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Reflecting the operation of extensive and diverse drug-producing industries, Western Europe, the US and Japan will account for over 70 percent of demand in 2015.

World demand to rise 5.5% annually through 2015

World demand for pharmaceutical packaging products is forecast to expand 5.5 percent annually to \$62 billion in 2015. Reflecting the operation of extensive and diverse drug-producing industries, the developed countries of Western Europe, the US and Japan will account for over 70 percent of this amount. However, China will provide faster growth opportunities based on rapidly expanding pharmaceutical manufacturing capabilities and the phasing-in of an extensive government program designed to upgrade the quality and integrity of nationally produced medicines. Among other major developing economies, India and Brazil will also evolve into fast-growing pharmaceutical packaging markets as drug-producing sectors are upgraded and diversified.

The US will remain the largest consumer of pharmaceutical packaging as its advanced drug-producing sector introduces new sophisticated therapies with specialized packaging needs. Growth in West European demand will reflect upgraded government standards requiring unit dose, high barrier and anti-counterfeit packaging for many types of medication. Based on its broad range of proprietary and generic drug producers, Japan will remain a large, diverse consumer of pharmaceutical packaging, but will provide below-average growth opportunities as drug makers pursue greater packaging efficiencies to offset pricing pressures.

World Pharmaceutical Packaging Demand by Region, 2010 (\$47.2 billion)



North America
36%

Western Europe
31%

Asia/Pacific
23%

Other Regions
10%

Prefillable syringes/vials to pace primary containers

Among primary pharmaceutical containers, the fastest growth is anticipated for prefillable syringes and vials, which will expand applications as advances in biotechnology lead to the introduction of new therapies that must be injected. Plastic bottles will remain the most widely used package for oral drugs distributed in bulk and prescription dose volumes to retail and mail order pharmacies. Plastic bottles will also continue to dominate applications in over-the-counter medicines sold in tablet and capsule quantities of 50 or more. Blister packaging will comprise the second-largest selling group of primary pharma-

ceutical containers based on its adaptability to unit dose and clinical trial formats with expanded label content, high visibility, and built-in track and trace.

The global market for pharmaceutical pouches will expand at a below-average pace as applications remain limited to the unit dose packaging of transdermal, powder and topical medicines. Prefillable inhalers will realize stronger growth opportunities as the worldwide number of chronic asthma, allergy and migraine patients treated with inhalation drugs rises. Ongoing improvements in aesthetic and barrier properties will keep tubes a leading primary container for topical medication.

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WESTERN EUROPE

Spain: Pharmaceutical Packaging Demand

Demand for pharmaceutical packaging products in Spain is expected to grow at a rate of 1.5 percent annually from 2010. The market is driven by over-the-counter and alternative medicines, combination drugs by the aging population, and growth in the level of external pharmaceuticals. The new reference pricing system will also drive pharmaceutical packaging demand.

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Plastic bottles will account for the largest share of demand for pharmaceutical packaging products consumed in Spain based on the number of applications in ethical, over-the-counter and alternative medicines and nutritional preparations. Blister packaging will continue to realize the second-largest share of primary container demand, spurred by expanding uses as prescription packs and over-the-counter medication containers. Among all pharmaceutical packaging sold in Spain, containers, closures and accessories that promote safer and more effective drug administration and compliance will post the strongest growth opportunities. Included in this group will be prefillable inhalers and syringes, high barrier glass and plastic vials, dispensing closures, and expanded content and security labels.

Prior to the tightening of prescription drug price controls, Spain had been attracting a high level of investment in its pharmaceutical industry. Since the early 2000s, Boehringer Ingelheim, Eli Lilly, Merck KGaA, Merck & Company, Novartis, Organon and Sanofi-Aventis all have completed major projects involving the expansion and modernization of Spanish production sites. In addition, leading national drug company Almirall opened a new research and development center near Barcelona in 2004 to focus on commercializing biotechnology-based drugs.

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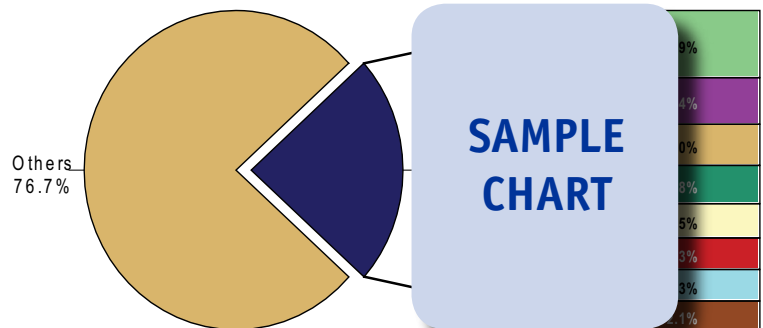
SPAIN: PHARMACEUTICAL PACKAGING INDICATORS

Item	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020
Total Population (million)					47
% 65 years & older					27
Population 65 Years & Older (million)					13
\$ GDP/capita	20				30
Gross Domestic Product (bil 2009\$)					15
\$ health expenditures/capita					2
Health Expenditures (bil \$)					10
\$ pharmaceuticals/000\$ health expenditures					9
Pharmaceutical Demand (mil \$)					10
net exports					0
Pharmaceutical Shipments (mil \$)					10

SAMPLE TABLE

CHART VIII-1

WORLD PHARMACEUTICAL PACKAGING, MERCHANT MARKET SHARE BY COMPANY (\$35.4 billion, 2010)



SAMPLE CHART

**Sample Profile,
 Table & Forecast**

TABLE V-12
SPAIN: PHARMACEUTICAL PACKAGING DEMAND
 (million dollars)

Item	2000	2005	2010	2015	2020
Pharmaceutical Shipments	75	80	85	90	95
\$ packaging/000\$ shipments	10	10	10	10	10
Pharmaceutical Packaging Demand	10	10	10	10	10
Primary Containers:					
Plastic Bottles	0	0	0	0	0
Blister Packaging	0	0	0	0	0
Prefillable Syringes	0	0	0	0	0
Parenteral Vials & Ampuls	0	0	0	0	0
Prefillable Inhalers	0	0	0	0	0
Pouches	0	0	0	0	0
Medication Tubes	0	0	0	0	0
Glass Bottles	0	0	0	0	0
IV Containers	0	0	0	0	0
Other Primary Containers	0	0	0	0	0
Closures	0	0	0	0	0
Labels	0	0	0	0	0
Secondary Containers	0	0	0	0	0
Prescription Containers	0	0	0	0	0
Packaging Accessories	0	0	0	0	0
% Spain	6	6	6	6	6
Western Europe Pharm Pkg Demand	10	10	10	10	10

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COMPANY PROFILES

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Annual Sales: \$1.1 billion (2009)
 Employed: 1,000

Key Products

Global Closure Systems manufactures plastic and metal closures for the pharmaceutical, household and industrial markets. Annually, the Company produces in excess of 30 billion closures. GCS is owned by Europe-based private equity firm PAI Partners Incorporated.

GCS competes in the world pharmaceutical packaging industry through the Astra Plastique SAS and the United Closures and Plastics Limited (UCP) subsidiaries. These companies manufacture a range of closures that can be used in pharmaceutical packaging applications.

Astra Plastique (France) manufactures child-resistant and tamper-evident closures for the pharmaceutical, industrial and food industries. Specifically, GCS makes VISTOP tamper-evident closures, which include seals, stoppers, drop dispensers, pourers and child-resistant types. These closures are available in a wide range of sizes and with various features. Astra Plastique also makes CAPEPHARMA lightweight screw-on closures for use with plastic or glass containers. Production operations for the company are conducted at a plant in Saint-Georges de Reneins, France.

“In spite of stringent prescription drug price controls, pharmaceutical demand in Spain will expand at a relatively strong pace, increasing 6.1 percent annually to \$32.7 billion in 2015. Growth will partially reflect continuing imbalances in primary medical resources, which will keep many residents dependent on medication to meet basic health care needs. Periodic price cuts on ethical drugs will inhibit faster gains.”

--Section V, pg. 253

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Labels

This study analyzes the US label industry. It presents historical demand data for the years 2000, 2005 and 2010, and forecasts for 2015 and 2020 by raw and stock material, application method (e.g., pressure sensitive, glue-applied, stretch sleeve and heat shrink, thermal transfer, in-mold), printing technology and function (e.g., primary, secondary, industrial, decorative, mailing and shipping). The study also considers market environment factors, details industry structure, evaluates company market share and profiles industry players.

#2784 July 2011 \$5100

Active & Intelligent Packaging

US demand for active and intelligent packaging will climb eight percent annually through 2015. Intelligent packaging will be the fastest growing segment, propelled by Quick Response (QR) and other two-dimensional (2D) barcodes. The dominant active packaging segment will be driven by above-average advances for gas scavengers and susceptor packaging. This study analyzes the \$1.5 billion US active and intelligent packaging industry, with forecasts for 2015 and 2020 by product and market. The study also evaluates company market share and profiles industry players.

#2772 June 2011 \$4900

World Caps & Closures

World demand for caps and closures will rise 4.6 percent annually through 2014. Growth will be based in part by a shift toward higher-value closures such as child-resistant, tamper-evident and dispensing types. Some of the best opportunities will be found in the Asia/Pacific region, where over two-fifths of market gains will occur. This study analyzes the \$32 billion world cap and closure industry, with forecasts for 2014 and 2019 by material, market, world region and for 18 countries. It also evaluates company market share and profiles industry participants.

#2719 January 2011 \$6100

Caps & Closures

US demand for caps and closures will rise 4 percent yearly through 2014. Advances will be aided by greater use of more costly dispensing and child-resistant closures, and by the ongoing popularity of single-serving containers. Plastic will remain the dominant material, while elastomer and rubber stoppers grow the fastest. This study analyzes the \$7.8 billion US cap and closure industry, with forecasts for 2014 and 2019 by raw material, product and market. It also evaluates company market share and profiles industry players.

#2688 October 2010 \$4900

Pharmaceutical Packaging

Demand for pharmaceutical packaging in the US is forecast to increase 5.3 percent annually through 2014. Gains will be driven by recently upgraded regulations and standards that will boost demand for high value-added containers and accessories. Parenteral containers and labels will be among the fastest growing types. This study analyzes the \$14.3 billion US pharmaceutical packaging industry, with forecasts for 2014 and 2019 by type and market. It also evaluates company market share and profiles industry players.

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