

## THE GOVERNMENT PHARMACEUTICAL ORGANIZATION

### **RAW MATERIAL SPECIFICATION**

Title: Salicylic Acid BP

Spec. No. : SP-AK30-S2

(Item No. 41023500)

Reference(s): BP 2019 page II-838 to II-839

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Other Requirements: GPO Specification

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#### **BP 2019**

Test Parameters	Requirement		
Description	White or almost white, crystalline powder or white or colourless, acicular crystals.		
Solubility	Slightly soluble in water, freely soluble in ethanol (96%), sparingly soluble in methyl chloride.		
Identification	First identification: A, B. Second identification: A, C.		
	A. Melting point: 158 °C to 161 °C.		
	B. Infrared absorption spectrophotometry.		
	C. It gives reaction (a) of salicylates.		
Appearance of solution	The solution (1 g in 10 mL of ethanol 96%) is clear and colourless (Method II).		
Related substances	Impurity A : Not more than 0.1%.		
	Impurity B : Not more than 0.05%.		
	Impurity C : Not more than 0.02%.		
	Unspecified impurities: Not more than 0.05%.		
	Total impurities : Not more than 0.2%.		
Chlorides	Not more than 100 ppm.		
Sulfates	Not more than 200 ppm.		
Loss on drying	Not more than 0.5%.		
Sulfated ash	Not more than 0.1%.		
Assay	99.0% to 100.5% of Salicylic Acid (C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>6</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ), calculated on the dried substance.		

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Test Parameter	Requirement		
Heavy metals	Not more than 20 ppm.		The second second second

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#### **Product Information**

Approved source(s) Refer to current version of Approved Supplier List of Salicylic Acid BP (Item No. 410235	
Sampling plan	For Identification: 100%.  For Other Tests: n plan.
Testing procedure Tests to be performed as per current version of WI-AK30-S2.	
Storage condition Store at a condition stated on the label from the manufacturer. Protected from light.	
Retest period 1 year after first testing date.	

#### History of changes

Rev. No.	Description	Effective Date
03	Update ข้อกำหนดตาม BP 2011	29/04/11
04	Update ข้อกำหนดตาม BP 2013	20/06/17
05	Update ข้อกำหนดตาม BP 2019 และ GPO Specification โดยปรับหัวข้อ Heavy metals มาอยู่ใน GPO Specification เนื่องจากไม่ระบุใน monograph	

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