## **UNIQUE CHEMICALS**

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Plot no. 5, Phase IV, GIDC Estate, Panoli-394 116 (GUJARAT) INDIA.

## CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS QUALITY CONTROL DEPARTMENT

| Name of product    | : DICLOFENAC SODIUM EP      |               |                |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Manufactured by    | : Unique Chemicals, Panoli. |               |                |
| Batch No.          | : PDFS320088                | A.R. No.      | : 09FP12001366 |
| Manufacturing Date | : Nov-2012                  | Expiry Date . | : Oct-2017     |
|                    |                             | Release Date  | : 23/12/2012   |

| TESTS                                  | RESULTS   | STANDARDS   |  |
|--|---|---|--|
| Appearance                             | White crystalline powder, slightly hygroscopic.   | A white or slightly yellowish crystalline powder, slightly hygroscopic.   |  |
| Solubility                             | Sparingly soluble in water, freely soluble in methanol, soluble in alcohol, slightly soluble in acetone.              | Sparingly soluble in water, freely soluble in methanol, soluble in alcohol, slightly soluble in acetone.                  |  |
| Melting point                          | It melts at 281° C with decomposition   | It melts at about 280°C with decomposition  |  |
| Identification                         | N   |   |  |
| A: IR Spectrum                         | A: The infra-red spectrum of sample is concordant with the spectrum obtained from Diclofenac sodium working standard. | A: The infra-red spectrum of sample should concordant with the spectrum obtained from Diclofenac sodium working standard. |  |
| D: Reaction (b) of sodium salt         | D: The solution gives reaction (b) of sodium  | D: The solution gives reaction (b) of sodium  |  |
| Appearance of solution:                |   |   |  |
| Clarity of solution Colour of solution | Clear solution 0.02   | Solution should be clear E at 440 Maximum 0.05 (5% w/v)   |  |
| Related Substances (HPLC):             |   |   |  |
| Diclofenac impurity A                  | Not Detected  | Not more than 0.2%  |  |
| Diclofenac impurity B                  | 0.02%   | Not more than 0.2%  |  |
| Diclofenac impurity C                  | Not Detected  | Not more than 0.2%  |  |
| Diclofenac impurity D                  | Not Detected  | Not more than 0.2%  |  |
| Diclofenac impurity E                  | Not Detected  | Not more than 0.2%  |  |
| Any other impurity                     | 0.04%   | Not more than 0.10%   |  |
| Total impurities                       | 0.07%   | Not more than 0.5%  |  |
| Heavy metals                           | Less than 10 ppm  | Not more than 10 ppm  |  |
| Loss on drying                         | 0.18 % w/w  | Not more than 0.5 % w/w   |  |
| Assay (On dried basis)                 | 100.0 % w/w   | 99.0% w/w to 101.0% w/w   |  |
| Additional tests:                      |   |   |  |
| Particle Size                          | 72 % < 7.4 μm   | Minimum 70 % < 20 μm,   |  |
| (By Sympatech)                         | 84 % < 12.4 μm<br>98 % < 30.0 μm  | Minimum 85 % < 40 μm,<br>Minimum 97 % < 100 μm.   |  |
| Diclofenac Sodium Dimer                |   |   |  |
| (By HPLC)                              | Not Detected  | Not more than 0.1 %   |  |

OPINION: The above sample complies with the prescribed standards of quality as per EP and the requirements of certificate of suitability no. R1-CEP 1997-041-Rev 03.

| Prepared By / Date | Checked By / Date | Approved <sub>(</sub> By/Date |
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