, PhD	Baoqing Ma, PhD
	Manufacturing	Jigar Patel, PhD	Sridhar Thumma, PhD
	Microbiology	Marijke Koppenol-Raab, PhD	Yan Zheng, PhD
	Other (specify) Labeling	Ghaled Hamad, PhD	Julia Pinto, PhD
	RBPM	Rajani Ranga	
	ATL	Baoqing Ma, PhD	
Consults	N/A		

2. Final Overall Recommendation - Approval

This application is recommended for approval with the expiration dating periods of 36 months when packaged in the proposed container closure and stored at 20-25 °C.

The CMC-recommended PI labeling as well as container and carton labels revisions have been communicated to the applicant. The applicant has accepted all CMC-recommended revision and will submit the finalized PI labeling as well as container and carton labels to the application prior to the action date. Therefore, no additional labeling memorandum is needed for the approval of this application from the OPQ perspective.

4. Basis for Recommendation:

a. Summary of Rationale for Recommendation:

- The applicant of this 505(b)(1) new drug application has provided sufficient CMC information to assure the identity, strength, purity, and quality of the drug substance, delgocitinib, and drug product, delgocitinib cream, 2%.

- The Office of Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Assessment has made the overall recommendation of adequate for the facilities involved in this application.
- The CMC revisions on labels/labeling have been communicated to the applicant and the recommended CMC revisions have been accepted by the applicant.
- The applicant's request for categorical exclusion from preparation of environmental assessment has been found adequate and is granted.

Therefore, from the OPQ perspective this application is recommended for approval with an expiration dating period of 36 months when stored at 20-25 °C.

b. Is the overall recommendation in agreement with the individual discipline recommendations? Yes

Recommendation by Subdiscipline:

Drug Substance	-	Adequate
Drug Product	-	Adequate
Quality Labeling	-	Adequate
Manufacturing	-	Adequate
Microbiology	-	Adequate
Biopharmaceutics	-	N/A

Environmental Assessment: Categorical Exclusion - Adequate
QPA for EA(s): Yes

5. Life-Cycle Considerations
Established Conditions per ICH Q12: No
Comments:

Comparability Protocols (PACMP): No
Comments:

Additional Lifecycle Comments: None

Application Technical Lead Name and Date:

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CHAPTER IV: LABELING

For more details about the items in this template, please see [Chapter IV \(Labeling\) of the NDA IQA Guide \(OPQ-ALL-WI-0006\)](#)

NDA Number	219155
Assessment Cycle Number	1
Drug Product Name	ANZUPGO® (delgocitinib Cream, 2%)

Assessment Recommendation: Adequate

Item	Assessment Conclusion	SDN # where labeling is adequate ("N/A" otherwise)
Prescribing Information Labeling	Adequate	1
Patient Information	Adequate	
Instruction for Use (IFU)	Adequate	
Container Labels	Adequate	
Carton Labeling	Adequate	

Brief Description of Outstanding Issues:

Section 11 (DESCRIPTION) lacks a complete description of the API. It should describe the API's appearance (e.g., color, powder, crystals), solubility profile, and other relevant physicochemical properties.

Submissions being reviewed:

Document Reviewed (eCTD #, SDN #)	Date Received	Information Provided
0001	07/23/2024	Original submission

1.0 PRESCRIBING INFORMATION¹

Assessment of Product Quality Related Aspects of the Prescribing Information:

¹ [Labeling Review Tool \(LRT\) \(March 2022\)](#), including use of consistent terminology for dosage form and unit of measure for strength in the product title and DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS heading in Highlights, in the DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION, DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS, DESCRIPTION, and HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING sections (see page 2 of LRT)

Submitted on July 23, 2024, SDN 0001



1.1 HIGHLIGHTS OF PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
Product Title in Highlights² [21 CFR 201.57(a)(2)]		
Established name(s) ³	Adequate	
Route(s) of administration	Adequate	
Controlled drug substance symbol (if applicable)	N/A	
Initial U.S. Approval [§201.57(a)(3)]	Adequate	
Dosage Forms and Strengths Heading in Highlights [§ 201.57(a)(8)]		
Dosage form(s) ⁴ and strength(s) in metric system ⁵	Adequate	
If the drug product contains an active ingredient that is a salt, clearly state whether the strength is based on the active moiety (e.g., Tablets: 10 mg of drug-x) or active ingredient (e.g., Tablets: 10 mg of drug-x hydrochloride). ⁶	N/A	

² Draft guidance: [Product Title and Initial U.S. Approval in the Highlights of Prescribing Information for Human Prescription Drug and Biological Products — Content and Format](#) (January 2018)

³ Established name = [Drug] [Route of Administration] [Dosage Form]. Do use not "USP" descriptor in the product title or within the Highlights (see page 3 of LRT).

⁴ Draft guidance: [Product Title and Initial U.S. Approval in the Highlights of Prescribing Information for Human Prescription Drug and Biological Products — Content and Format](#) (January 2018); USP <1151>; USP Nomenclature Guideline

⁵ [Labeling Review Tool](#) (March 2022, page 13), include limited packaging information; USP <7>

⁶ Guidance: [Naming of Drug Products Containing Salt Drug Substances](#) (June 2015); MAPP 5021.1

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose “Adequate”, “Inadequate”, or “N/A”)	Assessor’s Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
Assess if the tablet is scored. If product meets guidelines and criteria for a scored tablet, state “functionally scored.” ⁷	N/A	
For injectable drug products for parenteral administration, use appropriate package type term (e.g., single-dose, multiple-dose, single-patient-use). Other package terms include pharmacy bulk package and imaging bulk package. ⁸	N/A	

Assessment: *Adequate*

1.2 FULL PRESCRIBING INFORMATION

1.2.1 Section 2 (DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION)⁹

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose “Adequate”, “Inadequate”, or “N/A”)	Assessor’s Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION section		
Special instructions for product preparation (e.g., reconstitution and resulting concentration, dilution, compatible diluents and/or soft food ¹⁰ , storage conditions needed to maintain	N/A	

⁷ Guidance: [Tablet Scoring: Nomenclature, Labeling, and Data for Evaluation](#) (March 2013)

⁸ Guidance: [Selection of the Appropriate Package Type Terms and Recommendations for Labeling Injectable Medical Products Packaged in Multiple-Dose, Single-Dose, and Single-Patient-Use Containers for Human Use](#) (October 2018); USP <659>

⁹ See § 201.57(c)(3); draft guidance: [Dosage and Administration Section of Labeling for Human Prescription Drug and Biological Products — Content and Format](#) (January 2023); Labeling Review Tool (March 2022, page 25)

¹⁰ Draft Guidance: [Use of Liquids and/or Soft Foods as Vehicles for Drug Administration: General Considerations for Selection and In Vitro Methods for Product Quality Assessments](#)

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
the stability of the reconstituted or diluted product).		
Important administration instructions supported by product quality information (e.g., do not crush or chew extended-release tablets, instructions for mixing with food).	N/A	
For parenteral products: include statement: <i>"Parenteral drug products should be inspected visually for particulate matter and discoloration prior to administration, whenever solution and container permit."</i> ¹¹	N/A	
If there is a USP monograph for the drug product and it contains a labeling requirement, ensure the labeling requirement is fulfilled. ¹² Note the labeling requirement may be applicable to another section of the PI (e.g., Section 11).	N/A	
For radioactive products, include radiation dosimetry for the patient and healthcare practitioner(s) who administer the drug	N/A	
For hazardous products, include the statement <i>"DRUG X is a hazardous drug. Follow applicable special handling and disposal procedures."</i> ^x with x numerical citation to "OSHA Hazardous Drugs."	N/A	

Assessment: Adequate

¹¹ §201.57(c)(3)(iv)

¹² USP General Notices 2.30 Legal Recognition

1.2.2 Section 3 (DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS)¹³

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Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS section		
Available dosage form(s)	Adequate	
Strength(s) in metric system	Adequate	
If the active ingredient is a salt, apply the USP Salt Policy per FDA Guidance . Clearly state whether the strength is based on the active moiety (e.g., Tablets: 10 mg of drug-x) or active ingredient (e.g., Tablets: 10 mg of drug-x hydrochloride). No equivalency statement.	N/A	
A description of the identifying characteristics of the dosage forms, including shape, color, coating, scoring, imprinting, and color and clarity of the solution, when applicable.	Adequate	
Assess if the tablet is scored. If product meets guidelines and criteria for a scored tablet, state "functionally scored."	N/A	
For injectable drug products for parenteral administration, use appropriate package type term (e.g., single-dose, multiple-dose, single-patient-use). Other package type terms include pharmacy bulk package and imaging bulk package (see USP <659>).	N/A	

Assessment: Adequate

¹³ See § 201.57(c)(4); [Labeling Review Tool \(March 2022, page 29\)](#)

1.2.3 Section 11 (DESCRIPTION)¹⁴

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¹⁴ See § 201.57(c)(12); [Labeling Review Tool \(March 2022, page 56\)](#)

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose “Adequate”, “Inadequate”, or “N/A”)	Assessor’s Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
DESCRIPTION section		
Proprietary and established name(s) ¹⁵ [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(A)].	Adequate	
Dosage form(s) and route(s) of administration [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(B)].	Adequate	
If the active ingredient is a salt, apply the USP Salt Policy and include the equivalency statement per Salt Guidance and MAPP . For example: “TRADENAME contains 100 mg of drug-x (equivalent to 123.7 mg of drug-x hydrochloride)” [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(C)].	N/A	
List inactive ingredients (not required for oral use, except for colorant) by the USP/NF names in alphabetical order. ¹⁶ Avoid brand names. [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(C)].	Adequate	
For parenteral injectable dosage forms, include the name and quantities of all inactive ingredients. For ingredients added to adjust the pH or make isotonic, include the name and	N/A	

¹⁵ Use of “USP” descriptor is not required to be included next to the established name throughout Prescribing Information (PI) labeling. If an applicant wants to use the “USP” descriptor next to the established name in the PI, recommend limiting its use to the product quality sections of the Full Prescribing Information (FPI) (i.e., DOSAGE FORMS AND STRENGTHS, DESCRIPTION, HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING) (see page 3 of LRT).

¹⁶ Per § 201.100(b)(5)(i) and (ii), flavoring and colorants may be designated as such without naming their components except for FD&C Yellow No 5 and FD&C Yellow No 6, which must be listed per § 201.20. Per § 201.100(b)(5)(iii), trace amounts of harmless substances added solely for individual product identification need not be named. If an applicant wants to use the National Formulary (NF) descriptor next to excipients, recommend limiting its use to the product quality sections of the FPI (see page 3 of LRT). Do not list brand names, e.g., Opadry, Eudragit, Polistirex, etc.

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose “Adequate”, “Inadequate”, or “N/A”)	Assessor’s Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
statement of effect. [§ 201.100(b)(5)(iii)].		
If alcohol is present, must provide the amount of alcohol in terms of percent volume of absolute alcohol at 60 °F. (15.56 °C) [§ 201.10(d)(2)].	N/A	
Sterility statement (if applicable) [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(D)].	N/A	
Pharmacological/Therapeutic class ¹⁷ [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(E)].	Adequate	
Chemical name ¹⁸ , structural formula, molecular weight [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(F)].	Adequate	
If radioactive, statement of important nuclear characteristics [§ 201.57(c)(12)(i)(G)].	N/A	
Other important chemical or physical properties (such as pKa or pH) [201.57(c)(12)(ii)].	N/A	
For oral prescription drug products, include gluten statement ¹⁹ (if applicable).	N/A	
Remove statements that may be misleading or promotional (e.g., “synthesized and developed by Drug Company X,” “structurally unique molecular entity”).	N/A	
If there is a USP monograph for the drug product and it contains a labeling requirement, ensure the labeling requirement is fulfilled. Note the labeling requirement may be applicable	N/A	

¹⁷ Listed before “indicated for” in INDICATIONS AND USAGE of Highlights section [§ 201.57(a)(6)]; can also search the term “FDA EPC Text Phrases” in [FDA’s Labeling Resources for Human Prescription Drugs](#) for the most recent EPC list.

¹⁸ Chemical names do not need to be capitalized unless it appears at the beginning of a sentence (see *Preferred IUPAC Names Provisional Recommendation*, September 2004; Chapter 1, par. 16 Name writing, p.80-90).

¹⁹ Draft guidance: [Gluten in Drug Products and Associated Labeling Recommendations \(December 2017\)](#)

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
to another section of the PI (e.g., Section 2).		

Assessment: *Adequate*

1.2.4 Section 16 (HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING)²⁰

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Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING section		
Available dosage form(s) [§ 201.57(c)(17)].	Adequate	
Strength(s) in metric system. [§ 201.57(c)(17)(i)] If the active ingredient is a salt, apply the USP Salt Policy per FDA Guidance . Clearly state whether the strength is based on the active moiety. No equivalency statement.	Adequate	
Available units (e.g., bottles of 100 tablets) [§ 201.57(c)(17)(ii)].	Adequate	

²⁰ See § 201.57(c)(17); [Labeling Review Tool \(March 2022, page 70\)](#). Consider including proprietary name and established name.

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
Identification of dosage forms (e.g., shape, color, coating, scoring, imprinting, and color and clarity of the solution, when applicable); Include NDC(s) [§ 201.57(c)(17)(iii)].	Adequate	
Assess if the tablet is scored. If product meets guidelines and criteria for a scored tablet, state "functionally scored."	N/A	
For injectable drug products for parenteral administration, use appropriate package type term (e.g., single-dose, multiple-dose, single-patient-use). Other package terms include pharmacy bulk package and imaging bulk package (see USP <659>).	N/A	
Special handling about the supplied product (e.g., protect from light, refrigerate). If there is a statement to "Dispense in original container," provide reason why (e.g., to protect from light or moisture, to maintain stability, etc.). For hazardous drugs, state "DRUG X is a hazardous drug. Follow applicable special handling and disposal procedures. ^x " with x numerical citation to "OSHA Hazardous Drugs." [§ 201.57(c)(17)(iv)]	N/A	
Storage conditions. Where applicable, use USP storage range rather than storage at a single temperature. (see USP <659>).	Adequate	
Latex: If product does not contain latex and manufacturing of product and container did not include use of natural rubber latex or synthetic derivatives of	Adequate	

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
natural rubber latex, state: <i>"Not made with natural rubber latex. Avoid statements such as "latex-free.""</i> ²¹		
Include information about child-resistant packaging ²² (if chosen by manufacturer).	N/A	

Assessment: Adequate

1.2.5 Other Sections of Labeling

N/A.

1.2.6 Manufacturing Information After Section 17 (for drug products)²³

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate" or "Inadequate")	Assessor's Comments (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
Manufacturing Information After Section 17		
Name and location of business (street address, city, state, and zip code) of the manufacturer, distributor, and/or packer.	Adequate	

Assessment: Adequate

2.0 PATIENT LABELING

Assessment of Product Quality Related Aspects of Patient Labeling (e.g., Medication Guides, Instructions for Use, Patient Information):

²¹ Guidance: [Recommendations for Labeling Medical Products to Inform Users that the Product or Product Container is not Made with Natural Rubber Latex](#) (December 2014)

²² Guidance: [Child-Resistant Packaging Statements in Drug Product Labeling](#) (August 2019)

²³ § 201.1(h)(5) and 201.1(i); [Labeling Review Tool](#) (March 2022, page 74)

Item	Item in Proposed Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Assessor's Comments about Labeling (If an item is Inadequate, provide more details on the issues, as appropriate)
Established name ²⁴	Adequate	
Special preparation instructions (if applicable).	Adequate	
Storage and handling information (if applicable).	Adequate	
If the product contains a desiccant, ensure the desiccant has a warning (e.g., "Do not eat.") and the size and shape of the desiccant differ from the dosage form.	N/A	
Active ingredient(s) (if applicable).	Adequate	
Alphabetical listing of inactive ingredients (if applicable).	Adequate	
Name and location of business (street address, city, state, and zip code) of manufacturer, distributor, and/or packer.	Adequate	

Assessment: *Adequate*

²⁴ Established name = [Drug] [Route of Administration] [Dosage Form]

3.0 CONTAINER AND CARTON LABELING²⁵

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²⁵ [Carton and Container Labeling Resources](#)

²⁶ Per § 201.10(h)(2)(i)(1), if the drug container is too small to bear all labeling information required by section 502(e)(1)(A)(ii) and (B) of the FD&C Act, the container label should bear: proprietary name, established name, lot number, the name of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor of the drug.

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Item	Item in Proposed Carton Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Is item in Container Labels same as that of Carton Labeling?	Assessor's Comments about Container Labels and Carton Labeling (If an item is Inadequate or different, provide more details, as appropriate)
Proprietary name and established name ²⁷ , (font size and prominence) [§ 201.10(g)(2)].	Adequate	Yes	
Strength(s) in metric system [§ 201.100(b)(4) & 201.100(d)]. ²⁸	Adequate	Yes	

²⁷ Established name = [Drug] [Route of Administration] [Dosage Form]

²⁸ Express as "XX mg per tablet" or "XX mg per capsule" for strength of professional samples of solid oral dosage form with small net quantities per container (e.g., 5 or less) or blister pack/carton. See Guidance: [Safety Considerations for Container Labels and Carton Labeling Design to Minimize Medication Errors \(May 2022\)](#)

Item	Item in Proposed Carton Labeling (choose "Adequate", "Inadequate", or "N/A")	Is item in Container Labels same as that of Carton Labeling?	Assessor's Comments about Container Labels and Carton Labeling (If an item is Inadequate or different, provide more details, as appropriate)
Route(s) of administration, not required for oral use [§ 201.100(b)(3)].	Adequate	Yes	
If the active ingredient is a salt, include the equivalency statement per Salt Guidance and MAPP [§ 201.10(d)(1) & 201.100(b)(4), USP <1121>].	N/A	Yes	
Net contents (e.g., tablet count, volume of liquid) [§ 201.51(a)]. ²⁹	Adequate	Yes	
"Rx only" displayed on the principal display [§ 201.100(b)(1)].	Adequate	Yes	
NDC (requested, but not required for all labels or labeling) [§ 201.2 & 207.35].	Adequate	Yes	
Lot number and expiration date [§ 201.18 & 201.17].	Adequate	Yes	
Storage conditions. If applicable, include a space on the carton labeling for the user to write the beyond-use-date (BUD).	Adequate	Yes	
For injectable drug products for parenteral administration, use appropriate package type term (e.g., single-dose, multiple-dose, single-patient-use). Other package terms include pharmacy bulk package and imaging bulk package, and these products require a "Not for direct infusion" statement. (See USP <659>).	N/A	Yes	

²⁹ § 201.51(h): A drug shall be exempt from compliance with the net quantity declaration required by this section if it is an ointment labeled "sample", "physician's sample", or a substantially similar statement and the contents of the package do not exceed 8 grams.

Item	Item in Proposed Carton Labeling (choose “Adequate”, “Inadequate”, or “N/A”)	Is item in Container Labels same as that of Carton Labeling?	Assessor’s Comments about Container Labels and Carton Labeling (If an item is Inadequate or different, provide more details, as appropriate)
Name of all inactive ingredients, in alphabetical order [§ 201.10(a)] [except for oral drug per § 201.100(b)(5) or limited space per § 201.10(i)(2)].	Adequate	Yes	
For parenteral injectable dosage forms, include quantities of all inactive ingredients. For ingredients added to adjust the pH or make isotonic, include the name and statement of effect. [§ 201.100(b)(5)(iii)].	N/A	Yes	
If alcohol is present, must provide the amount of alcohol in terms of percent volume of absolute alcohol at 60 °F. (15.56 °C) [§ 201.10(d)(2)].	N/A	Yes	
Linear Bar code [§ 201.25(c)(2)]. ³⁰	Adequate	Yes	
Adequate directions for use: “Recommended Dosage: See Prescribing Information” [§ 201.5 & 201.55].	Adequate	Yes	
Name of manufacturer/distributor /packer [§ 201.1(a), 201.1(h)(5)].	Adequate	Yes	
“Keep out of reach of children” statement, optional for Rx, required for OTC [§ 201.66(c)(5)(x)].	Adequate	Yes	
If there is a Medication Guide, must include a statement about dispensing a	N/A	Yes	

³⁰ See § 201.25(b)(1)(i) for a list where bar code is not required, e.g., prescription drug samples, medical gases, radiopharmaceuticals, etc.

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Medication Guide to each patient.			
No text on Ferrule and Cap overseal of a vial of injectable products unless a cautionary statement is required. (USP <7>).	N/A	Yes	
If there is a USP monograph for the drug product and it contains a labeling requirement, ensure the labeling requirement is fulfilled.	N/A	Yes	
When a drug product differs from the relevant USP standard of strength, quality, or purity, as determined by the application of the tests, procedures, and acceptance criteria set forth in the relevant compendium, its difference shall be plainly stated on its label. ³¹	N/A	Yes	
And others if space is available.	N/A	Yes	

Assessment of Carton Labels and Container Labeling: *Adequate*

4. OUTSTANDING ISSUES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Section 11 (DESCRIPTION) lacks a complete description of the API. It should describe the API's appearance (e.g., color, powder, crystals), solubility profile, and other relevant physicochemical properties.

³¹ USP General Notices 3.20 Indicating Conformance

We recommend incorporating the updated API description provided in this review.

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CHAPTER VII: MICROBIOLOGY

[IQA NDA Assessment Guide Reference](#)

Product Information	Cream for the topical treatment of moderate to severe chronic hand eczema (CHE) in adults who have had an inadequate response to, or for whom topical corticosteroids are not advisable
NDA Number	219155
Assessment Cycle Number	MR01
Drug Product Name/ Strength	Delgocitinib cream, 20mg/g (15g, 30g, 60g tubes)
Route of Administration	Topical
Applicant Name	LEO Pharma A/S
Therapeutic Classification/ OND Division	OND/OII/DDD
Manufacturing Site	LEO Laboratories Limited 285 Cashel Road, Crumlin Dublin 12 D12 E923 Ireland (IRL) FEI: 3002807468
Method of Sterilization	(b) (4)

Assessment Recommendation: Adequate

Assessment Summary: The proposed drug product is a non-sterile, (b) (4) cream formulation of the API for topical administration with (b) (4)

List Submissions being assessed (table):

Document(s) Assessed	Date Received
0001 Original Submission	23 July 2024
0003 Quality IR Response	27 August 2024
0008 Quality IR Response	7 November 2024
0010 Quality IR Response	8 January 2025

Highlight Key Issues from Last Cycle and Their Resolution: N/A

Remarks: N/A

Concise Description of Outstanding Issues

(List bullet points with key information and update as needed): N/A

Supporting Documents: N/A

S DRUG SUBSTANCE

The drug product is non-sterile. The drug substance will not be reviewed here.

P.1 DESCRIPTION OF THE COMPOSITION OF THE DRUG PRODUCT

(eCTD 0001 Section 3.2.P.1 description-and-composition.pdf)

Description of drug product – The delgocitinib cream drug product is a white to slightly brown cream in which (b) (4)

(b) (4) The cream contains 20mg/g (2% w/w) delgocitinib API with (b) (4). It is supplied in The DP is intended to treat moderate to severe chronic hand eczema (CHE) in adults who have had an inadequate response to, or for whom topical corticosteroids are not advisable.

Drug product composition –

Ingredient	Function	Concentration (%w/w)
Delgocitinib	API	2.0
Mineral oil, USP	(b) (4)	(b) (4)
Cetostearyl alcohol, NF		
Polyoxyl 20 cetostearyl ether, NF		
Hydrochloric acid 3M, NF		
Benzyl alcohol, NF		
Citric acid monohydrate, USP		
Edetate disodium, USP		
Butylated hydroxyanisole, NF		
Purified water, USP		

Description of container closure system – The cream drug product is filled in laminate tubes with 15g, 30g, and 60g fill:

Component	Description	Manufacturer
Tube	Laminate tube with aluminum barrier layer; length 102.8mm/145.7mm/142.5mm	(b) (4)
Cap	(b) (4) flip-top cap	

Assessment: Adequate

The applicant provided an adequate description of the drug product composition and the container closure system designed to maintain microbial control of the product.

P.2 PHARMACEUTICAL DEVELOPMENT

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Assessment: *Adequate*

The Applicant has met regulatory expectations with regard to the information related to issues of product quality microbiology that is provided in the product labeling.

Post-Approval Commitments – N/A**MICROBIOLOGY LIST OF DEFICIENCIES****N/A**

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