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## **Product Specification**

Product Name:

L-Tryptophan - from non-animal source, meets EP, JP, USP testing specifications, suitable for cell culture, 99.0-101.0%

**Product Number:** T8941 CAS Number: 73-22-3

MDL: MFCD00064340
Formula: C11H12N2O2
Formula Weight: 204.23 g/mol

TEST Specification

Appearance (Color) White to Yellow Appearance (Form) Crystalline Powder

Solubility (Turbidity) Clear

0.5 g to 20 mL of 2M HCl

Appearance of Solution Conforms

Clear solution at 0.1g / 10mL 1M HCl. Color not more intense than standard.

Specific Rotation -32.5 - -30.5 °

20 Deg C; EP and JP

Specific Rotation -32.8 - -29.4 °

25 Deg C; USP

Chloride Content Pass

< or = 0.020%

Ammonium < 0.02 %

Sulfate Pass

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< or = 0.020%

Iron (Fe) Pass

< or = 20ppm

Arsenic (As) Pass

< or = 1ppm

Residue on ignition (Ash) < 0.10 %

Residual Solvents Meets Requirements

Ninhydrin-Positive Substances Conforms

Other Amino Acids

pH 5.5 - 6.4

1% in H2O

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Assay 99.0 - 101.0 %

dry basis

impurity A and other related substances

Organic Impurities Pass

Total impurities 1, total impurities 2 and tryptophan related compound A

Infrared spectrum Conforms to Structure

Endotoxin Assay < 1 EU/mg
Cell Culture Test Pass
Origin Conforms

Must be Non-Animal Source

Recommended Retest Period ------

4 years

Note ------

Meets USP, EP, and JP testing specifications

Specification: PRD.3.ZQ5.10000010199

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