



Certificate of Analysis

Gentamicin Sulfate USP/EP

Catalog Number: GS1006
Lot Number: 1012701
CAS Number: 1405-41-0
Molecular Formula: $C_{21}H_{43}N_5O_7$
Molecular Weight: 477.60
Storage: 2°C – 8°C
Date of Manufacture: July 25, 2017
Retest Date: July 24, 2021

Test	Specification	Result
Appearance (EP)	White to off-white, hygroscopic powder.	Conforms
Potency (Dry Basis, USP)	$\geq 590\mu\text{g/mg}$	662 $\mu\text{g/mg}$
Potency (Dry Basis, EP)	$\geq 590\text{IU/mg}$	674IU/mg
Identification A (FTIR, USP)	To match reference spectra	Conforms
Identification B (Sulfates, USP)	Reaction indicative of sulfates.	Conforms
First Identification (EP) B Chromatography	5 principal peaks on the chromatogram match the reference solution.	Conforms
C Sulfates	Reaction indicative of sulfates.	Conforms
Second Identification (EP) A TLC	3 principal spots on the chromatogram match the reference solution.	Conforms
C Sulfates	Reaction indicative of sulfates.	Conforms
Sulfate (EP)	32.0 – 35%	34.2%
Solubility (EP)	Freely soluble in water, practically insoluble in ethanol	Conforms
Appearance of Solution (EP)	Clear, color intensity ≤ 6 of the range of reference solutions.	Conforms
Specific Rotation ($c=1$, USP/EP)	+107.0 to +121.0°	+118.0°
pH (40mg/mL, USP/EP)	3.5 – 5.5	4.5
Composition: C1a (USP)	10 – 35%	22%
C2+C2a (USP)	25 – 53%	45%
C2b+C1 (USP)	25 – 50%	33%
C1 (EP)	25 – 45%	30.6%
C1a (EP)	10 – 30%	21.6%
C2+C2a+C2b (EP)	35 – 55%	47.8%
Moisture (LOD, USP)	$\leq 18\%$	6.4%
Moisture (LOD, EP)	$\leq 15\%$	7.9%

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Residue on Ignition (USP)	$\leq 1.0\%$	0.2%
Sulfated Ash (EP)	$\leq 1.0\%$	0.2%
Limit of Methanol (USP/EP)	$\leq 1.0\%$	Conforms*
Related Substances (EP)		
Impurity A (Sisomicin)	$\leq 3.0\%$	Less than limit
Impurity B (Garamine)	$\leq 3.0\%$	Less than limit
Any other Impurity	$\leq 3.0\%$	0.9%
Total impurities	$\leq 10.0\%$	3.4%
Endotoxin (USP/EP)	$\leq 0.71\text{IU/mg}$	$< 0.06\text{IU/mg}$
Total Microbial Count EP (Aerobic+Yeast+Mold)	$\leq 100\text{cfu/g}$	0 cfu/g
Particle Size	$< 10\text{ mm} > 60\%$ $< 20\text{ mm} > 75\%$	76% 84%
This lot meets the specifications for USP40 and EP9.0.		

*Methanol is not used in production.

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