

## Product Datasheet

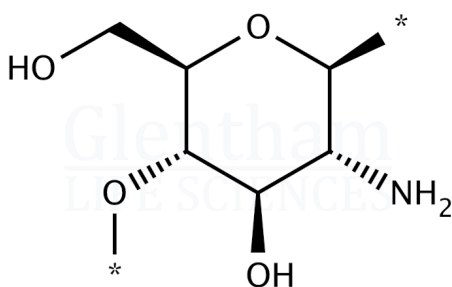
### GP8956 - Chitosan (300 - 1000 cps); medium molecular weight

#### Product Details

Product Name	Chitosan (300 - 1000 cps); medium molecular weight
Glentham Code	GP8956
CAS Number	9012-76-4
EINECS	618-480-0
MDL Number	MFCDD00161512
Related Categories	APIs, Carbohydrates, Biochemicals, Natural Products, Polysaccharides, Oligosaccharides, Chitin & Chitosan

#### Structure

Molecular Weight : 1,250,000 (avg.)  
Molecular Formula : [C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>4</sub>]<sub>n</sub>



#### Storage

Recommended storage temperature: +20°C.

#### Hazards and Transport

Not classified as hazardous under CLP.  
Not classified as dangerous for transport.

#### Glentham Product Specification

Physical Description	: White to light-tan powder
Degree of Deacetylation	: ≥ 90.0%
Ash	: ≤ 1.0%
Viscosity	: 300 - 1000 cps
Water	: ≤ 8.0%
Solubility (in acetic acid)	: ≥ 99%
pH	: 6.0 - 8.0 (1%, 20°C)
Arsenic (As)	: ≤ 1mg/kg
Lead (Pb)	: ≤ 0.5mg/kg
Mercury (Hg)	: ≤ 0.1mg/kg
Particle Size	: ≤ 100 mesh
Microbiological Counts	: E. coli: ≤ 3 MPN/g : Salmonella spp.: Absent : Yeast and Moulds: ≤ 100 CFU/g : Total Plate Count: ≤ 1000 CFU/g
Version	: v1.1

#### About Chitosan (300 - 1000 cps); medium molecular weight

Chitosan is a polysaccharide comprised of linked D-glucosamine and N-acetyl-D-glucosamine units. It is produced by the deacetylation of chitin, a naturally occurring polysaccharide. Chitosan is commercially used in agriculture as a biopesticide but has potential applications in the biomedical field due to its antibacterial properties. This product is derived from shrimp shell.

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