



Metformin Hydrochloride Extended-Release Tablets

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In accordance with the Rules and Procedures of the Council of Experts, the Small Molecules 3 Expert Committee has revised the Metformin Hydrochloride Extended-Release Tablets monograph. The purpose of this revision is to add *Dissolution Tests 27, 28, and 29* to accommodate FDA-approved drug products with different dissolution conditions and/or tolerances than the existing dissolution test(s).

- *Dissolution Test 27* was validated using the Phenomenex Luna C18 (2) brand of column with L1 packing. The typical retention time for metformin is about 4.5 min.

The Metformin Hydrochloride Extended-Release Tablets Revision Bulletin supersedes the currently official monograph.

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