

# PHARMACOPOEIAL DISCUSSION GROUP

## SIGN-OFF DOCUMENT (REVISION 1)

NAME: ETHANOL, ANHYDROUS

Attribute	EP	JP	USP
Definition	+	+	+
Identification A, B	+	+	+
Appearance	+	+	+
Acidity or alkalinity	+	+	+
Relative density	+	+	+
Absorbance	+	+	+
Volatile impurities	+	+	+
Residue on evaporation	+	+	+
Storage	+	+	+

### Legend

+ will adopt and implement ; - will not stipulate

### Non-harmonised attributes

Characters

### Relative density

The values for relative density are expressed at different temperatures in the three pharmacopoeias.

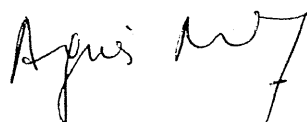
### Reagents and reference materials

Each pharmacopoeia will adapt the text to take account of local reference substances and spectra and reagent specifications.

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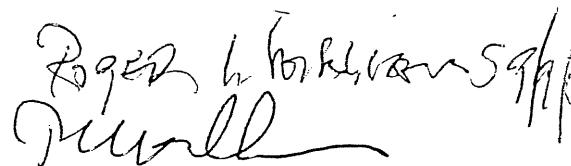
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