



Used for Cannabinoid Containing Products

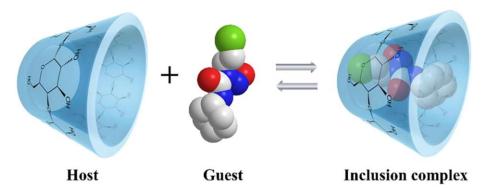




## What are Cyclodextrins (CDs)?

#### Properties & applications

- Naturally occurring cyclic molecules, composed of sugars
- Toroid structure with interior hydrophobic cavities of 0.5 to 1.0 nm in diameter and exterior hydrophilic rims
- Diverse range of applications: food, pharmaceuticals, drug delivery, chemical industries, agriculture, etc.
- Often, the aim is to increase the solubility, dissolution rate, and stability of poorly soluble APIs.



CDs interact with drug molecules via dynamic complex formation



Application of CDs



## Marketed Pharma Products with CDs





### 100+ products on the market

- CDs as drug complexing agents in drug delivery
- Nanosizing, solubilizing, stabilizing, etc.
- Summary of results: >100 marketed products in 2021







	α-CD	β-CD	γ-CD	HP-β-CD	SBE-β-CD	RM-β-CD	HP-γ-CD
ORAL		Х	X	Х	Х		
NASAL						Х	
RECTAL		Х		Х			
DERMAL		Х	X	Х			
OCULAR		X		Х	Х	X	Х
PARENTERAL	Х			Х	Х		Х

European Medicinal Agency EMA/CHMP/333892/2013, Committee for Human Medicinal Products (CHMP) Background review for cyclodextrins used as excipients



## Formulations of Cannabinoids with Cyclodextrins

#### With cyclodextrin-based formulation, we can...

- Improve properties of endo-, phyto-, and synthetic cannabinoids by complexation
- Increase the stability of cannabinoids for longer shelf life and improved safety
- Convert liquids and oily materials into powders results in easier handling for more precise dosing
- Prepare immediate-, or controlled-release products with combinations of other excipients<sup>1</sup>



...design systems to increase efficacy and reliability



## **CD-Containing Pharma Product**

#### Epidiolex - FDA-approved CBD Oral Solution

Contains ethanol and sesame oil as a medium.

This can lead to patient non-compliance.

#### **Solution for Solving CBD**

CDs have been proven to increase the solubility and stability of cannabinoids.

Waterborne oral solutions and solid oral dosage forms can be prepared.<sup>1</sup>



100 mg/mL CBD oil-based solution.



## **CD-Containing Food**

#### **Sweets**

The CBD gummy market is expected to grow more than 28% from 2021 to 2028 and reach over \$12 million.<sup>1</sup>

- CDs are used in gummies to enhance The perception of sweetness changing the firmness, or appearance of the gummies.
- CDs can also increase the solubility of CBD for easier handling





## **CD-Containing Dietary Supplement**

Solubilized cannabinoids - cannabidiol (CBD)

### Improved solubility and bioavailability of CBD.

 $\alpha$ -CD is also listed for its benefits as a dietary supplement, as being able to lower cholesterol and blood-fat levels, while also feeding the gut microbiome.





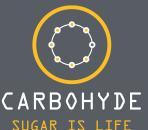


Spectrum of products containing CD solubilized CBD



Capsules containing a micelle preparation of water-soluble full-spectrum hemp oil powder.

# SUPPLEMENT FACTS SERVING SIZE: 1 CAPSULE SERVINGS PER CONTAINER: 10 AMOUNT PER SERVING % DAILY VALUE Cyclodextrin Prebiotics 475 mgs \*\* Cannabidiol (CBD) \* 25 mg \*\* (Derived from 200mgs full spectrum, whole plant hemp oil including all natural Cannabinoids and Terpenes.)



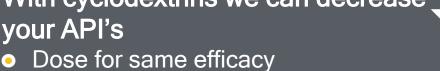
## CARBOHYDE Unlocking the potential of your API with cyclodextrin-based formulation

## With cyclodextrins we can increase your API's

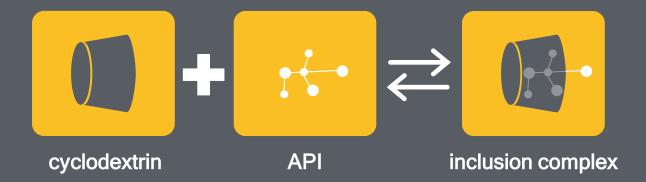


- Solubility
- Stability
- Wetting, dissolution rate
- Absorbed quantity

## With cyclodextrins we can decrease your API's



- Taste
- Side effects
- Smell



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