



Certificate

STEARIC ACID

(Octadecanoic acid)

USP Catalog No.: 1621008

USP Lot No.: R142E0

	CAS No.: 57-11-4
	Molecular Formula: C ₁₈ H ₃₆ O ₂
	Molecular Weight: 284.48

**LABEL TEXT**

For use with specified USP compendial tests. Not for use as a drug. See SDS prior to use at www.usp.org/sds.



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**REFERENCE STANDARD****STEARIC ACID 500 mg**

For quantitative applications, use a value of 0.98 mg of stearic acid per mg of material on the as is basis. Keep container tightly closed.

See certificate for any additional information.
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Cat. No. 1621008 Material mfd. in Japan

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Certificate Version History

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