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CH <sub>3</sub> <sup>™</sup> • HCI	
Catalogue Number	38042
Product	Metformin hydrochloride 1,1-Dimethylbiguanide hydrochloride
	Metformin hydrochloride
CAS Number	1115-70-4
Molecular Formula	$C_4H_{11}N_5\bullet HCl$
Molecular Weight	165.63
Appearance	White to almost white crystalline powder
Solubility	Freely soluble in water, slightly soluble in ethanol (95%), practically insoluble in Acetone, Chloroform, Methylene dichloride and Ether.
Heavy Metals	≤ 20 ppm
Loss on Drying	$\leq 0.5\%$
<b>Residual Solvents</b>	Methanol : $\leq 3000$ ppm Xylene : $\leq 2170$ ppm
Particle Size	100% passes through 100 mesh
Related Substances	Dicyandiamide : $\leq 0.02\%$ Any other impurity : $\leq 0.1\%$
Sulfated Ash	$\leq 0.1\%$
Assay by titration	98.5 - 101.0% (By potentiometer on dried substance)
Storage	Store at 2 - 8 °C
Additional Information	Identification : Test A : Infrared spectrum : Conforms to structure Test B : An Orange-red color should be produced which darkens on keeping. Test C : A wine red color develops within 3 minutes. Test D : For Chloride : To pass test

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