

S P E C I F I C A T I O N Vitamin B12 (Cyanocobalamin)

Production unit Heilongjiang NHU Biotechnology

Description

Ingredients $Co\alpha$ -[α -(5,6-Dimethylbenzimidazolyl)], Co θ -

cyanocobalamide

Synonym Cyanocobalamin, Vitamin B 12

Formula $C_{63}H_{88}CoN_{14}O_{14}P$

Product code SPQB01 CAS-No. 68-19-9

Properties

Shelf life 60 months in unopened original packaging
Aspect Dark red, crystalline powder or dark red crystals

Assay (GC) 96 – 100,5 % (FCC)

Loss on drying < 12 %

Solubility sparingly soluble in water, soluble in alcohol, insoluble

in acetone, chloroform and ether (FCC)

Identification UV Have maximum absorption at 278 ± 1 nm, 361 ± 1 nm

and 550 ± 1 nm

A 361 nm/A 278 nm: 1.70 to 1.90 A 361 nm/A 550 nm: 3.15 to 3.40

HPLC The principal peak in the chromatogram obtained with

the test solution is similar in retention time and size to the principal peak in the chromatogram obtained with

reference solution.

Heavy metals (USP) $\leq 10 \text{ mg/kg}$ Arsenic (As) $\leq 0.5 \text{ mg/kg}$ Lead (Pb) $\leq 0.2 \text{ mg/kg}$ Mercury (Hg) $\leq 0.1 \text{ mg/kg}$ Cadmium (Cd) $\leq 0.2 \text{ mg/kg}$

Microbiological specs

Total plate count $≤ 1000 \, \text{CFU/g}$ Mould and Yeast $≤ 100 \, \text{CFU/g}$ E. coli negative in 10 g Salmonella negative in 25 g Staph. aureus negative in 25 g

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Residual solvents (Acetone) ≤ 5000 mg/kg

Impurities (EP)

A: 7β,8β-Lactocyanocobalamin: ≤ 0.7% B: 50-Carboxycyanocobalamin: ≤ 0.5% C: 34-Methylcyanocobalamin: ≤ 1.5% D: 32-Carboxycyanocobalamin: ≤ 0.5% E: 8-epi-Cyanocobalamin: ≤ 0.5% F: unknown structure ≤ 0,5 % (Cyanocobalamin isomer) Any other unidentified impurity ≤ 0,2 % **Total impurities** ≤ 3 %

Handling

Usage for food industry

product can also be used as feed additive

dosage in feed: as per latest version of European

feedstuff law

Storage store in tight, light-resistent containers, room

temperature

Transport instructions please see our latest MSDS.

The product is compliant to EP, USP and FCC in the current version.

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