

Product Specification

Product group: Lactose

Brand name: Lactopress® Anhydrous

Powder

Product description: Anhydrous lactose

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Manufacturing site : DFE Pharma GmbH & Co.KG, Borculo, The Netherlands

Product name: Lactopress® Anhydrous Powder

Conforms to Ph.Eur Lactose monograph / USP - NF, JP, ChP Anhydrous

Lactose monograph, current at time of manufacture

Product description: A white or almost white, crystalline powder freely soluble in

water, practically insoluble in ethanol

Residual solvents

(CPMP/ICH/283/95): No class 1,2,3 solvents are used during production

Physical-Chemical data: Specification

Identification conform USP - NF, Ph.Eur, JP

Appearance of solution (Ph.Eur.) Clear and not more coloured than ref. BY 7

Residue on ignition max. 0.1 % Water max. 1.0 % Loss on drying max. 0.5 %

Acidity max. 0.4 ml 0.1 N NaOH

Isomer ratio (Alpha lactose) (max. 50%)

(Beta-lactose) (min. 50%)

Specific Optical Rotation (on anhydrous basis) +54.4° to +55.9° Absorbance between 210-220 nm (1%, 1 cm) max. 0.25

Absorbance between 270-300 nm (1%, 1 cm) max. 0.07
Absorbance at 400 nm (10%, 1 cm) max. 0.04
Heavy metals max. 5 ppm

Arsenic max. 2 ppm
Assay by HPLC 98 – 102 %

Identify material by HPLC pass

Related substances by HPLC max. 0.5 %

Microbiological data: Specification

TAMC max. 100 / g
Bile tolerant gram negative bacteria absent in 10 g
Escherichia coli absent in 10 g
Salmonellae absent in 5x25 g

TYMC max. 10 / g

<u>Particle size</u> (Airjet sieve analysis, Alpine) <u>Specification</u>

< 75 μm 65 – 80 % < 150 μm 85 – 95 % min. 95 %



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Packaging:

A carton box with polyethylene inner liner

Storage:

Keep in original, unopened packing and away from strongly odorous materials

Store at room temperature (normal warehouse conditions), allowing temporary

excursions.

Retest date:

Product has a retest date of 24 months.

This document substitutes all previous versions issued for the brand names mentioned above. We trust this information, which is made up to the best of our knowledge, will be helpful to you.

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