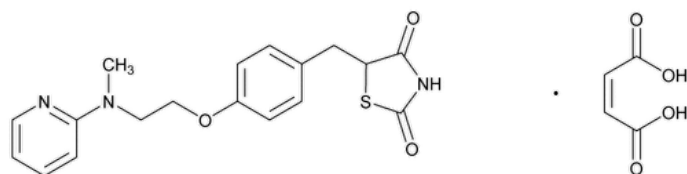


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## Rosiglitazone Maleate



$C_{18}H_{19}N_3O_3S \cdot C_4H_4O_4$

473.50

(±)-5-[p-[2-(Methyl-2-pyridylamino)ethoxy]benzyl]-2,4-thiazolidinedione maleate (1:1);

(RS)-5-{[4-({2-[Methyl(2-pyridinyl)amino]ethyl}oxy) phenyl]methyl}-1,3-thiazolidine-2,4-dione (Z)-2-butenedioate CAS RN®: 155141-29-0; UNII: KX2339DP44.

### DEFINITION

Rosiglitazone Maleate contains NLT 98.0% and NMT 102.0% of  $C_{18}H_{19}N_3O_3S \cdot C_4H_4O_4$ , calculated on the anhydrous and solvent-free basis.

### IDENTIFICATION

#### Change to read:

- A. ▲ [SPECTROSCOPIC IDENTIFICATION TESTS \(197\)](#), [Infrared Spectroscopy: 197M](#) ▲ (CN 1-MAY-2020)
- B. The retention time of the major peak of the *Sample solution* corresponds to that of the *Standard solution*, as obtained in the Assay.

### ASSAY

#### PROCEDURE

**Buffer:** Dissolve 5.75 g of phosphoric acid in 800 mL water, adjust with 4 N sodium hydroxide to a pH of 3.0, and dilute with water to 1 L.

**Mobile phase:** Acetonitrile and *Buffer* (25:75)

**System suitability solution:** Transfer 2.5 mg of [USP Rosiglitazone Maleate RS](#) and 1 mg of [USP Rosiglitazone Related Compound A RS](#) to a 50-mL volumetric flask, dissolve in 1 mL of stabilizer-free tetrahydrofuran, and dilute with *Mobile phase* to volume.

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

**Sample solution:** 0.05 mg/mL of Rosiglitazone Maleate in *Mobile phase*

#### Chromatographic system

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

**Mode:** LC

**Detector:** UV 235 nm

**Column:** 4.6-mm × 25-cm; 5-μm packing L1

**Column temperature:** 40°

**Flow rate:** 1 mL/min

**Injection size:** 20 μL

#### System suitability

**Samples:** *System suitability solution* and *Standard solution*

#### Suitability requirements

**Resolution:** Greater than 2.0 between rosiglitazone and rosiglitazone related compound A, *System suitability solution*

**Tailing factor:** NMT 2.0, *Standard solution*

**Relative standard deviation:** NMT 1.0%, *Standard solution*

#### Analysis

**Samples:** *Standard solution* and *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of rosiglitazone maleate ( $C_{18}H_{19}N_3O_3S \cdot C_4H_4O_4$ ) in the portion of Rosiglitazone Maleate 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 Rosiglitazone Maleate RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

$C_U$  = concentration of Rosiglitazone Maleate in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

**Acceptance criteria:** 98.0%–102.0% on the anhydrous and solvent-free basis

## OTHER COMPONENTS

### • CONTENT OF MALEIC ACID

**Buffer:** Prepare 0.1 M sodium phosphate buffer as follows. Add 11.5 g of phosphoric acid to 800 mL of water, adjust with 2 N sodium hydroxide to a pH of 3.0, and dilute with water to 1 L.

**Mobile phase:** Methanol and *Buffer* (50:50)

**Diluent:** Methanol and water (50:50)

**System suitability solution:** 0.1 µg/mL of [USP Fumaric Acid RS](#) and 0.04 mg/mL of [USP Rosiglitazone Maleate RS](#) in *Diluent*

**Standard solution:** 0.01 mg/mL of [USP Maleic Acid RS](#) in *Diluent*

**Sample solution:** 0.04 mg/mL of Rosiglitazone Maleate in *Diluent*

### Chromatographic system

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

**Mode:** LC

**Detector:** UV 212 nm

**Column:** 4.6-mm × 15-cm; 5-µm packing L14

**Column temperature:** 40°

**Flow rate:** 1.5 mL/min

**Injection size:** 20 µL

### System suitability

**Samples:** *System suitability solution* and *Standard solution*

[NOTE—The relative retention times for rosiglitazone, maleic acid, and fumaric acid are 0.5, 1.0, and 1.8, respectively.]

### Suitability requirements

**Resolution:** NLT 2.0 between maleic acid and fumaric acid, *System suitability solution*

**Relative standard deviation:** NMT 2.0%, *Standard solution*

### Analysis

**Samples:** *Standard solution* and *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of maleic acid in the portion of Rosiglitazone Maleate taken:

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

$r_U$  = peak response of maleic acid from the *Sample solution*

$r_S$  = peak response of maleic acid from the *Standard solution*

$C_S$  = concentration of [USP Maleic Acid RS](#) in the *Standard solution* (mg/mL)

$C_U$  = concentration of Rosiglitazone Maleate in the *Sample solution* (mg/mL)

**Acceptance criteria:** 23.5%–26.0%

## IMPURITIES

• [RESIDUE ON IGNITION, \(281\)](#): NMT 0.2%, using an ignition temperature of 800 ± 25°

### • ORGANIC IMPURITIES

[NOTE—Protect the *System suitability solution* and *Sample solution* from light.]

**Buffer 1:** Prepare 0.05 M dibasic potassium phosphate buffer as follows. Dissolve 11.4 g of dibasic potassium phosphate trihydrate in 800 mL of water, adjust with a mixture of phosphoric acid and water (1:1) to a pH of 7.0, and dilute with water to 1 L.

**Solution A:** Acetonitrile and *Buffer 1* (30:70)

**Solution B:** Acetonitrile and *Buffer 1* (70:30)

**Mobile phase:** See [Table 1](#). Return to original conditions and re-equilibrate the system.

**Table 1**

Time (min)	Solution A (%)	Solution B (%)
0	100	0
25.0	100	0
50.0	0	100

**Buffer 2:** Prepare 0.05 M monobasic potassium phosphate buffer by dissolving 6.8 g of monobasic potassium phosphate in 1 L of water.

**Diluent:** Acetonitrile and *Buffer 2* (30:70)

**System suitability solution:** 0.5 mg/mL of [USP Rosiglitazone Maleate RS](#) in *Diluent*, using sonication, if necessary, to dissolve. [NOTE—[USP Rosiglitazone Maleate RS](#) contains rosiglitazone related compound A as a minor component.]

**Sample solution:** 0.5 mg/mL of Rosiglitazone Maleate in *Diluent*, using sonication, if necessary, to dissolve

#### Chromatographic system

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

**Mode:** LC

**Detector:** UV 246 nm

**Column:** 4.6-mm × 25-cm; 5-μm packing L1

**Flow rate:** 1 mL/min

**Injection size:** 20 μL

#### System suitability

**Sample:** *System suitability solution*

[NOTE—Identify the peak due to rosiglitazone related compound A based on its relative retention time shown in [Table 2](#).]

#### Suitability requirements

**Resolution:** NLT 2.0 between rosiglitazone and rosiglitazone related compound A

#### Analysis

**Sample:** *Sample solution*

Calculate the percentage of any individual impurity in the portion of Rosiglitazone Maleate taken:

$$\text{Result} = (r_U/r_T) \times 100$$

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

$r_T$  = sum of the peak responses from the *Sample solution*, except for the peak response of maleic acid

**Acceptance criteria:** See [Table 2](#).

**Table 2**

Name	Relative Retention Time	Acceptance Criteria, NMT (%)
Maleic acid	0.09	Disregard
Impurity 1 <sup>a</sup>	0.15	0.1
Impurity 2 <sup>b</sup>	0.81	0.5
Rosiglitazone	1.0	—
Rosiglitazone related compound A <sup>c</sup>	1.15	0.5

Name	Relative Retention Time	Acceptance Criteria, NMT (%)
Any other individual impurity	—	0.1
Total impurities	—	1.0

<sup>a</sup> 2-(5-{[4-({2-[Methyl(2-pyridinyl)amino]ethyl}oxy)phenyl]methyl}-2,4-dioxo-1,3-thiazolidin-3-yl)butanedioic acid.

<sup>b</sup> 3-[4-({2-[Methyl(2-pyridinyl)amino]ethyl}oxy)phenyl]propanamide.

<sup>c</sup> (5Z)-5-{[4-({2-[Methyl(2-pyridinyl)amino]ethyl}oxy)phenyl]methylidene}-1,3-thiazolidine-2,4-dione.

#### SPECIFIC TESTS

- **WATER DETERMINATION, Method 1a(921):** NMT 0.5%

[NOTE—Because maleic acid will react with methanol thereby producing water, both titrant and solvent must be methanol free.]

#### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

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

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

[USP Fumaric Acid RS](#)

[USP Maleic Acid RS](#)

[USP Rosiglitazone Maleate RS](#)

[USP Rosiglitazone Related Compound A RS](#)

(5Z)-5-{[4-({2-[Methyl(2-pyridinyl)amino]ethyl}oxy) phenyl]methylidene}-1,3-thiazolidine-2,4-dione.

$C_{18}H_{17}N_3O_3S$  355.41

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