

# The AMR Benchmark: Industry activity to mitigate environmental AMR

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### The Antimicrobial Resistance Benchmark



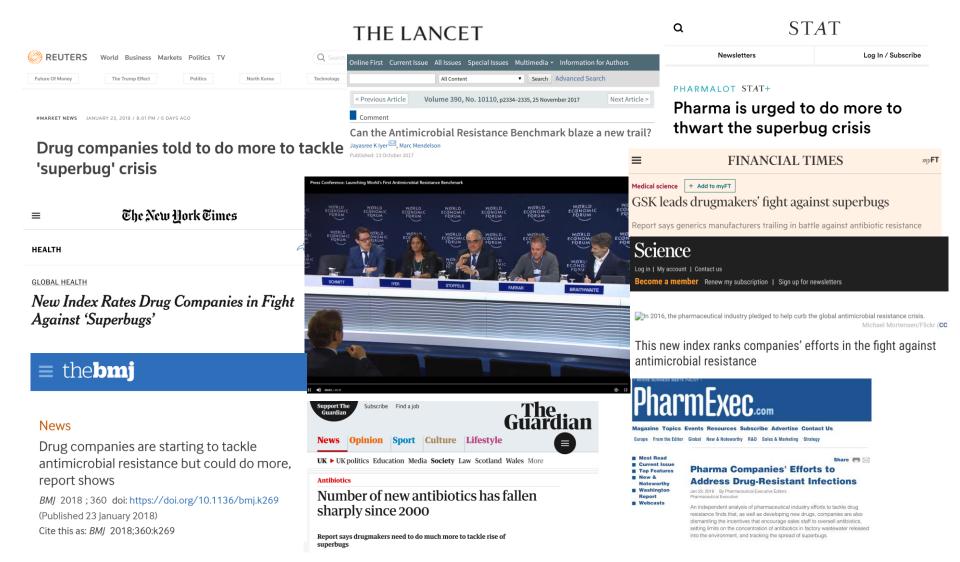
- A biennial report that assesses and compares what different pharmaceutical companies are doing to limit drug-resistant infections
- Fully independent from pharmaceutical companies
- Funded by the UK and Dutch governments
- Two-year cycle (first publication in 2018, update of methodology in 2019, second iteration in 2020)





#### Launch of 1st AMR Benchmark medicine To at WEF Davos 2018





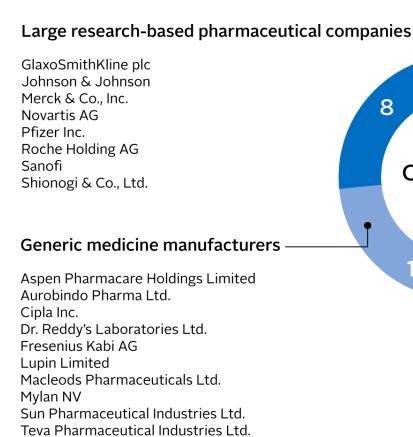
# The full report: www.amrbenchmark.org





### 30 companies across three sub-sectors





#### Biopharmaceutical companies with priority R&D projects

Achaogen Inc.
Cempra Inc.
Entasis Therapeutics Inc.
Melinta Therapeutics Inc.
MGB Biopharma
Motif Bio plc
Nabriva Therapeutics plc
Polyphor Ltd.
Summit Therapeutics
Tetraphase Pharmaceuticals Inc.
The Medicines Company
Wockhardt Ltd.

12

30

Companies

in scope

10

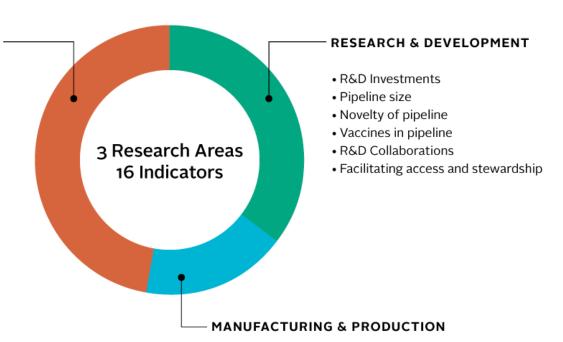
### 16 metrics covering three research areas



#### **ANTIMICROBIAL RESISTANCE BENCHMARK 2018 - METRICS**

#### APPROPRIATE ACCESS & STEWARDSHIP

- · Registration of antibiotics
- Pricing of antimicrobials
- Ensuring continuous supply
- Supporting educational stewardship activities
- Ethical promotional activities
- · Brochure and packaging
- AMR surveillance
- Reducing uncontrolled use



- Environmental risk-management strategy
- Disclosure on environmental risk management
- · Manufacturing high-quality antibiotics

# 1) Breadth and depth of environmental risk management

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Breadth Depth		Own manufacturing sites			Third party man- ufacturing sites of API and Drug Products			External waste treatment plants		
		Strategy	Audits	Limits	Strategy	Audits	Limits	Strategy	Audits	Limits
Large research-based pharmaceutical companies	GSK	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Johnson & Johnson	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
	Merck & Co., Inc.	•	•		•	•				
	Novartis	•	•	•	•	•		•		•
	Pfizer	•	•	•	•	•	•			
	Roche	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		
	Sanofi	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	
	Shionogi	•	•	•						
Generic medicine manufacturers	Aspen	•	•							
	Aurobindo	•	•					•	•	
	Cipla									
	Dr. Reddy's	•								
	Fresenius Kabi	•	•							
	Lupin									
	Macleods	•	•							
	Mylan	•	•							
	Sun Pharma									
	Teva	•	•	•	•					

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	Merck & Co., Inc.	•	•		•	•				
	Novartis	•	•	•	•	•		•		•
	Pfizer	•	•	•	•	•	•			
	Roche	•	•	•		•	•	•		
	Sanofi	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	
	Shionogi	•	•	•						
Generic medicine manufacturers	Aspen	•	•							
	Aurobindo	•	•					•	•	
	Cipla									
	Dr. Reddy's	•								
	Fresenius Kabi	•	•							
	Lupin									
	Macleods	•	•							
	Mylan	•	•							
	Sun Pharma									
	Teva	•	•	•	•					

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# 2) Disclosure on environmental mental mental



- Out of 18 companies assessed in this area, 15 have an environmental risk-management strategy. Of these, 12 disclose their strategies publicly.
- Only one company The Medicines Company –
  discloses the identities of third-party manufacturers,
  making it an example of best practice in this area.
- Eight companies in scope for this research area report that they have set limits for antibiotic discharge. As yet, no company discloses publicly its limits and/or levels of antibiotic discharge.

## The AMR Benchmark guides medicine medicine and incentivises companies by...

- ...triggering positive competition
- ...building consensus and clarifying responsibilities
- ...enabling accountability
- ...empowering internal decision-makers
- ...diffusing good practices
- ...unleashing pressure from institutional investors
- ...supporting private sector participation in other global health initiatives

#### Next steps



Methodology update: April-December 2018

Next Benchmark publication: beginning of 2020

 From publishing a benchmark report to triggering industry change: green procurement of antibiotics?



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