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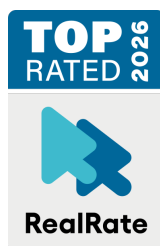
To the CEO
Merck Co Inc
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Merck Co Inc TOP Rated in the US Pharmaceutical Ranking

Dear Sir or Madam,

at RealRate we have just published the 2026 US Pharmaceutical ranking. I am happy to inform you that Merck Co Inc has been TOP Rated at rank 15 out of 178.

Overall, 178 US companies were analyzed with respect to their financial strength. The complete rating is published at <https://www.realrate.ai/rankings>. Your individual rating report, showing your strengths compared to your competitors is attached.



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Sincerely,

Dr. Holger Bartel, CEO