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### **Product Datasheet**

# GP8956 - Chitosan (300 - 1000 cps); medium molecular weight

#### **Product Details**

Product Name Chitosan (300 - 1000 cps); medium molecular weight

 Glentham Code
 GP8956

 CAS Number
 9012-76-4

 EINECS
 618-480-0

MDL Number MFCD00161512

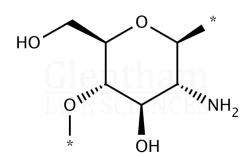
Related Categories APIs, Carbohydrates, Biochemicals, Natural

Products, Polysaccharides, Oligosaccharides, Chitin & Chitosan, Cosmetic Raw

Materials

#### **Structure**

Molecular Weight : 1,250,000 (avg.) Molecular Formula :  $[C_eH_{14}NO_a]n$ 



#### **Storage**

Recommended storage temperature: +20°C.

#### **Hazards and Transport**

Not classified as hazardous under CLP. Not classified as dangerous for transport.

#### **Glentham Product Specification**

Physical: White to light-tan powder

Description

Degree of : ≥ 90.0%

Deacetylation

Ash : ≤ 1.0%

Viscosity : 300 - 1000 cps

Water :  $\leq 8.0\%$ Solubility (in :  $\geq 99\%$ 

acetic acid)

pH : 6.0 - 8.0 (1%, 20°C)

Arsenic (As) :  $\leq 1 \text{mg/kg}$ Lead (Pb) :  $\leq 0.5 \text{mg/kg}$ Mercury (Hg) :  $\leq 0.1 \text{mg/kg}$ Particle Size :  $\leq 100 \text{ mesh}$ 

Microbiological

Counts

: Salmonella spp.: Absent

E. coli: ≤ 3 MPN/g

Yeast and Moulds: ≤ 100 CFU/g
 Total Plate Count: ≤ 1000 CFU/g

Version : v1.1

## About Chitosan (300 - 1000 cps); medium molecular weight

Chitosan is a polysaccharide comprised of linked D-glucosamine and N-acetyl-D-glucosamine units. It is produced by the deacetylation of chitin, a naturally occurring polysaccharide. Chitosan is commercially used in agriculture as a biopesticide but has potential applications in the biomedical field due to its antibacterial properties. This product is derived from shrimp shell.

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