Quality standards

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Hydrogen Peroxide Mouthwash

General Notices

DEFINITION

Hydrogen Peroxide Mouthwash is Hydrogen Peroxide Solution (6 per cent).

The mouthwash complies with the requirements stated under Oromucosal Preparations and with the following requirements.

Content of hydrogen peroxide, H₂O₂

5.0 to 7.0% w/v.

IDENTIFICATION;

Acidity; Non-volatile matter; Organic stabilisers Complies with the requirements stated under Hydrogen Peroxide Solution (6 per cent).

ASSAY

Dilute 10 mL to 100 mL with <u>water</u>. To 10 mL of the resulting solution add 20 mL of 1_M <u>sulfuric acid</u> and titrate with 0.02_M <u>potassium permanganate VS</u>. Each mL of 0.02_M <u>potassium permanganate VS</u> is equivalent to 1.701 mg of H_2O_2 .

STORAGE

Hydrogen Peroxide Mouthwash should be protected from light.