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Coal Tar Topical Solution

» Prepare Coal Tar Topical Solution as follows.

Coal Tar	200 g
Polysorbate 80	50 g
Alcohol, a sufficient quantity, to make	1000 mL

Mix the Coal Tar with 500 g of washed sand (see under *Reagents* in the section *Reagents*, *Indicators*, *and Solutions*), and add the Polysorbate 80 and 700 mL of Alcohol. Macerate the mixture for 7 days in a closed vessel with frequent agitation. Filter, and rinse the vessel and the filter with sufficient Alcohol to make the product measure 1000 mL.

Packaging and storage—Preserve in tight containers.

ALCOHOL DETERMINATION (611): between 81.0% and 86.0% of C₂H₂OH.

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