

PRESS RELEASE

SOTAX Group re-launches FT 2 Tablet Friability Tester in new design

February 2015: The FT 2 Tablet Friability Tester, formally branded as SOTAX, is now re-branded under the Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron product line. The well-established FT 2 Tablet Friability Tester is now available in the well-known Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron design. Robust, user-friendly operation and GMP/GLP-compliant reporting remain as key features of the FT 2.

The FT 2 uses a maintenance-free drive with programmable rotational speed (20 - 50 rpm) and ensures gentle starting and stopping of the drum. The anti-static drums are designed to fully engage with the drive to prevent any slippage.

At test start, the drum is automatically positioned for tablet loading. An opening in the anti-static drum allows tablets to be conveniently inserted without having to remove the drum. At the end of the test, the tablets are automatically discharged into a tray.

Weight readings before and after each test run can be either entered manually or collected automatically from a connected analytical balance. Printed reports include test parameters, time and date, and serial number of the instrument along with entry fields for user name and product details.

q-doc prolab® PC software complements the system allowing users to collect and manage data from all SOTAX and Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron physical testing instruments – from tablet hardness testers to disintegration, tap density and flowability testers. In addition, other equipment such as analytical balances, thickness gauges, and halogen moisture analyzers can all be connected.

In a networked environment, batches only need to be registered once in order to collect measurement data from different instruments. Measurement reports and batch reports can be electronically judged and released directly in q-doc if desired – and import/export functionalities for LIMS are readily available.

Further information: www.sotax.com/FT2



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About Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron:

Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron is a product brand of the SOTAX Group. With more than 20'000 testers in the market and more than 40 years of experience, Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron hardness testing technology is known worldwide for its reliability and accuracy. The SOTAX Group is an international leader in the development and manufacturing of equipment for dissolution testing, automated sample preparation and physical testing of pharmaceutical dosage forms. With a global network of service engineers, the company is also a trusted provider of installation, maintenance, repair and qualification services for its SOTAX and Dr. Schleuniger® Pharmatron branded systems and legacy Zymark products.

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