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**STANDARD TESTING SPECIFICATIONS**

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RAW MATERIAL

DOC. NO.:

**CAPSICUM OLEORESIN USP**

SP/IL/QC/RM-USP

REVISION NO: 005

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1.	Description	:	Clear brown-red liquid with characteristic odour
2.	Solubility	:	Complies
3.	Identification	:	Complies
4.	Assay (calculated as total capsaicin)	:	Not less than 8.0%
5.	Residual Solvents Methanol Acetone Hexane Ethylene chloride	:	Not more than 3000 ppm Not more than 5000 ppm Not more than 290 ppm Not more than 5 ppm