

SPECIFICATION

Methyl Parahydroxybenzoate

for the Japanese Pharmacopoeia General Tests

REQUIREMENT	SPECIFICATION
Description (JP method)	Colorless crystals or white crystalline powder
Identification (JP method)	to pass test
Melting point (JP method)	125~128°C
Purity (JP method)	-
(1) Clarity and color of solution (JP method)	to pass test
(2) Acidity (JP method)	to pass test
(3) Heavy metals (JP method)	max.20ppm
(4) Related substances (JP method)	to pass test
Residue on ignition (JP method)	max.0.1%
Assay (JP method)	98.0~102.0%
* Loss on drying over silica gel in vacuum	max.0.5%

*:Additional test performed by Wako