

Koster Keunen is the leader of natural wax refinement, manufacturing, and cutting-edge wax technology. With a heritage spanning five generations, we are an indispensable partner to the pharmaceutical industry. We specialize in supplying raw materials tailored explicitly for the production of ingestible and topical pharmaceuticals.

KOSTER KEUNEN

Locations

Koster Keunen has manufacturing plants located in the United States and the Netherlands along with a fully integrated sustainability beeswax program anchored by our facility in Togo, West Africa.

Certifications

USDA Organic Certification since 2008

Halal

Kosher

Safe Quality Food (SQF) Certification

Non-GMO Project Verified

Test Options

Pesticide Compliance <USP 561>

Microbiological <USP 2022>

Microbiological <USP 2021>

Elemental Impurities <USP 233>

Lead <USP 251>

USP/BP/JP/KP

Coumaphos

Chloramphenicol

Nitrofurantoin Metabolites

USP PHARMACOPEIA & NATIONAL FORMULARY

PHARMACEUTICALS

NATURAL WAXES

Beeswax
Candelilla
Carnauba

SPECIALTY BEESWAXES

Additional Test Options
USP 561 for Pesticides
Chloramphenicol
Nitrofurantoin Metabolites

ORGANIC WAXES

Beeswax
Carnauba

POWDERED WAXES

Carnauba
Organic Carnauba

SYNTHETIC & PETROCHEMICAL WAXES

Microcrystalline
Paraffin
Synthetic Paraffin

APPLICATIONS

May include but not limited to:
Controlled Release Tablets
Nutraceuticals
Pharmaceutical Excipients
Pill & Tablet Glazing
Soft Gels

TOPICAL

NATURAL WAXES

Beeswax
Candelilla
Carnauba

SYNTHETIC & PETROCHEMICAL WAXES

Microcrystalline
Paraffin
Synthetic Paraffin

EMULSIFIERS

Cetearyl Alcohol
Cetyl Esters
Cetyl Palmitate
Emulsifying Wax NF

DOSAGE FORMS

May include but not limited to:
Balms
Creams
Emulsions
Gels
Liniment
Lotion
Ointments
Pastes
Salves
Sticks
Suppository



CUSTOM TESTING

Have specific testing requirements? Reach out to our team for options.