

## **Eppendorf Certificate**

## **Certificate of Quality**

## Eppendorf Tubes®\*

All Eppendorf Tubes are produced in a controlled environment according to ISO class 8 of ISO 14644-1 and are subject to regular quality inspections within a statistical process control. Tests being performed are e.g. vapor tightness, lidopening force, wall strength, and centrifugal stability.

The Eppendorf Quality Management System is certified according to the international standards ISO 9001:2015-09, ISO 13485:2016-03, and ISO 14001:2015-09.

Eppendorf Tubes are made of virgin polypropylene of highest purity and quality. Neither the material suppliers of Eppendorf nor Eppendorf use or intentionally incorporate the following agents into the materials Eppendorf is using for the production of Tubes:

- · Slip agents (including oleamide, erucamide, stearamide)
- Biocides (including di(2-hydroxyethyl)methyl dodecyl ammonium salts (DiHEMDA))
- Plasticizers (softeners/phthalates)

Eppendorf confirms that all plastic materials fulfill the requirements as described in the current version of the FDA, CFR, Title 21 (Food and Drugs) in chapter 178.2010 "Antioxidants and Stabilizers for Polymers" and chapter 177.1520 (a)(1), (b) and (c)1.1 "Olefin polymers" regarding substances used for manufacturing of materials and articles or components of articles intended to come into contact with food.

\* applies also to the SafeCode variants & BioBased variants

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