

PHARMACOPOEIAL DISCUSSION GROUP

STAGE 5B/2 SIGN-OFF DOCUMENT

NAME: SODIUM CHLORIDE

Attribute	EP	JP	USP
Definition	+	+	+
Identification A	+	+	+
Identification B	+	+	+
Acidity or alkalinity	+	+	+
Bromides	+	+	+
Ferrocyanides	+	+	+
Iodides	+	+	+
Nitrites	+	-	+
Phosphates	+	+	+
Sulphates	+	+	+
Aluminium	+	-	+
Barium	+	+	+
Iron	+	+	+
Magnesium and alkaline-earth metals	+	+	+
Potassium	+	-	+
Loss on drying	+	+	+
Bacterial endotoxins	+	-	+
Assay	+	+	+

Legend: + will adopt and implement; - will not stipulate

Non-harmonised attributes

Appearance of solution, Arsenic, Heavy metals, Characters, Labelling

Reagents and reference materials

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

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