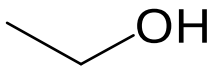
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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

Certified Reference Material

Product Name:	**Ethanol 20 mg/dL Standard**
Product Description:	Ethanol 20 mg/dL Standard (10 x 1mL)
Part number:	**5190-9756**
Lot Number:	46050H
CAS Number:	64-17-5
Molecular Formula:	C_2H_6O
Molecular Weight:	46.07
Solvent:	Water
Volume per Ampoule:	Not less than 1 ml [1]
Long-term Storage:	2 to 8 °C, dark
Expiry Date:	31 March 2024
Intended Use:	For forensic use. The primary aim of this material is for identification, calibration and quantification.



Component	Concentration ("as is")	Uncertainty
see product name	20.00 mg/100 ml [2]	U = 0.09 mg/100 ml [3]

Uncertainty of the concentration is expressed as an expanded uncertainty in accordance with ISO 17025 and Guide 34 at the about 95 % level of confidence using a coverage factor of k = 2 and has been calculated by statistical analysis of our production system and incorporates uncertainty of the purity, material density and balance and weighing technique.

Concentration based on material weighings and material purity factor (assay of the neat material).

The solution's concentration and homogeneity are verified by independent method.

The manufacturer certifies that this standard meets the specification stated in this certificate and warrants this product to meet the stated acceptance criteria through the retest date when stored unopened as recommended. Product should be used shortly after opening to avoid concentration changes due to evaporation. Warranty does not apply to ampoules stored after opening.

Signed:

Dr. Sabine Schröder
Unit for Reference Materials

[1] Ampoules are overfilled to ensure a minimum 1 ml volume fill. We advise laboratories to use measured volumes of this standard solution before diluting to the desired concentration.

[2] The value is based on the results of analytical techniques, which calibration and verification was carried out with standards traceable to SI-units. The value is expressed on an "as is" basis.
The concentration with its uncertainty is valid in the range between 19 °C and 25 °C.
The identity is verified by data from international scientific literature.
Gravimetrically prepared using qualified balances calibrated annually by accredited calibration service. Calibration verification performed daily prior to use utilizing weights traceable to SI via other mass standards.

[3] The uncertainty "U" is the expanded uncertainty estimated in accordance with the Guide to the Expression of Uncertainty in Measurement (GUM). It is corresponding to a level of confidence of about 95 %. Standard uncertainties are indicated with "u".

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Verification of Concentration and Homogeneity				
Lot Number	Verified Concentration (mg/100 ml) *Result*	*Acceptance Criteria*	% RSD – Homogeneity *Result*	*Acceptance Criteria*
46050H	19.88	± 3 %	1.81	≤ 3 %
Results compared to NIST and ERM				
Standard	Verified Concentration (mg/100 ml) *Result*	*Acceptance Criteria*	% RSD – Homogeneity *Result*	*Acceptance Criteria*
NIST Lot SRM 2891 (20 mg/100ml)	19.90	± 3 %	1.72	≤ 3 %
ERM Lot ERM-AC409b (20 mg/100ml)	19.85	± 3 %	2.29	≤ 3 %
Concentration verified by GC/MS2				

Solution Standard Assay Parameters				**External Calibration (100 % amount)**	
Analysis Method	GC/MS2				
Column:	DB-624, 60 m x 0.53 mm x 3 µm			Number of Measurements:	6
Injector:	180 °C				
Flow:	0.8 ml/min				
Oven Program:	Rate	°C	Time		
		35	4 min		
	12 °C/min	220	0 min (run time 19.43 min)		
Detector:	EI, 70eV, ion source temperature: 220 °C				

Neat Material Data		
Product Name:	Ethanol	
CAS Number:	64-17-5	
Molecular Formula:	C_2H_6O	
Molecular Weight:	46.07	
Compound Lot:	26530	
Test	**Method**	**Result**
^{1}H-NMR Spectrum*	SOP 06-053	conform / complies to structure
Assay by quantitative NMR ("as is")*	**Quant. NMR**	**100.01 %**
The expanded uncertainty according to the assay is U = 0.44 % (about 95 % level of confidence using a coverage factor of k = 2).		

*: Validated method performed by ISO/IEC 17025 accredited testing lab

The assay of the neat material is verified by titration.

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Hazard Information: Refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), which can be obtained at www.agilent.com/chem/msds.

Homogeneity: This solution was determined to be homogeneous by procedures consistent with the requirements of ISO Guide 34 and ISO Guide 35. Replicate samples of the finished solution were analyzed to confirm its homogeneity, in accordance with QSP 6-13 Assessment of Homogeneity and Stability. To ensure homogeneity, users should not take a smaller sub-sample than specified in the Instructions for Use, as doing so will invalidate the certified values and uncertainties.

Further Information: Please contact Agilent Technologies for further information about this CRM.

Quality Certifications: This CRM was prepared under a quality management system that is:

- Registered to ISO 9001 – Quality Management Systems – Requirements (DQS 10224-QM08)
- Accredited to ISO Guide 34 – General Requirements for the Competence of Reference Material Producers (DAkkS D-RM-14176-01-00)
    - ISO Guide 34 references additional requirements specified in ISO Guide 31 and ISO Guide 35.
- Accredited to ISO/IEC 17025 – General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories (DAkkS D-PL-14176-01-00)

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