

## **Product Specification**

Product group: Lactose

Brand name: Pharmatose® 300M (EU)

Article code: 1246886

Product description:Lactose monohydrate

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Manufacturing site: FrieslandCampina DMV BV, Veghel, The Netherlands

Product name: Pharmatose 300M

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

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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:

IdentificationComplies with Pharmacopoeia when testedAppearance of solution (Ph. Eur.)Clear and not more coloured than ref. BY 7Clarity and Colour of SolutionClear and colourless or nearly colourless

Residue on ignition/Sulphated ash max. 0.1 % Water (KF) 4.5 - 5.5 % Loss on drying max. 0.5 %

Acidity max. o.4 ml o.1 N NaOH

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:

Total aerobic microbial count max. 100 cfu/g
Yeasts and moulds max. 10 cfu/g
E. coli neg. in 10 g
Salmonella neg. in 500 g



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Particle size distribution (Air jet sieve) Specification

% <32 μm 45 - 75 % <100 μm min. 90

Packaging: a paper bag 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.

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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