



TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

SPECIFICATIONS

Product Name : SALICYLIC ACID
INCI Name : Salicylic Acid
CAS No. : 69-72-7
Description of Product : Salicylic Acid is derived from the metabolism of salicin. In addition to being an important active metabolite of aspirin (acetylsalicylic acid), which acts in part as a prodrug to Salicylic Acid, it is probably best known for its use in anti-acne treatments. Salicylic Acid is used as a food preservative and as a bactericidal and antiseptic.

TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Test	Specification
Description	White crystalline powder
Melting Point	158.0 – 161.0
Assay EP (dry basis)	99.0% – 100.5%
Assay USP (dry basis)	98.0% – 102.0%

ADDITIONAL DATA

Uses : Used in a great number of cosmetic applications for acne and oily skin as a chemical exfoliant. It works as a keratolytic, bactericide, and comedolytic agent. It is in many skin care products and dandruff shampoos.

Recommended Use Level : up to 2%

Packaging : 25kg bag

Shelf Life : 5 years