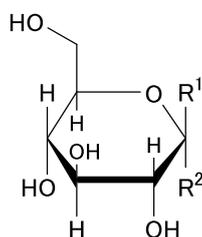


## 1 Purified Glucose

2 精製ブドウ糖



α-D-glucopyranose: R<sup>1</sup>=H, R<sup>2</sup>=OH

β-D-glucopyranose: R<sup>1</sup>=OH, R<sup>2</sup>=H

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4 C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>6</sub>: 180.16

5 D-Glucopyranose

6 [50-99-7]

7 This monograph is harmonized with the European Pharmaco-  
8 poeia and the U.S. Pharmacopeia. The parts of the text that are  
9 not harmonized are marked with symbols (◆ ◆) or (◇ ◇).

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11 Purified Glucose is D-glucopyranose derived from  
12 starch.

13 It contains not less than 97.5% and not more than  
14 102.0% of glucose [D-glucopyranose (C<sub>6</sub>H<sub>12</sub>O<sub>6</sub>)],  
15 calculated on the anhydrous basis.

16 ◆**Description** Purified Glucose occurs as white crystals or  
17 crystalline powder, and has a sweet taste.

18 It is freely soluble in water, and slightly soluble in methanol  
19 and in ethanol (95).◆

20 ◇**Identification** ◇(1) Add 2 to 3 drops of a solution of Purified  
21 Glucose (1 in 20) to 5 mL of boiling Fehling's TS: a red precipi-  
22 tate is produced.◇

23 (2) Perform the test with 20 μL each of the sample solution  
24 and standard solution obtained in the Assay as directed under  
25 Liquid Chromatography <2.01> according to the following condi-  
26 tions: the principal peak in the chromatogram obtained from the  
27 sample solution is similar in retention time and size to the prin-  
28 cipal peak in the chromatogram obtained from the standard solu-  
29 tion.

30 *Operating conditions*—

31 Proceed as directed in the operating conditions in the Assay.

32 *System suitability*—

33 Proceed as directed in the system suitability in the Assay.

34 **Purity** (1) Clarity and color of solution—Dissolve 10.0 g of  
35 Purified Glucose in 15 mL of water by heating on a water bath,  
36 and allow to cool to room temperature: the solution is clear and  
37 its clarity is the same as that of water or its opalescence is not  
38 more pronounced than that of reference suspension I, and it is not  
39 more intensely colored than the following control solution.

40 Control solution: To a mixture of 2.5 mL of Cobalt (II) Chloride CS, 6.0 mL of Iron (III) Chloride CS, and 1.0 mL of Copper

42 (II) Sulfate CS, add diluted dilute hydrochloride (1 in 10) to  
43 make 1000 mL.

44 ◆(2) Heavy metals <1.07>—Proceed with 5.0 g of Purified  
45 Glucose according to Method 2, and perform the test. Prepare the  
46 control solution with 2.0 mL of Standard Lead Solution (not  
47 more than 4 ppm).◆

48 (3) Related substances—Use the sample solution obtained in  
49 the Assay as the sample solution. Pipet 1 mL of the sample solu-  
50 tion, add water to make exactly 250 mL, and use this solution as  
51 the standard solution (1). Pipet 25 mL of the standard solution  
52 (1), add water to make exactly 200 mL, and use this solution as  
53 the standard solution (2). Perform the test with exactly 20 μL  
54 each of the sample solution, the standard solution (1) and the  
55 standard solution (2) as directed under Liquid Chromatography  
56 <2.01> according to the following conditions. Determine each  
57 peak area by the automatic integration method: the total area of  
58 maltose and isomaltose, having the relative retention time of  
59 about 0.8 to glucose, obtained from the sample solution, is not  
60 larger than the peak area of glucose obtained from the standard  
61 solution (1) (not more than 0.4%), and the area of maltotriose,  
62 having the relative retention time of about 0.7 to glucose, ob-  
63 tained from the sample solution, is not larger than 1/2 times the  
64 peak area of glucose obtained from the standard solution (1) (not  
65 more than 0.2%), and the area of fructose, having the relative  
66 retention time of about 1.3 to glucose, obtained from the sample  
67 solution, is not larger than 3 times the peak area of glucose ob-  
68 tained from the standard solution (2) (not more than 0.15%), and  
69 the area of the peak other than glucose and the peaks mentioned  
70 above, obtained from the sample solution, is not larger than 2  
71 times the peak area of glucose obtained from the standard solu-  
72 tion (2) (not more than 0.10%). Furthermore, the total area of the  
73 peaks other than glucose, obtained from the sample solution, is  
74 not larger than 1.25 times the peak area of glucose obtained from  
75 the standard solution (1) (not more than 0.5%). For these calcula-  
76 tions the peak areas not larger than the peak area of glucose ob-  
77 tained from the standard solution (2) are excluded (disregard  
78 limit: 0.05%).

79 *Operating conditions*—

80 Detector, column, column temperature, mobile phase and flow  
81 rate: Proceed as directed in the operating conditions in the Assay.

82 Time span of measurement: About 1.5 times as long as the  
83 retention time of glucose.

84 *System suitability*—

85 System performance: Proceed as directed in the system  
86 suitability in the Assay.

87 ◇Test for required detectability: Confirm that the peak area of  
88 glucose obtained with 20 μL of the standard solution (2) is  
89 equivalent to 8.75 to 16.25% of that obtained with 20 μL of the  
90 standard solution (1).

91 System repeatability: When the test is repeated 6 times with 20  
92 μL of the standard solution (1) under the above operating  
93 conditions, the relative standard deviation of the peak area of  
94 glucose is not more than 1.0%.◇

95 (4) Dextrin—To 1.0 g of powdered Purified Glucose add 20  
96 mL of ethanol (95), and boil under a reflux condenser: the solu-  
97 tion is clear.

98 (5) Soluble starch and sulfite—To 6.7 g of Purified Glucose  
99 add 15 mL of water, heat on a water bath, cool, and add 25  $\mu\text{L}$  of  
100 0.05 mol/L iodine TS: a yellow color develops (not more than 15  
101 ppm as  $\text{SO}_3$ ).

102 **Conductivity** <2.51> Dissolve 20.0 g of Purified Glucose in a  
103 fleshly boiled and cooled distilled water to make 100 mL, and  
104 use this solution as the sample solution. Measure the conductivi-  
105 ty of the sample solution at  $25 \pm 0.1^\circ\text{C}$  while gently stirring with  
106 a magnetic stirrer: not more than  $20 \mu\text{S} \cdot \text{cm}^{-1}$ .

107 **Water** <2.48> Not more than 1.0% (0.5 g, volumetric titration,  
108 direct titration).

109 **Assay** Weigh accurately about 0.3 g each of Purified Glucose  
110 and  $\blacklozenge$ Glucose RS $\blacklozenge$  (separately determine the water <2.48> in  
111 the same manner as Purified Glucose), dissolve separately in  
112 water to make exactly 10 mL, and use these solutions as the  
113 sample solution and the standard solution, respectively. Perform  
114 the test with exactly 20  $\mu\text{L}$  each of the sample solution and  
115 standard solution as directed under Liquid Chromatography  
116 <2.01> according to the following conditions, and determine the  
117 peak areas,  $A_T$  and  $A_S$ , of glucose in each solution.

118 Amount (g) of glucose ( $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$ ) =  $M_S \times A_T / A_S$

119  $M_S$ : Amount (g) of Glucose RS taken, calculated on the anhy-  
120 drous basis

121 *Operating conditions* —

122 Detector: A differential refractometer maintained at a constant  
123 temperature ( $40^\circ\text{C}$  for example).

124 Column: A stainless steel column 7.8 mm in inside diameter  
125 and 30 cm in length, packed with strongly acidic ion-exchange  
126 resin for liquid chromatography (Ca type) composed with a  
127 sulfonated polystyrene cross-linked with 8% of divinylbenzene  
128 ( $9 \mu\text{m}$  in particle diameter).

129 Column temperature:  $85 \pm 1^\circ\text{C}$ .

130 Mobile phase: Water.

131 Flow rate: 0.3 mL/min (the retention time of glucose is about  
132 21 minutes).

133 *System suitability* —

134 System performance: Dissolve 5 mg of maltose, 5 mg of  
135 maltotriose and 5 mg of fructose in 50 mL of water, and use this  
136 solution as the solution for system suitability test. When the  
137 procedure is run with 20  $\mu\text{L}$  each of the solution for system  
138 suitability test and the standard solution (2) in Purity (3) under  
139 the above operating conditions, maltotriose, maltose, isomaltose,  
140 glucose and fructose are eluted in this order, the relative retention  
141 times of maltotriose, maltose, isomaltose and fructose to glucose  
142 are about 0.7, about 0.8, about 0.8 and about 1.3, respectively,  
143 and the resolution between the peaks of maltotriose and maltose  
144 is not less than 1.3.

145  $\diamond$ System repeatability: When the test is repeated 6 times with  
146 20  $\mu\text{L}$  of the standard solution under the above operating  
147 conditions, the relative standard deviation of the peak area of  
148 glucose is not more than 1.0%. $\diamond$

149  $\blacklozenge$ Containers and storage Containers—Tight containers. $\blacklozenge$

150 **Add the following to 9.01 Reference Standards**  
151 **(1) :**

152 **Glucose RS**