

BOOK REVIEW

GOOD LABORATORY PRACTICE QUALITY AUDIT MANUAL

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Yes, this book is expensive but obviously the market is a very limited one for those of us involved in compliance to GLP a good book on the topic is certainly worth over \$100. The question therefore is will the book be used to such an extent as to justify this rather considerable outlay. Your reviewer recognizes that depending on their training, experience and professional interests our readers are likely to have differing views as to the value of this book. However, after carefully examining this manual I feel that all departments in the pharmaceutical industry which are directly involved with GLP's would indeed be well-advised to purchase this book for use either as a reference or as a routine manual.

This book is effectively organized into well-written sections and is generally free of typographical mistakes although there are some e.g. page 22 United States Agricultural Association (USDA). Section two of the book "GLP Audit Checklist" is likely to be particularly valuable to many users. (The publisher has given permission for some limited photocopying of the "Audit Checklist" by the original purchaser.) Obviously not everyone is going to find these checklists to be ideally suited for their own needs. However they certainly could be used as the basis for many purposes.

Thus for the select group of people in industry who have particular interest in GLP's this book is recommended.

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