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# **CERTIFICATE OF GRAVIMETRIC PREPARATION**

PRODUCT:	Calcium Standard (100 ppm Ca)	
PRODUCT No.:	5000802C	
MATRIX:	H <sub>2</sub> O + tr. Acetic Acid	
LOT NO.:	5802C24C1	
DATE OF PREPARATION:	01 <sup>st</sup> March 2024	
EXPIRY DATE:	28 <sup>th</sup> March 2025	
DENSITY VALUE:	1.001 g/ml @ 20°C	

## **PREPARATION OF CONCENTRATE:**

All standard components have been pre-qualified/verified before use. All analytical measuring devices and instrumentation have been pre-calibrated. The actual concentrations reported below are based on this preparation methodology and compound impurities.

Analyte	Raw Material	Nominal mg/L	Actual mg/kg
Calcium, as Ca	Calcium Carbonate	1000	$999\pm0.2~\%$

#### 999 mg/kg is equivalent to 1000 mg/L @ 20°C

The expanded uncertainty (k=2) due to weighing, volumetric preparation and homogeneity is calculated in compliance with EURACHEM/CITAC Guide: Quantifying Uncertainty in Analytical Measurements as  $\pm 0.2$  %. All values are verified by ICP-MS analysis using externally sourced ISO 17034 accredited Certified Reference Materials as calibrants/quality controls where possible.

# DILUTION INSTRUCTIONS FOR PREPARATION OF Ph. Eur. 5000802 (100ppm Calcium Alcoholic)

- 1. To prepare Ph. Eur. 5000802 (100ppm Calcium Alcoholic) dilute this solution to 10 times it's volume with Alcohol R.
- 2. Prepare the dilute solution immediately before use.

# TRACEABILITY IN THE PRODUCTION OF THIS STANDARD

This product was prepared gravimetrically on a mass/mass basis, using a balance calibrated by Reagecon engineers with mass standards traceable to the National and International primary standard of mass. Reagecon holds ISO 17025 accreditation for calibration of non-automatic weighing machines. The resulting Balance Certificate of Calibration was issued in accordance with the requirements of ISO/IEC 17025. The balance was calibrated under monitored environmental conditions and atmospheric pressure. Tests were performed for capacity, readability, repeatability, eccentricity, and linearity.

## **TEST METHOD:**

The mean result of this standard was verified using a calibrated ICP-MS system according to an in-house test method. The result reported in this certificate was confirmed by analysis of a sample of this lot taken at time of manufacture. The density of this standard was determined using a high-performance calibrated density meter.

This certificate relates solely to the lot number given above.

**Approved By:** 

Atto

Date: 05th March 2024

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