

Product Specification

Product group: Lactose
 Brand name: Pharmatose® 150M (EU)
 Article code: 659107/659108/659110
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 Product description: Lactose monohydrate
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Manufacturing site: FrieslandCampina DMV BV, Veghel, The Netherlands
 Product name: Pharmatose 150M
 Conforms to USP - NF, Ph.Eur., JP Lactose monohydrate monograph, current at time of manufacture
 Product description: A white or almost white, crystalline powder freely soluble in water, practically insoluble in ethanol
 Residual solvents (CPMP/ICH/283/95): No class 1,2,3 solvents are used during production
 Identification: Complies with Pharmacopoeia when tested

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Water (KF)	4.5 - 5.5 %
Loss on drying	max. 0.5 %
Specific optical rotation: [α] ²⁰ _D , anhydrous basis	+54.4° to +55.9°
Residue on ignition/Sulphated ash	max. 0.10 %
Proteins and Light Absorbing Impurities	
[A] 1%, 1 cm at 270 - 300 nm	max. 0.07
[A] 1%, 1 cm at 210 - 220 nm	max. 0.25
Appearance of solution (Ph.Eur.)	Clear and not more coloured than ref. BY 7
Clarity and Colour of Solution	
[A] 10%, 1 cm at 400 nm	Clear and colourless or nearly colourless max. 0.04
Acidity or Alkalinity (ml 0.1 N NaOH/6 g)	max. 0.4
Heavy metals	max. 5 ppm

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Particle size distribution	% < 45 µm	max. 50
(Air jet sieve)	% <100 µm	min. 70
	% <150 µm	min. 85
	% <315 µm	100

Total aerobic microbial count	max. 100 cfu/g
Yeasts and moulds	max. 10 cfu/g
E. coli	neg. in 10 g
Salmonella	neg. in 100 g

Storage:

Keep in original, unopened packing and away from strongly odorous materials
Temperature averaging between 5 and 25 °C, relative humidity of max. 70%

This document substitutes all previous versions issued for the brand names mentioned above.
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