

CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

RISPERIDONE BP / Ph Eur

| TEST | SPECIFICATIONS |
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| DESCRIPTION | A WHITE OR ALMOST WHITE POWDER |
| SOLUBILITY | PRACTICALLY INSOLUBLE IN WATER, FREELY SOLUBLE IN METHYLENE CHLORIDE, SPARINGLY SOLUBLE IN ETHANOL (96%). IT DISSOLVES IN DILUTE ACID SOLUTIONS. IT SHOWS POLYMORPHISM |
| IDENTIFICATION | INFRA-RED SPECTRUM IS CONCORDANT WITH STANDARD REFRENCE SPECTRA |
| APPEARANCE OF SOLUTION (0.1% W/V SOLUTION IN 0.75% W/V SOLUTION OF TARTARIC ACID) | A SOLUTION IS CLEAR AND NOT MORE INTENSELY COLOURED THAN REFERENCE SOLUTION B_9 |
| LOSS ON DRYING AT 105ºC FOR 4 HOURS | MAXIMUM 0.5% (W/W) |
| SULPHATED ASH | MAXIMUM 0.1% (W/W) |
| RELATED SUBSTANCES BY HPLC | SINGLE KNOWN AS IMPURITY NMT 0.2% (IMPURITY A, B, C, D & E) ANY OTHER IMPURITY NMT 0.10% (INCLUDING INSATURATED RISPERIDONE) TOTAL IMPURITIES NMT 0.3% |
| ASSAY (N) | 99.0% TO 101.0% (W/W) ON DRIED BASIS |
| ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT | |
| RESIDUAL SOLVENTS 1. METHANOL | NOT MORE THAN 100 PPM |
| 2. ETHANOL | NOT MORE THAN 100 PPM |
| 3. ACETONITRILE | NOT MORE THAN 200 PPM |
| 4. DICHLOROETHANE | NOT MORE THAN 200 PPM |
| 5. N-HEXANE | NOT MORE THAN 100 PPM |
| 6. DICHLOROETHANE | NOT MORE THAN 5 PPM |
| 7. BENZENE | NOT MORE THAN 2 PPM |
| 8. TOLUENE | NOT MORE THAN 100 PPM |
| 9. DIMETHYLFORMAMIDE | NOT MORE THAN 400 PPM |



PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION (BY LASER GRANULOMETER)

100% < 60 MICRONS MINIMUM 50% < 20 MICRONS MINIMUM 10% < 10 MICRONS