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Ultraviolet Light Absorber for Cosmetic UV Filter and Polymers

UV ABSORBER

1. General

Chiguard[®] BP-2 belongs to the family of substituted benzophenone which protect against ultraviolet radiation. Chiguard[®] BP-2 has high absorption both in UV-A and UV-B regions, hence has been widely used as UV filter in cosmetic and specialty chemical industries.

2. Properties

Structure :

CAS Name : 2,2',4,4'-Tetrahydroxybenzophenone

CAS No. : 131-55-5 Molecular Formula : $C_{13}H_{10}O_5$ Molecular Weight : 246

3. Physical Data

Appearance : Light yellow crystals

Odor : Odorless Melting point : 198 °C

Specific gravity : 1.216 @20 °C

4. Solubility

Soluble in oils, aqueous/alcoholic solution

(g in 100 ml solvent)

Methanol 47 Ethyl acetate < 3.0 Acetone 30 THF 59 Ethanol 23 Dichlomethane <1.0 Acetonitrile <1.0 Toluene <1.0 Hexane <1.0

5. Specification

Appearance : Light yellow crystalline powder

K value : 58 min. Color, Gardner : 5 max.

(1 %, wt/v in methanol)

Melting point : 195 °C min.

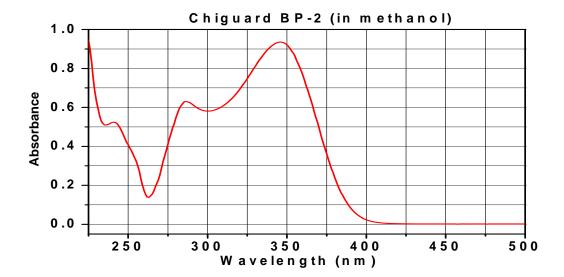


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6. UV Spectrum



7. Storage

Must be stored in closed containers in dark dry conditions.

8. Packaging

25 Kg net/fiber drum