

**Sodium Hydroxide, Pharma**

NaOH	FW. 40.00	Density	= 2.13	g/cm <sup>3</sup>
CAS-No.	1310-73-2	Melting Point	323	°C
Code	BP1402	Boiling Point	1390	°C

**Specifications**

( Meets Ph.Eur, BP, USP/NF, JP )

Assay (by acidimetry)	97.0%	min.
Appearance	White or almost white, crystalline masses, supplied as pellets	
Identity	Passes test	
Appearance of solution	Clear and colorless	
Solubility	Passes test	
Carbonate (as Na <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> )	2.0%	max.
Chloride (Cl)	0.005%	max.
Sulfate (SO <sub>4</sub> )	0.005%	max.
Heavy metals (as Pb)	0.002%	max.
Iron (Fe)	0.001%	max.
Mercury (Hg)	Passes test	
Potassium (K)	Passes test	

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