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Product Datasheet

GA0505 - Chloramphenicol, USP grade

Pictograms



Product Details

Product Name Chloramphenicol, USP grade

Glentham Code GA0505 CAS Number 56-75-7 EINECS 200-287-4

Structure

Molecular Weight : 323.14

Molecular Formula : $C_{11}H_{12}CI_2N_2O_5$

Storage

Recommended storage temperature: +4°C.

Hazards and Transport

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

CLP Classification Carc. 1B, STOT RE 2, Repr. 2, STOT RE 1, Muta.

1B'

Signal Word Danger

Hazard Codes H350, H373, H361, H372,

H340

Precautionary Codes P281, P308+P313, P260,

P270

Glentham Product Specification

Physical : White to light-yellow crystalline

Description powder

Identification : A, B according to USP

Melting Point : 149 - 153 °C

Specific Optical : +17.0 - +20.0 ° (c=5, ethanol)

: ≤ 1.0%

: 97.0 - 103.0 %

Rotation

Crystallinity : According to USP

pH (2.5% in : 4.5 - 7.5

water) Organic

Assay

Impurities

Pharmacopoeia : USP

Pharmacopoeia Specification(s)

Version : v1.0

About Chloramphenicol, USP grade

Chloramphenicol is a broad-spectrum synthetic antibiotic originally isolated from Streptomyces venezuelae. It is effective against gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria. Chloramphenicol acts as a bacteriostatic agent by binding reversibly to the 50S ribosomal subunit, interfering with peptide synthesis. It has applications in antibiotic resistance gene testing, as a selection agent in bacterial cell culture, and as a substrate in the CAT assay.

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