



Diltiazem Hydrochloride Tablets

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In accordance with the Rules and Procedures of the Council of Experts, the Small Molecules 2 Expert Committee has revised the Diltiazem Hydrochloride Tablets monograph. The purpose of this revision is to add *Dissolution Test 2* to accommodate FDA-approved drug products with different dissolution conditions and/or tolerances than the existing dissolution test(s). Existing references to reagents have been updated for consistency with the reagent entry. The revision also necessitates a change in the table numbering. *Labeling* information has been incorporated to support the inclusion of *Dissolution Test 2*.

- *Dissolution Test 2* was validated using the Develosil ODS-UG-5 brand of column with L1 packing. The typical retention time for diltiazem is about 4 min.

The Diltiazem Hydrochloride Tablets Revision Bulletin supersedes the currently official monograph.

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