

## TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

### GERMAN CHAMOMILE FL 4:1 DE PR605

<b>Botanical kind:</b>	Compositae (= Asteraceae) Matricaria recutita L. (= Matricaria chamomilla L.) (= Chamomilla recutita (L.) Rauschert)
<b>Part of the plant:</b>	Flower
<b>Ratio plant / final extract:</b>	4 to 1 (a)
<b>Extraction solvent(s):</b>	Water
<b>Carrier(s):</b>	Wheat maltodextrin

DESCRIPTION	Specifications	Methods and references
<b>Appearance</b>	<i>Powder</i>	
<b>Color</b>	<i>Beige to brown</i>	
<b>Solubility</b>	<i>To be tested following the degree of incorporation</i>	

ANALYSES	Specifications		Method and reference
	Min	Max	
<b>Total apigenin 7-glucoside content [%] (4)</b>	<i>Indicative value</i>		MO-49 - HPLC, Eur. Ph. (01/2016:0404), "Matricaria flower" monograph
<b>Alpha-bisabolol content [ppm] (4)</b>	<i>Indicative value</i>		AE-42 - GC-MS, internal method
<b>Identification (raw material) (4)</b>	<i>Complies</i>		MO-127 - TLC, Eur. Ph. (04/2016:0404), "Matricaria flower" monograph
<b>Loss on drying [%] (11)</b>	-	8.00	MO-183 - Eur. Ph. (01/2008:20817) and (02/2008:20816)
<b>Bulk density</b>	0.30	0.70	MO-181 - Eur. Ph. (04/2019:20934)
<b>pH (1% in demineralized water) (11)</b>	3.0	6.5	MO-03 - pH-meter, Eur. Ph. (07/2016:20203), "Potentiometric determination of pH" monograph
<b>Screening [ % &lt; 500 µm]</b>	95.0	-	MO-184 - Granulometer, internal method

CONTAMINANTS	Specifications		Method and reference
	Min	Max	
<b>Pb content [ppm] (4)</b>	-	< 3.00	AE-01 - ICP, internal method
<b>Cd content [ppm] (4)</b>	-	< 1.00	AE-01 - ICP, internal method
<b>Hg content [ppm] (4)</b>	-	< 0.10	AE-01 - ICP, internal method

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<b>As content [ppm] (4)</b>	-	< 1.00	<i>AE-01 - ICP, internal method</i>
<b>Pesticides content [ppm] (4)</b>	<i>&lt; Residual Maximum Limit fixed in European regulation 396/2005 and its modifications</i>		<i>AE-02 - GC-MSMS/LC-MSMS, internal method</i>
<b>Benzo(a)pyrene content [ppb] (4)</b>	-	< 10.0	<i>AE-03 - GC-MS-MS, internal method</i>
<b>Pahs (sum of benzo(a)pyrene, benz(a)anthracene, benzo(b)fluoranthene and chrysene) content [ppb] (4)</b>	-	< 50.0	<i>AE-03 - GC-MS-MS, internal method</i>

<b>MICROBIOLOGY</b>	<b>Specifications</b>		<b>Method and reference</b>
	<b>Min</b>	<b>Max</b>	
<b>Total aerobic microbial count [CFU/g] (1)</b>	-	< 10 000	<i>AE-04 - Eur. Ph. (07/2010:20612) and (01/2014:20631)</i>
<b>Total yeasts/moulds count [CFU/g] (1)</b>	-	< 100	<i>AE-04 - Eur. Ph. (07/2010:20612) and (01/2014:20631)</i>
<b>Salmonella content [ /25g]</b>	<i>Absent</i>		<i>AE-04 - Eur. Ph. (07/2010:20612) and (01/2014:20631)</i>
<b>Bile-tolerant Gram negative bacteria content [CFU/g]</b>	-	< 100	<i>AE-04 - Eur. Ph. (07/2010:20612) and (01/2014:20631)</i>
<b>Escherichia coli content [ /g]</b>	<i>Absent</i>		<i>AE-04 - Eur. Ph. (07/2010:20612) and (01/2014:20631)</i>

(1) Acceptable maximal count: 5 times the acceptance criterion according to Eur. Ph. VIII<sup>o</sup> Ed. 5.1.8 Category B

(11) First ten batches

(4) HACCP based control plan defined annually according to risk analysis

**Best before/** 24

**DMD (in months) :**

**Storage conditions:** Store in closed original packaging at 5 to 25°C in a dry place and protected from light.

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#### Complementary data

(a): Variable indicative raw material ratio depending on productions and / or variability of the raw material.  
Non contractual data.

This reference is neither an Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient nor an excipient for pharmaceutical use  
Responsibility of final labelling lies with the company placing the final product on the market.

- Complies with French decrees (2006-352 and 24th June 2014)
- According to Regulation 1999/3/EC, and its modifications, has not been ionized.
- According to the Regulations 2001/18/EC, 1829/2003 and 1830/2003, and its modifications, the above mentioned item does not contain deliberately added GMO. (fortuitous or technically inevitable traces could be detected at less than 0,9%)
- The product does not contain TSE/BSE substances