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# Mibolerone Oral Solution

» Mibolerone Oral Solution contains not less than 90.0 percent and not more than 115.0 percent of the labeled amount of mibolerone ( $C_{20}H_{30}O_2$ ).

**Packaging and storage**—Preserve in tight containers, protected from light.

**Labeling**—Label it to indicate that it is for veterinary use only.

**USP REFERENCE STANDARDS (11).**—  
[USP Mibolerone RS](#)

**Identification**—The chromatogram of the *Assay preparation* exhibits a major peak for mibolerone, the retention time of which corresponds to that in the chromatogram of the *Standard preparation*, as obtained in the Assay.

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY (841).**: between 1.030 and 1.045.

**Assay—**

*Internal standard solution*—Prepare a solution of 1,3,5-triphenylbenzene in chloroform containing about 0.25 mg per mL.

*Standard preparation*—Prepare a solution of [USP Mibolerone RS](#) in *Internal standard solution* having a known concentration of about 0.5 mg per mL.

*Assay preparation*—Transfer an accurately weighed portion of Oral Solution, equivalent to about 1000 µg of mibolerone, to a 125-mL separator containing 60 mL of water, and swirl to disperse. Add 30 mL of methylene chloride, shake gently for about 5 minutes, and allow the phases to separate. Drain the lower methylene chloride layer through a pledget of methylene chloride-washed cotton into a 50-mL conical flask. Evaporate to dryness under a current of air. Re-extract the aqueous layer remaining in the separator with an additional 30-mL portion of methylene chloride, draining the filtered methylene chloride extract into the 50-mL conical flask, and evaporating it to dryness. Add 2.0 mL of *Internal standard solution*, and swirl to dissolve.

*Chromatographic system* (see [Chromatography \(621\)](#))—The gas chromatograph is equipped with a flame-ionization detector and a 3-mm × 61-cm column packed with 1% liquid phase G6 on support S1AB. The column is maintained at about 175° and the detector at 195° to 225°. Helium is used as the carrier gas at a flow rate of about 60 mL per minute. Chromatograph the *Standard preparation*, and record the peak responses as directed for *Procedure*: the relative retention times are about 0.6 for the internal standard and 1.0 for mibolerone; and the relative standard deviation for replicate injections is not more than 2.0%.

*Procedure*—Separately inject equal volumes (about 2 µL) of the *Standard preparation* and the *Assay preparation* into the chromatograph, record the chromatograms, and measure the responses for the major peaks. Calculate the quantity, in µg, of mibolerone ( $C_{20}H_{30}O_2$ ) in each mL of the Oral Solution taken by the formula:

$$2000(C/W_U)(D)(R_U/R_S)$$

in which *C* is the concentration, in mg per mL, of [USP Mibolerone RS](#) in the *Standard preparation*; *W<sub>U</sub>* is the weight, in g, of Oral Solution taken to prepare the *Assay preparation*; *D* is the specific gravity of the Oral Solution; and *R<sub>U</sub>* and *R<sub>S</sub>* are the ratios of the peak height response of the mibolerone peak to the internal standard peak obtained from the *Assay preparation* and the *Standard preparation*, respectively.

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