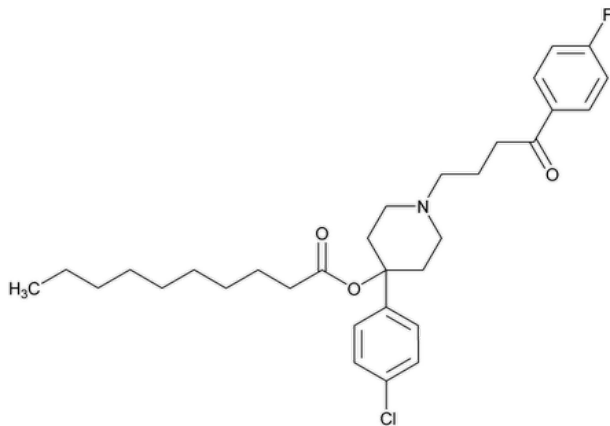


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Haloperidol Decanoate

Change to read:



$C_{31}H_{41}ClFNO_3$ ▲530.12▲ (USP 1-May-2021)
 Decanoic acid, 4-(4-chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]-4-piperidinyl ester;
 ▲4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate▲ (USP 1-May-2021) CAS RN®: 74050-97-8; UNII: AC20PJ4101.

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DEFINITION

Haloperidol Decanoate contains NLT 97.0% and NMT 103.0% of ▲haloperidol decanoate▲ (USP 1-May-2021) ($C_{31}H_{41}ClFNO_3$), calculated on the dried basis.

IDENTIFICATION

Change to read:

- **A. SPECTROSCOPIC IDENTIFICATION TESTS (197), Infrared Spectroscopy:** ▲197A or▲ (USP 1-May-2021) 197M

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- **B.** The retention time of the major peak ▲▲ (USP 1-May-2021) of the *Sample solution* corresponds to that of the *Standard solution*, as obtained in the Assay.

Delete the following:

- ▲• **C. IDENTIFICATION TESTS—GENERAL (191), Chemical Identification Tests, Chloride**

Sample solution: Mix 0.1 g of the sample with 0.5 g of [anhydrous sodium carbonate](#) in a porcelain crucible. Heat over open flame for 10 min.

Allow to cool. Dissolve the residue in 5 mL of dilute [nitric acid](#), and filter. Dilute 1 mL of the filtrate with 1 mL of [water](#).

Acceptance criteria: Meets the requirements of test A▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

ASSAY

Change to read:

• PROCEDURE

Solution A: 27 g/L of [tetrabutylammonium hydrogen sulfate](#) in [water](#)

Solution B: [Acetonitrile](#)

Mobile phase: See [Table 1](#).

Table 1

Time (min)	Solution A (%)	Solution B (%)
0	80	20
30	40	60
35	40	60
40	80	20
45	80	20

Standard solution: 0.2 mg/mL of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) in [methanol](#)

Sample solution: 0.2 mg/mL of Haloperidol Decanoate in [methanol](#)

Chromatographic system

(See [Chromatography \(621\), System Suitability](#).)

Mode: LC

Detector: UV 230 nm

Column: 4-mm × 10-cm; 3-μm packing [L1](#)

Flow rate: 1.5 mL/min

Injection ▲volume:▲ (USP 1-May-2021) 10 μL

System suitability

Sample: *Standard solution*

Suitability requirements

Tailing factor: NMT 1.5

Relative standard deviation: NMT ▲0.73%▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

Analysis

Samples: *Standard solution* and *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of haloperidol decanoate ($C_{31}H_{41}ClFNO_3$) in the portion of ▲Haloperidol Decanoate▲ (USP 1-May-2021) taken:

$$\text{Result} = (r_U/r_S) \times (C_S/C_U) \times 100$$

r_U = peak response from the *Sample solution*

r_S = peak response from the *Standard solution*

C_S = concentration of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

C_U = concentration of Haloperidol Decanoate in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

Acceptance criteria: 97.0%–103.0% on the dried basis

IMPURITIES

- [RESIDUE ON IGNITION \(281\)](#): NMT 0.1%

Change to read:

- **ORGANIC IMPURITIES**

Solution A, Solution B, Mobile phase, and ▲Chromatographic system:▲ (USP 1-May-2021) Proceed as directed in the Assay.

System suitability solution: 0.05 mg/mL each of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) and [USP Bromperidol Decanoate RS](#) in [methanol](#)

Standard stock solution: 0.2 mg/mL of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) in [methanol](#)

Standard solution: 0.05 mg/mL of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) in [methanol](#), from *Standard stock solution*

▲Sensitivity solution: 0.005 mg/mL of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) in [methanol](#), from *Standard stock solution*▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

Sample solution: 10 mg/mL of Haloperidol Decanoate in [methanol](#)

▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

System suitability

Samples: *System suitability solution* ▲ and *Sensitivity solution*

[NOTE—The relative retention time for bromperidol decanoate is 1.05. See [Table 2](#) for the other relative retention times.]▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

Suitability requirements

Resolution: NLT 1.5 between haloperidol decanoate and bromperidol decanoate, ▲ *System suitability solution*

Signal-to-noise ratio: NLT 10, *Sensitivity solution*▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

Analysis

Samples: *Standard solution* and *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of each impurity in the portion of Haloperidol Decanoate taken:

$$\text{Result} = (r_U/r_S) \times (C_S/C_U) \times 100$$

r_U = peak response of each impurity from the *Sample solution*

r_S = peak response of haloperidol decanoate from the *Standard solution*

C_S = concentration of [USP Haloperidol Decanoate RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

C_U = concentration of Haloperidol Decanoate in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

Acceptance criteria: See [Table 2](#). ▲ The reporting threshold is 0.05%.▲ (USP 1-May-2021)

Table 2

Name	Relative Retention Time	Acceptance Criteria, NMT (%)
Haloperidol ^a	0.09	0.50
Haloperidol octanoate ^b	0.6	0.50
Haloperidol nonanoate ^c	0.79	0.50
Haloperidol decanoate-dechloro analog ^d	0.89	0.50
2-Fluorohaloperidol decanoate ^e	0.97	0.50
Haloperidol decanoate	1.0	—
▲▲ (USP 1-May-2021)	▲▲ (USP 1-May-2021)	▲▲ (USP 1-May-2021)
Haloperidol undecanoate ^f	1.10	0.50
Haloperidol decanoate-3-ethyl analog ^g	1.13	0.50
Haloperidol decanoate-4-piperidinol analog ^h	1.17	0.50
Haloperidol dodecanoate ⁱ	1.21	0.50
Haloperidol decanoate-3-chlorobiphenyl analog ^j	1.22	0.50
Haloperidol decanoate-4-chlorobiphenyl analog ^k	1.24	0.50

Name	Relative Retention Time	Acceptance Criteria, NMT (%)
Any other individual, unspecified impurity	—	0.10
Total impurities	—	1.0

- ^a 4-[4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxypiperidino]-4-[▲] (USP 1-May-2021) -fluorobutyrophenone.
- ^b 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl octanoate.
- ^c 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl nonanoate.
- ^d 1-[4-(4-Fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]-4-phenylpiperidin-4-yl decanoate.
- ^e 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(2-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate.
- ^f 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl undecanoate.
- ^g 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(3-ethyl-4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate.
- ^h 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-{4-[4-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxypiperidin-1-yl]phenyl}-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate.
- ⁱ 4-(4-Chlorophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl dodecanoate.
- ^j 4-(3'-Chlorobiphenyl-4-yl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate.
- ^k 4-(4'-Chlorobiphenyl-4-yl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate.

SPECIFIC TESTS

Change to read:

- [Loss on Drying \(731\)](#).

[▲]**Analysis:** Dry under vacuum over phosphorous pentoxide at 30° to constant weight.

Acceptance criteria: NMT 0.5%[▲] (USP 1-May-2021)

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- **PACKAGING AND STORAGE:** Preserve in light-resistant, tight containers. Store at room temperature.

Change to read:

- [USP REFERENCE STANDARDS \(11\)](#).

[USP Bromperidol Decanoate RS](#)

[▲]4-(4-Bromophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]piperidin-4-yl decanoate;
Also known as[▲] (USP 1-May-2021) Decanoic acid, 4-(4-bromophenyl)-1-[4-(4-fluorophenyl)-4-oxobutyl]-4-piperidinyl ester.

$C_{31}H_{41}BrFNO_3$ [▲]574.58[▲] (USP 1-May-2021)

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