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## **Product Datasheet**

GA0258 - Chloramphenicol

**Product Details** 

Product Name Chloramphenicol

 Glentham Code
 GA0258

 CAS Number
 56-75-7

 EINECS
 200-287-4

MDL Number MFCD00078159
PubChem SID 310269610

Related Categories APIs, Antibiotics, Biochemicals, Raw Materials (IVD), Reagents

for Cell Culture, Cytotoxins,

Antimicrobials

**Structure** 

Molecular Weight : 323.14

Molecular Formula : C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>12</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>

OH CI CI CI OH

**Storage** 

Recommended storage temperature: +4°C.

**Hazards and Transport** 

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

CLP Classification Carc. 1B, STOT RE 2,

Repr. 2, STOT RE 1, Muta.

1B

Signal Word Danger

Hazard Codes H350, H373, H361, H372,

H340

Precautionary Codes P281, P308+P313, P260,

Pictograms

**Glentham Product Specification** 

Physical : White to light-yellow crystalline

Description powder

Solubility (5% in : Clear, colourless to light-yellow

solution

Specific Optical: +17.5 - +21.0 ° (c=5, ethanol)

Rotation ([α]20/D)

ethanol)

Melting Point : 149.0 - 153.0 °C

Chloride (CI) :  $\leq 0.01\%$ Loss on Drying :  $\leq 0.5\%$ Sulphated Ash :  $\leq 0.1\%$ 

Assay : 98.5 - 101.5 % (dried basis)

Version : v1.2

**About Chloramphenicol** 

Chloramphenicol is a broad-spectrum synthetic antibiotic originally isolated from Streptomyces venezuelae. It is effective against gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria. Chloramphenicol acts as a bacteriostatic agent by binding reversibly to the 50S ribosomal subunit, interfering with peptide synthesis. It has applications in antibiotic resistance gene testing, as a selection agent in bacterial cell culture, and as a substrate in the CAT assay.

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