

SPECIFICATION

Vitamin A 1.000.000 I.U./g Palmitate (Pharma USP/EP)

Production unit

Shangyu NHU Biochem

Description

Ingredients

retinyl palmitate, sunflower oil as dilution, DL-alpha-tocopherol (E307) as antioxidant

Synonym

Retinyl palmitate
All-E-3,7-dimethyl-9-(2,6,6-trimethyl-1-cyclohexen-1-enyl)nona-2,4,6,8-tetraen-1-yl-Palmitate

Formula

$C_{36}H_{60}O_2$

Product code

YYPY13

CAS No

79-81-2

Properties

Shelf life

24 months after production date in unopened original packaging

Aspect

A fat-like, light yellow solid or oily liquid

Assay (LC)

Min. 1.000.000 IU/g

Acid value

Max. 2,0 (Ph. Eur.)

Peroxides

Max. 10 meq/kg (Ph. Eur.)

Heavy metals

Max. 10 mg/kg

Arsenic (As)

Max. 1 mg/kg

Traces of BHT

Max. 0,1 %

Retinol

Max. 1,0 %

Absorbance ratio

Min. 0,85 (USP procedure 1)

Related substances

A_{300}/A_{326} – max 0,60

A_{350}/A_{326} – max. 0,54

A_{370}/A_{326} – max. 0,14

Identification (USP)

A: Color reaction with antimony III

B: TLC

Antioxidant

DL-Alpha-Tocopherol/Alpha-Tocopherol (1b307/E307)

Residual Solvents

Meets the USP requirements

Microbiological specs

Total plate count

< 1000 CFU/g

Mould and Yeast

< 100 CFU/g

Coliforms

Negative in 10 g

Salmonella

Negative in 25 g

Handling

Stability

Vitamin A palmitate is sensitive to atmospheric oxygen, light and heat.

Usage

for cosmetic and food industry; product can also be used as feed additive, which consists of retinyl palmitate (3a672b) and alpha-tocopherol (1b307) as antioxidant, dosage in feed: as per latest version of European feedstuff law

Storage

It should be stored in the unopened original container at a temperature below 15°C. Once opened, it is recommended to flush the packaging with an inert gas and to use the remaining contents as quickly as possible.

Transport instructions

please see our latest MSDS

Classified as **hazardous substance** as per EU regulation.

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