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Nonprescription Drugs USA: Market Analysis and Opportunities

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Forecasts to 2024

Regional Coverage: United States

A comprehensive analysis of the U.S. nonprescription drugs industry, focusing on key trends, developments, challenges, business opportunities, and new product activity. Offers insights, information, and forecasts in a new streamlined format.

This Report Helps Subscribers to:

- Understand industry trends
- Assess market size, performance, brand and company sales and shares
- Determine how regulatory developments impact the market
- Forecast future switch activity and the impact it will have on the market
- Ascertain the impact of new product activity
- Gain insights on promotional and marketing campaigns including digital and social media
- Identify retail distribution trends and shifts
- Put the market in perspective with five-year historical sales
- Forecast the market through 2024



Tentative Report Contents*

Introduction

Provides scope, sources and methods, definitions of each category in scope, assumptions, and remarks.

Executive Summary

An executive briefing covering developments in 2019, the impact of key trends and issues in the nonprescription drugs business, and their future implications for industry participants; includes analysis of retail distribution, private-label activity, and five-year forecasts through 2024.

Market Overview

Pertinent information plus insightful analysis of the market, including key trends and developments, manufacturers' sales for 2018 and 2019, sales and market shares for leading brands, new product activity, sales by retail channel, private-label sales, marketing activity, and forecast through 2024. The markets covered are shown in Table 1.

Database

This service features a fully searchable, exportable, interactive database that contains sales data, growth, market share, and forecasts for OTC brands and companies across the market segments shown in Table 1. Through its alliance with IRI, Kline now includes analysis of IRI MULO data for the year ending 2019 as part of this report.

* Subject to charter subscriber input



Table 1: Product Classes Profiled

Product class	Includes coverage of:
Digestive products	Antacids, anti-gas products, antidiarrheal preparations, antinausea preparations, and laxatives
Pain medications	Oral general pain relievers
Topical products	Anti-itch, diaper rash, eye care, first aid, fungicidals, oral care, topical analgesics
Upper respiratory products	Allergy relief, cold and sinus, cough medicines, and nasal and topical decongestants



Scope

Nonprescription Drugs USA is an extensive industry resource used widely by marketing executives and other industry participants for competitive analysis, market investigation for new products, acquisition screening, and business planning and forecasting. For more than 55 years, the study has proven to be the most authoritative and comprehensive source of information and insights on the nonprescription drugs industry. This report focuses solely on nonprescription drugs sold through domestic consumer outlets, including those marketed via drug stores, food stores, and mass merchandisers, in addition to other outlets such as convenience stores, dollar stores, health food stores, online, warehouse clubs, and mail order. Market data refer exclusively to sales through these outlets. Direct and mail order sales are included, but sales to institutions such as hospitals and nursing homes, along with exports, are excluded.

Key Benefits

Subscribers to **Nonprescription Drugs USA** are afforded the following benefits:

- Access to accurate sales data through all outlets based on primary research with knowledgeable industry participants
- A tool to learn about categories or brands that could be potential new entry/acquisition opportunities
- A source of valuable competitive information and intelligence
- Information about future Rx-to-OTC switches and the impact they will have on the market
- An understanding of industry trends that may impact your categories/brands
- An objective source on OTC marketing, promotions, retail distribution shifts, and regulatory developments
- Depth of knowledge with a solid decade of sales trend using five-year historical sales and five-year forecasts
- Access to Kline's searchable, exportable database with a rolling six years of sales data for hundreds of brands in the industry
- One day of consultation time to be used within six months of report publication

Methodology

Kline’s approach places principal emphasis on primary research techniques to ensure that the foundation of business intelligence and insight is accurate, current, and reliable. Building on our 60 years in the business and leveraging our worldwide network of offices, our teams of seasoned professionals draw upon pragmatic industrial and commercial experience to understand and interpret global impacts and local perspectives.

Primary Research

We Know Who to Talk to. We Know How to Listen.



A high number of in-depth discussions are conducted by each analyst. All interviews are done with true industry insiders.

Kline’s analysts draw upon pragmatic experience to understand global impacts and local perspectives. Our interviews engage experts across all pertinent fields and sectors including:

- Marketers/manufacturers
- Regulators
- Retailers
- Trade organizations

Secondary Research

We Know Where to Look – Mining the Details.



Analysis is further supplemented by secondary research, consisting of constant tracking of annual company reports, national statistics bureaus, trade/ industrial/professional associations, and the like. Through its alliance with IRI, Kline now includes analysis of IRI MULO data for the year ending 2019, plus other secondary sources, as part of this report.

Relevant developments are diligently followed and their impact closely monitored. Reports also draw upon non-confidential data from Kline’s internal database, consisting of over half a century’s syndicated research.

Comprehensive Market Intelligence

We Know How to Verify.



Data are rigorously analyzed, cross-checked, distilled, and validated. Kline’s proven methodology allows exceptionally effective, precise, and reliable market

intelligence, giving subscribers a solid foundation on which to grow, refine, and expand their business with confidence.

Kline Credentials

Kline is a leading global management consulting and market research firm offering the complete spectrum of services. The firm has served the management consulting and market research needs of organizations in the chemicals, materials, energy, life sciences, and consumer products industries for 60 years.

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