# Aurobindo Pharma receives USFDA approvals for Ampicillin for Injection

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Aurobindo Pharma Limited is pleased to announce that the company has received final approvals from the US Food & Drug Administration (USFDA) for 2 ANDAs namely, Ampicillin for Injection USP 125mg. 250mg, 500mg, 1g and 2g per vial and Ampicillin for Injection USP 10g (Pharmacy Bulk Pack) per vial.

Ampicillin for Injection USP is a Sterile Semi Synthetic Penicillin (SSP) product falling under the anti-infective segment and is generic equivalent to Sandoz Inc's Reference Listed Drug Ampicillin for injections USP.

Ampicillin for Injection USP is indicated in the treatment of infections caused by susceptible strains of the designated organisms in conditions such as Respiratory tracts infections, Bacterial Meningitis, Septicemia and Endocarditis, Urinary Tract and Gastrointestinal Infections etc The product has a market size of approximately US$ 45 Million according to IMS as of June 2009 and is ready for launch.

These are the first product approvals of Unit XII, a penicillin Sterile Injectable Formulation facility situated in Hyderabad, India by USFDA.

Aurobindo now has a total of 123 ANDA approvals (93 Final approvals and 30 Tentative approvals) from USFDA

**About Aurobindo Pharma Limited:**

Aurobindo Pharma Limited (www.aurobindo.com), headquartered at Hyderabad, India, manufactures generic pharmaceuticals and active pharmaceutical ingredients. The company's manufacturing facilities are approved by several leading regulatory agencies like US FDA, UK MHRA, WHO, Health Canada, MCC South Africa, ANVISA Brazil. The company's robust product portfolio is spread over 6 major therapeutic/product areas encompassing Antibiotics, Anti-Retrovirals, CVS, CNS, Gastroenterologicals, and Anti-Allergics, supported by an outstanding R&D set-up. The Company is marketing these products globally, in over 125 countries.

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