

# PHARMACOPEIAL DISCUSSION GROUP

## SIGN-OFF DOCUMENT

### NAME: HYPROMELLOSE PHTHALATE

	Harmonized attributes		
	EP	JP	USP
Definition	+	+	+
Packaging and storage	+	+	+
Viscosity*	+	+	+
Water	+	+	+
Residue on ignition	+	+	+
Chloride	+	+	+
Limit of free phthalic acid	+	+	+
Phthalyl content	+	+	+

\*The test for viscosity will be placed in the Functionality-related Characteristics section of EP

#### Legend

+ will adopt and implement; – will not stipulate

#### Non-harmonized attributes

Characters, Labeling, Heavy metals, Identification (IR)


#### Reagents and reference materials

Each pharmacopeia will adapt the text to take account of local reference materials and reagent specifications.


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