



# HEPES BIOTECH, LBLE, GMP BIO PHARMA GRADE / HEPE-4250

## Intended for Use in Biopharmaceutical & Biotechnological Applications and Products

This product is used as a high purity, GMP Reagent Grade. HEPES, Free Acid is a zwitterionic buffer used to maintain pH of media used in cell cultures. It is one of Good's twelve buffers that has a pKa value similar to its pH value making it an ideal buffer for pH maintenance. HEPES is used as a Good's buffer because it has low UV absorptivity, minimal reactivity, stable pH and is soluble in water.

#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

	Analysis	Specifications
Absorbance (0.1M)	250 nm	≤ 0.0500 a.u.
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Trace Metals	Arsenic (As)	≤ 5 ppm
	Aluminum (Al)	≤ 5 ppm
	Bismuth (Bi)	≤ 5 ppm
	Calcium (Ca)	≤ 10 ppm
	Copper (Cu)	≤5 ppm
	Iron (Fe)	≤5 ppm
	Lead (Pb)	≤5 ppm
	Lithium (Li)	≤5 ppm
	Molybdenum (Mo)	≤5 ppm
	Nickel (Ni)	≤5 ppm
	Potassium (K)	≤ 50 ppm
Enzymes	DNase	None Detected
	RNase	None Detected
	Protease	None Detected
Appearance and Color		White / Crystals



Bulk cGMP Fine Chemical Manufacturer

### **GMP BIOTECH PRODUCT**

Assay, Dried Basis	≥ 99.5 %
Chloride	≤ 50 ppm
Endotoxin	$\leq$ 5 EU /g
Heavy Metals	≤ 1 ppm
Identification, IR	Conforms to Reference Standard
Insoluble Matter	≤ 0.01 %
Loss on Drying	≤ 0.5%
Microbial Content TAMC TYMC	/ 100 CEU/a
pH (5% solution)	5.0 - 6.5
$pK_a$	7.45 - 7.65
Residue on Ignition	≤ 0.1 %
Solubility (5%)	Passes Test
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Water, KF	<u>&lt;</u> 0.1 %
Sulfate	≤ 50 ppm

#### **General Product Description:**

Molecular Formula: C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>18</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S Molecular Weight: 238.30 g/mol

CAS Number: 7365-45-9

#### **HEPES, Free Acid Biotech:**

- Appears as a white crystalline product.
- Is manufactured under an ICH-Q7 Quality Managed cGMP System
- Manufactured in an enzyme free, hormone free and animal free environment
- Has no known major food allergens (as defined by FDA and WHO)
- The final product nor its raw materials are not derived from nor come into contact with animals, animal parts, animal products, and/or animal byproducts or derivatives.
- Is not subject to genetic modification
- Synonyms: N-(2-Hydroxyethyl) piperazine-N'-2-ethane sulfonic acid, 2-[4-(2-hydroxyethyl) piperazin-1-yl] ethane sulfonic acid.

#### **Shelf Life Policy:**

Three-year expiry from the date of manufacture.

#### **Storage and Shipping Conditions:**

Please refer to the SDS for storage and shipping conditions.

#### Package Size:

100g, 500g, 1kg, 5kg, 10kg, 25kg, 50kg