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Foreword

This European Standard has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 164 "Water supply", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

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Introduction

In respect of potential adverse effects on the quality of water intended for human consumption, caused by the product covered by this Standard :

- 1) this Standard provides no information as to whether the product may be used without restriction in any of the Member States of the EU or EFTA ;
- 2) it should be noted that, while awaiting the adoption of verifiable European criteria, existing national regulations concerning the use and/or the characteristics of this product remain in force.

1 Scope

This European Standard describes the characteristics and specifies the requirements and the corresponding test methods for tetrasodium pyrophosphate used for treatment of water intended for human consumption. It gives information on its use in water treatment.

2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies.

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| EN 26595 | Water quality - Determination of total arsenic - Silver diethyldithiocarbamate spectrophotometric method (ISO 6595:1982) |
| EN ISO 3696 | Water for analytical laboratory use - Specification and test methods (ISO 3696 : 1987) |
| ISO 2997 | Phosphoric acid for industrial use - Determination of sulphate content - Method by reduction and titrimetry |
| ISO 3165 | Sampling of chemical products for industrial use - Safety in sampling |
| ISO 3357 | Sodium tripolyphosphate and sodium pyrophosphate for industrial use. Determination of total phosphorus (V) oxide content - Quinoline phosphomolybdate gravimetric method |
| ISO 3360 | Phosphoric acid and sodium phosphates for industrial use (including foodstuffs) - Determination of fluorine content - Alizarin complexone and lanthanum nitrate photometric method |
| ISO 5666-1 | Water quality - Determination of total mercury by flameless atomic absorption spectrometry - Part 1 : Method after digestion with permanganate-peroxodisulfate |
| ISO 5961 | Water quality - Determination of cadmium by atomic absorption spectrometry |
| ISO 6206 | Chemical products for industrial use - Sampling - Vocabulary |

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| ISO 6703-1 | Water quality - Determination of cyanide - Part 1 : Determination of total cyanide |
| ISO 8213 | Chemical products for industrial use - Sampling techniques - Solid chemical products in the form of particles varying from powders to coarse lumps |
| ISO 8288 | Water quality - Determination of cobalt, nickel, copper, zinc, cadmium and lead-Flame atomic absorption spectrometric methods |
| ISO 9174 | Water quality - Determination of total chromium - Atomic absorption spectrometric methods |
| ISO 9965 | Water quality - Determination of selenium - Atomic absorption spectrometric method (hydride technique) |
| ISO 11885 | Water quality - Determination of 33 elements by inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectroscopy |

3 Description

3.1 Identification

3.1.1 Chemical name

Tetrasodium pyrophosphate.

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3.1.2 Synonym or common names

TSPP. Tetrasodium diphosphate.

3.1.3 Relative molecular mass

266,0.

3.1.4 Empirical formula

$\text{Na}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$.

3.1.5 Chemical formula

$\text{Na}_4\text{P}_2\text{O}_7$.

3.1.6 CAS Registry Number ¹⁾

7722-88-5.

¹⁾ Chemical Abstracts Service Registry Number.

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3.1.7 EINECS reference ²⁾

231-767-1.

3.2 Commercial form

Tetrasodium pyrophosphate is available in a number of different forms (see 3.3.1).

Different commercial forms, solids or dissolved in water are possible. All concentrations mentioned refer to the active matter and shall be calculated accordingly.

NOTE : Tetrasodium pyrophosphate can be a component of mixtures sold for water treatment purposes.

3.3 Physical properties

3.3.1 Appearance

Solid : White powder.

Liquid : Clear solution.

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3.3.2 Density

Solid : Bulk density from 500 g/dm³ to 600 g/dm³

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Liquid : 1,046 g/ml for a product concentration of 50 g/l at 20 °C.

3.3.3 Solubility in water

Approximately 850 g/l at 25 °C.

3.3.4 Vapour pressure

Not applicable.

3.3.5 Boiling point at 100 kPa ³⁾

Not applicable.

3.3.6 Melting point

970 °C.

²⁾ European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.

³⁾ 100 kPa = 1 bar.

3.3.7 Specific heat

Not known.

3.3.8 Viscosity (dynamic)

Solid : Not applicable.

Liquid : 5 mPa.s for a product concentration of 50 g/l.

3.3.9 Critical temperature

Not applicable.

3.3.10 Critical pressure

Not applicable.

3.3.11 Physical hardness

Not applicable.

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3.4 Chemical properties

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Solutions of tetrasodium pyrophosphate have alkaline reactions.

The pH value of a solution containing 1 % (*m/m*) is approximately 10,0.

4 Purity criteria

Limits have been given for impurities and toxic substances where these are likely to be present in significant quantities from the current production process and raw materials. If a change in the production process or raw materials leads to significant quantities of other impurities or by products being present, this shall be notified to the user.

4.1 Composition of commercial product

The product shall conform to the following requirements on a dry mass basis :

- phosphate content expressed as P_2O_5 : $(53 \pm 1,0)$ percent by mass (% (*m/m*)) ;
- sodium content expressed as Na_2O : $(46,5 \pm 1,0)$ percent by mass (% (*m/m*)).

4.2 Impurities and main by-products

The product shall conform to the requirements specified in table 1.