

Data Sheet

Product Description

DL-alpha-Tocopheryl Acetate is a clear, colorless, slightly greenish-yellow viscous oily liquid.

Product Identification

Synonym Tocopheryl acetate

CAS No. 7695-91-2 *EINECS No.* 231-710-0

INCI name Vitamin E acetate

Chemical Structure

Chemical Formula: C₃₁H₅₂O₃ Molecular Weight: 472.75

Specifications

Description	Clear, colorless, slightly greenish-yellow, viscous,	
	oily liquid EP/US	P/FCC
Identification		
A: Optical rotation	-0.01°~+0.01°	EP
B: IR	To conform	EP/USP/FCC
C: TLC	To conform	EP
D: Color reaction	Positive	USP/FCC
C: Retention time	To conform	USP/FCC
Assay	96.5%~102.0%	EP
	96.0%~102.0%	USP/FCC
	98.0%~ 102.0%	In-house
Related Substances		
Impurity A	≤0.5%	EP
Impurity B	≤1.5%	EP
Impurity C	≤0.5%	EP
Impurity D and E	≤1.0%	EP
Any other Impurity	≤0.25%	EP
Total Impurities	≤2.5%	EP

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Acidity	1.0 ml	USP/FCC
Residual Solvents		
Isobutyl acetate	≤0.5%	In-house
Pb	≤2 mg/kg	FCC
Arsenic	≤1 mg/kg	In-house
Copper	≤25 mg/kg	In-house
Zinc	≤25 mg/kg	In-house
Hg*	≤0.1 mg/kg	In-house
Cd*	≤1 mg/kg	In-house
Microbiological tests *		
Total viable aerobic count	≤1000 cfu/g	EP/USP
Total yeasts and moulds count	≤100 cfu/g	EP/USP
Escherichia coli	n.d./g	EP/USP
Salmonella	n.d./10g	EP/USP
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	n.d./g	EP/USP
Staphylococcus aureus	n.d./g	EP/USP
Bile-Tolerant Gram-Negative Bacteria	n.d./g	EP/USP

Remark: * Perform the tests regularly

Compendial requirements

The dl-alpha-tocopheryl acetate contained in this product meets all requirements of the relevant monographs of USP, FCC and Ph. Eur. when tested according to these compendia.

Storage and Stability

The product may be stored for 36 months from the date of manufacture in the unopened original container and at room temperature.

It should be protected from light, heat, oxygen and moisture. Keep the container tightly closed. Once opened, use contents quickly.

Uses

For fortification of margarine, oil and fat, nutrition products and baby food, also used in soft capsules.

Safety

This product is safe for the intended use. Avoid ingestion, inhalation of dust or direct contact by applying suitable protective measures and personal hygiene.

See Material Safety Data Sheet for full safety information.

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