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VITAMIN

01

Calcium pantothenate prices hit a record low, with mainstream offers around USD 5/KG and a wide range across different brands, with lower levels for second- and third-tier producers. Customers purchase on demand while distributors continue digesting inventories.

Inositol supply is tight among major producers, with prices raised by USD 0.25–0.37. Distributors missed bottom-fishing opportunities and remain cautious with new orders.

AMINO ACID

02

Methionine remains weak, with solid methionine quoted at USD 2.7–2.74/KG, as users purchase only as needed.

Kemin Industries, Inc. completed the strategic acquisition of CJ Youtell (Hunan) Biotech Co., Ltd., strengthening its edge in enzyme and fermentation technologies.

API 03

Jiangsu Hengrui transferred its innovative drug SHR-A1811 to Glenmark, with a total deal value up to USD 1.093 billion.

Qilu Antibiotics Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. disclosed its cephalosporin API production line project with a total investment of USD 10.22 million. Once completed, it will produce 219.19 tons of cefazolin sodium, 10.33 tons of cefoperazone sodium/sulbactam sodium, 1.71 tons of latamoxef sodium, 1.65 tons of flomoxef sodium, and 1.65 tons of cefmetazole sodium annually, totaling 234.53 tons. This will expand both product range and capacity.

FOOD ADDITIVE

04

South Korea's Samyang Foods Co., Ltd. obtained approval from China's National Health Commission for allulose as a new food ingredient, becoming the first international company to receive such approval in China. The approval also facilitates the export of Korean foods containing allulose to China. The company stated it will seize this opportunity to accelerate expansion into China, North America, and Asia's low-sugar markets while continuing to pursue regulatory approvals in Japan and Europe.

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