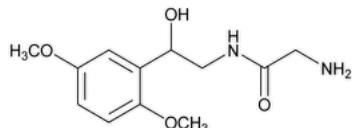


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Midodrine Hydrochloride



$C_{12}H_{18}N_2O_4 \cdot HCl$ 290.74

Acetamide, 2-amino-N-[2-(2,5-dimethoxyphenyl)-2-hydroxyethyl]-, monohydrochloride, (\pm);
(\pm)-2-Amino-N-(β -hydroxy-2,5-dimethoxyphenethyl)acet amide monohydrochloride CAS RN[®]: 3092-17-9.

DEFINITION

Midodrine Hydrochloride contains NLT 98.0% and NMT 102.0% of midodrine hydrochloride ($C_{12}H_{18}N_2O_4 \cdot HCl$), calculated on the anhydrous basis.

IDENTIFICATION

- A. [SPECTROSCOPIC IDENTIFICATION TESTS \(197\), Infrared Spectroscopy: 197K](#)
- B. The retention time of the major peak of the *Sample solution* corresponds to that of the *Standard solution*, as obtained in the Assay.
- C. [IDENTIFICATION TESTS—GENERAL, Chloride \(191\)](#): A 10 mg/mL solution of Midodrine Hydrochloride in water meets the requirements.

ASSAY

• PROCEDURE

Buffer: 13.6 g/L of monobasic potassium phosphate. Adjust with phosphoric acid to a pH of 4.00 ± 0.05 .

Mobile phase: Acetonitrile and *Buffer* (3:22)

Standard solution: 0.05 mg/mL of [USP Midodrine Hydrochloride RS](#) in *Mobile phase*

Sample solution: 0.05 mg/mL of Midodrine Hydrochloride in *Mobile phase*

Chromatographic system

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

Mode: LC

Detector: UV 290 nm

Column: 4.6-mm \times 15-cm; 5- μ m packing L1

Flow rate: 1 mL/min

Injection size: 20 μ L

System suitability

Sample: *Standard solution*

Suitability requirements

Column efficiency: NLT 3000 theoretical plates

Tailing factor: NMT 2.0

Relative standard deviation: NMT 2.0%

Analysis

Samples: *Standard solution* and *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of $C_{12}H_{18}N_2O_4 \cdot HCl$ in the portion of Midodrine Hydrochloride taken:

$$\text{Result} = (r_u/r_s) \times (C_s/C_u) \times 100$$

r_u = peak response of midodrine from the *Sample solution*

r_s = peak response of midodrine from the *Standard solution*

C_s = concentration of [USP Midodrine Hydrochloride RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

C_u = concentration of Midodrine Hydrochloride in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

Acceptance criteria: 98.0%–102.0% on the anhydrous basis

IMPURITIES**INORGANIC IMPURITIES**

- **RESIDUE ON IGNITION (281):** NMT 0.2%. A 1-g sample is used.

ORGANIC IMPURITIES

- **PROCEDURE**

Buffer and Mobile phase: Proceed as directed in the Assay.

Standard solution: 1.0 µg/mL of [USP Midodrine Hydrochloride RS](#) and 2.0 µg/mL of [USP Midodrine Related Compound A RS](#) in *Mobile phase*

Sample solution: 1.0 mg/mL of Midodrine Hydrochloride in *Mobile phase*

Chromatographic system: Proceed as directed in the Assay except for the following:

Injection size: 50 µL

System suitability

Sample: *Standard solution*

Suitability requirements

Resolution: NLT 2.0 between midodrine hydrochloride and midodrine hydrochloride related compound A

Tailing factor: NMT 2.0 for midodrine hydrochloride

Relative standard deviation: NMT 2.0% for both midodrine hydrochloride and midodrine related compound A

Analysis

Samples: *Standard solution* and *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of midodrine related compound A in the portion of Midodrine Hydrochloride taken:

$$\text{Result} = (r_u/r_s) \times (C_s/C_u) \times 100$$

r_u = peak response of midodrine related compound A from the *Sample solution*

r_s = peak response of midodrine related compound A from the *Standard solution*

C_s = concentration of [USP Midodrine Related Compound A RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

C_u = concentration of Midodrine Hydrochloride in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

Calculate the percentage of any individual impurity in the portion of Midodrine Hydrochloride 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 midodrine from the *Standard solution*

C_s = concentration of [USP Midodrine Hydrochloride RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

C_u = concentration of Midodrine Hydrochloride in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

Acceptance criteria: See [Impurity Table 1](#).

Impurity Table 1

Name	Relative Retention Time	Acceptance Criteria, NMT (%)
Midodrine related compound A ^a	0.8	0.2%
Midodrine hydrochloride	1	—
Individual unspecified impurity	—	0.1%
Total impurities	—	0.5%

^a 1-(2,5 Dimethoxyphenyl)-2-aminoethanol.

SPECIFIC TESTS

- [WATER DETERMINATION, Method I \(921\):](#) NMT 0.5%

- [pH \(791\):](#) 4.0–5.0. Use 50 mg/mL of the midodrine hydrochloride sample.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- **PACKAGING AND STORAGE:** Preserve in tight containers and store at room temperature.

Change to read:

- **USP REFERENCE STANDARDS (11):**

[USP Midodrine Hydrochloride RS](#)

[USP Midodrine Related Compound A RS](#)

▲2-Amino-1-(2,5 Dimethoxyphenyl)ethanol.▲ (CN 1-Dec-2023)

$C_{10}H_{15}NO_3$ 197.23

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