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PRODUCT	REFINED GLYCERINE 99.7% USP		
Chemical Identification	1,2,3 Propanetriol (Trihydroxypropane)		
INCI Name / Origin	Glycerine 99.7% Min USP / Vegetable Origin		
Molecular Formula	C3H8O3		
CAS No.	56-81-5		
EINESCS No.	200-289-5		
H.S Code	29054500		
Physical Appearance	Clear ,Colorless liquid		

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Parameter	Method	Specified Range	Typical values
Glycerine Content	APAG-GL-009	99.7 % min	99.8 %
Relative Density [Gravity] 20/20"C	ISO 2099	1.2623 min	1.2635
Characters	Monograph Test	Clear and Colourless	Clear and Colourless
Refractive Index n20D	APAG-GL-006	1.4731 min	1.4737
Color APHA	ASTM D1209	10 max	5
Fatty Acids & Ester (MI 0.2N NaOH/50)	USP XXIII	1.0 Max	0.36
Sulphated ash { % }2	USP XXIII	0.01 max	0.004
Residue On Ignition	USP XXIII	0.01 max	<0.01
Chlorides { ppm as CI } 2	USP XXIII	10 max	< 10
Heavy Metals { ppm as Pb } 2	USP XXIII	5 max	< 5 ppm
Chlorinated Compounds' ppm CI	USP XXIII	30 Max	< 30
Arsenic ppm	USP XXIII	1.5 Max	< 1.5
Sulphate ppm	USP XXIII	20 Max	< 20
Identification A By IR		Pass Test As Glycerine	Pass Test As Glycerine
Identification B By GC		Pass Test As Glycerine	Pass Test AS Glycerine
Appearance Of Solution	2.2.1 PH.EUR	Meet Test	Meet Test
Diethylene Glycol DEG& Related compound	2.2.28 PH.EUR	0.1 Max	<0.1
Water %	2.5.12 PH.EUR	0.5 Max	0.20
Halogenated Compounds ppm	2008:0497 PH.EUR	35 ppm Max	<35 ppm
Assay (% Glycerine on anhydrous Basis)		99.7 % Min	99.8 %
Acidity/Alkalinity [ml]	2008:0496 PH.EUR	0.2 Max	<0.1
Sugar	APAG-GL-014-1988	Negative	Negative
Additional Parameter	E422 Specification		Standard Typical
Butantiriol %	E422 has similar requirement		=<0.2%
Acrolein, Glucose and Amonium compounds	E422 has similar requirement		Confirm
Fatty acid and esters%(m/m)(in terms of Butriric acid)	FCC & E422 have similar requirement. FA+E as butyric acid		0.03 to 0.05%
Pb Analysis	<2ppm		Not detected(0.02ppm)
Hg Analysis	<1ppm		Not detected(<0.02ppm)
Cd Analysis	<1ppm		Not Detected(<0.02ppm)
MICROBIAL ANALYSIS			
Yeast & mould (cfu/ml)			not detected <10
Total aerobic count (cfu/ml)			not detected <10
S. Aureus (cfu/ml)			not detected
Gram negative bacilli (cfu/ml)			Not detected
E. Coli (MPN/ml)			not detected <3
Salmonella spp (per 25 ml)			



► APPLICATION USES

This colourless and odorless, sweet-tasting viscous liquid and it is hygroscopic. End-use applications for Glycerine include pharmaceutical applications, food and beverage ingredient, sweetener, Personal care items such as tooth pastes, cosmetics, soaps, polyether polyols, alkyd resins, explosives, humectants, coatings, Pet foods, lubricants, flexible foams, solid fuel, de-/anti-icers, paints, textiles, surface coating, paper and printing industry, plastics, daily chemicals, agricultural, toiletries, tobacco, rubber, lubricants, PU Forms, as good additive and many more industries.

PHARMACEUTICAL & DRUG.

- Used In medical and pharmaceutical preparations, mainly as a means of improving smoothness, provide lubrication and humectants
- · Suppositories, cough syrups, elixirs and expectorants

► PERSONAL CARE & COSMETICS

- · Serves as an emollient, humectants, solvent, and lubricant in personal care products.
- · Competes with sorbitol although glycerol has better taste and higher solubility.
- · Toothpaste, mouthwashes, skin care products, shaving cream, hair care products and soaps

FOODS AND BEVERAGES

- Serves as humectant, solvent and sweetener, may help preserve foods
- · Solvent for flavours and food colouring
- Humectant and softening agent in candy, cakes and casings for meats and cheeses
- · Manufacture of mono- and di-glycerides for use as emulsifiers
- · Used in manufacture of polyglycerol esters going into shortenings and margarine
- Used as filler in low-fat food products (i.e., cookies)

POLYETHER POLYOLS

- One of the major raw materials for the manufacture of polios for flexible foams, and to a lesser extent rigid polyurethane foams
- Glycerol is the initiator to which propylene oxide/ethylene oxide is added

ALKYD RESINS (PLASTICS) AND CELLOPHANE

- Used in surface coatings and paints
- Used as a softener and plasticizer to impart flexibility, pliability and toughness
- Uses include meat casings, collagen casings (medical applications)and nonmeat packaging
- Plasticizer in cellophane.

► OTHER

- · Manufacture of paper as a plasticizer, humectants and lubricant
- · Humectants for pet foods to retain moisture and enhance palatability
- · Used in lubricating, sizing and softening of yarn and fabric
- Used in de-/anti-icing fluids
- Patent applications have been filed for detergent softeners and surfactants based on glycerine (i.e., alkyl glyceryl ethers) instead of quaternary ammonium compounds

▶ ABSOLUTE ALCOHOL There is an absolute alcohol production process by dehydration using plycerol.

