## Aspartame HDP

## **DESCRIPTION**

Aspartame is N-L-alpha-Aspartyl-L-phenylalanine-1-methyl ester. It is a white, crystalline powder or granular material that has a sweet taste. It is sparingly soluble in water and slightly soluble in alcohol. The pH of a 0.8% solution is between 4.5 and 6.0. SinoSweet® Aspartame has a clean, sweet taste that is approximately 180 to 200 times sweeter than sugar.

Formula:  $C_{14}H_{18}N_2O_5$  CAS: 22839-47-0 Molecular Weight: 294.31 E Number: E951 EINECS Number: 245-261-3 Flashpoint: Not Applicable

**SUGGESTED USES** Beverage, Dry Powder Mixes, Tabletops, Chewable Vitamins, Pharmaceuticals

Test Item	Specification	Test Method / Reference
Appearance	White Powder	Visual
Odor/Taste	Conforms to Quality Standards	Internal Method
Identification	Meets Requirements	Current FCC / USP/NF / JECFA / EP
Assay (on dry basis)	98.0% to 102%	Current FCC / USP/NF / JECFA / EP
Loss on Drying	≤ 4.5%	Current FCC / USP/NF / JECFA / EP
Residue on Ignition / Sulphated Ash	≤0.2%	Current FCC / USP/NF / JECFA / EP
Optical(Specific) Rotation	+14.5° and +16.5°	Current FCC / USP/NF / JECFA / EP
*Conductivity	≤ 30 μScm4	EP
Transmittance	≥ 95%	Current USP/NF /JECFA
Extraneous Matter	Free From Material Foreign to Product	Free From Visual Evidence
pH (0.8% Solution)	4.5 ~6.0	Current FCC/JECFA
Heavy Metal (as Pb)	< 10 ppm	Current USP/NF / JP / EP
Lead	≤1 ppm	Current FCC / JECFA
Arsenic	≤ 3 ppm	Current FCC
Residual Solvents	Meets Requirements	Current USP/NF
5-benzyl-3,6-dioxo-2-Piperazineacetic Acid (DKP)	≤ 1.5%	Current USP / NF / FCC / JECFA
Other Related Substances	≤ 2.0% USP/NF; ≤ 1.5% <b>E</b>	Current USP/NF
L-phenylalanine	≤ 0.5%	Current EP
Solubility	Completely Dissolves	Internal Method
Particle Size	Retained on 80 Mesh ≤35% Thru 200 mesh ≤50%	Internal Method
Bulk Density	0.5 ± 0.1 g/mL	Internal Method
Total Aerobic Plate Count	≤ 250 CFUģ	GB
Yeast and Mold Count	≤ 100 CFUģ	GB
Coliforms	≤ 3.0 MPNģ	GB
Escherichia Coli	Negative/g	GB
Salmonella	Negative/25g	GB

FCC = Food Chemical Codex
JP = Japanese Pharmacopeia

USP/NF - United States Pharmacopeia-National Formulary EP = European Pharmacopeia

GB= China National Standard Method CFU = Colony Forming Units

JECFA = Joint FAO/WHO Expert Committee on Food Additives

CFU = Colony Forming Units

MPN = Most Probable Number

\* Capable of manufacturing EP grade Aspartame, please discuss with your sales representative on your requirements.





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**CONFORMITY** 

WITH

**FAO-WHO Specifications** Food Chemicals Codex

European Commission Regulation No. 231/2012

Japanese Standards for Food Additives

US Pharmacopoeia

This material is Kosher Pareve and Halal Certified

**PACKAGING** 

25 kg net weight fiber drums with inner liner or as otherwise agreed upon.

**SHIPPING& HANDLING**  Recommended to be stored in an odor-free environment. Low humidity conditions

are recommended to minimize caking/degradation potentials.

**STORAGE** 

Aspartame should be stored in a cool, dry ambient environment. Avoid high heat.

**SHELF LIFE** 

The shelf life of this material is 5 years from the date of manufacture if stored in ambient room temperature conditions. Product should be reevaluated if it exceeds expiration date.

**LOT CODE EXPLANATION**  Example Lot: W21010101

W = Plant Code

21 = Year of Manufactured: 2021 01 = Month Manufactured: January

01 = Day (1<sup>st</sup> day of month)

01 = Batch No. #01

## **NUTRITIONAL DATA**

Nutrient	Per 100 grams
Water(g)	4.5
Protein(g)*	95.3
L-Phenylalanine(g)	53.5
All Fats(g)	0
Ash(g)	<0.2
Calories(kcal)	381
Carbohydrates(g)	0
Sugar(g)	0
Dietary Fiber(g)	0
Cholesterol (mg)	0
Calcium(mg)	<2
Iron(mg)	<2
Potassium(mg)	<10
Sodium(mg)	≤30
Vitamins	0



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This data is calculated from standard analytical data. The zero values are based on process knowledge and raw materials used.

<sup>\*</sup>Aspartame is a protein and is digested and metabolized like a simple protein.