

# Covi-ox<sup>®</sup> T-30 P EU NA

## Chemical names of active ingredient

5,7,8-trimethyltolcol or RRR-alpha-tocopherol or D-alpha-tocopherol  
 5,8-dimethyltolcol or RRR-beta-tocopherol or D-beta-tocopherol  
 7,8-dimethyltolcol or RRR-gamma-tocopherol or D-gamma-tocopherol  
 8-methyltolcol or RRR-delta-tocopherol or D-delta-tocopherol

EU: Tocopherol-rich extract (E 306)  
 US: Natural mixed tocopherols

<b>CAS-No.</b>	D-alpha-tocopherol	59-02-9
	D-beta-tocopherol	16698-35-4
	D-gamma-tocopherol	54-28-4
	D-delta-tocopherol	119-13-1

<b>EINECS-No.</b>	D-alpha-tocopherol	200-412-2
	D-beta-tocopherol	240-747-1
	D-gamma-tocopherol	200-201-5
	D-delta-tocopherol	204-299-0

## PRD-No.

30647404\*

\* The product is kosher, halal.

## Articles

50210302      25 kg is fibre drum

## Country of origin

USA

## Description

Covi-ox<sup>®</sup> T-30 P EU NA is a water-dispersible fine powder which is light tan to cream in color with a bland odor and taste. It contains natural mixed tocopherols which are obtained from edible vegetable oils by suitable physical means.

Covi-ox<sup>®</sup> T-30 P EU NA is made by spray drying the standardized active ingredient onto gum acacia.

## Composition

Ingredients in descending order of weight:  
gum arabic (acacia gum), tocopherol-rich extract\*  
(E 306), sunflower oil

\* derived predominantly from soy beans

The typical tocopherol composition is:

14% D-alpha-tocopherol

2% D-beta-tocopherol

60% D-gamma-tocopherol

24% D-delta-tocopherol

Due to the variability of vegetable oil feedstocks used to derive the tocopherols, slight variations from this typical composition will be found, wide variations are not expected but they may occur.

## Solubility

Insoluble in vegetable oils and in organic solvents, but dispersible in water.

## Specification

Assay (tocopherols) min. 300 mg/g

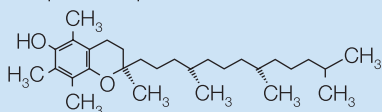
Assay (non-alpha-tocopherols) min. 240 mg/g

For further information see separate document: "Standard Specification" (not for regulatory purposes) available via BASF's WorldAccount: <https://worldaccount.basf.com> (registered access).

## Monographs

The active ingredient of Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA meets the monograph requirements of the current USP-NF and FCC (RRR-Tocopherols Concentrate, Mixed, Low-alpha-Type). Furthermore, the active ingredient complies with the current EU specification for food additives E 306.

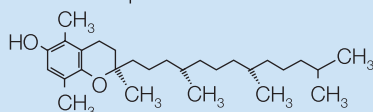
D-alpha-tocopherol



$C_{29}H_{50}O_2$

Molar mass 430.7 g/mol

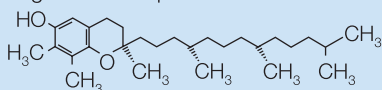
D-beta-tocopherol



$C_{28}H_{48}O_2$

Molar mass 416.7 g/mol

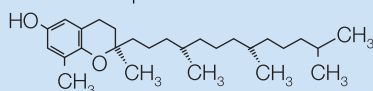
D-gamma-tocopherol



$C_{28}H_{48}O_2$

Molar mass 416.7 g/mol

D-delta-tocopherol



$C_{27}H_{46}O_2$

Molar mass 402.6 g/mol

## Regulations

Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA is derived from IP-certified and not genetically modified raw materials, and is thus not subject to labelling under EU Regulations (EC) 1829/2003 and 1830/2003. Mixed tocopherols are approved for a use as an antioxidant and as a vitamin E source in most countries. However, specific regulations on the product in the respective countries and for its intended use have to be observed.

## **Bulk density**

0.25 – 0.45 g/ml

## **Stability, Storage and Handling**

Stored in its unopened original packaging at ambient temperature max. 25 to 30 °C, the product is stable for at least 12 months. The product is sensitive to atmospheric oxygen, light and heat. It should therefore be stored in the tightly sealed, lightproof packaging in a cool place. Once opened, it is recommended to use the remaining contents as quickly as possible.

## **Applications**

### *Dietary supplements and Food products:*

Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA is used as a natural antioxidant in a wide variety of products. Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA mixes well with dry ingredients and also disperses well in water.

Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA is not intended for tablets or capsules, because it will not withstand the pressure applied during tableting or encapsulation.

The amount of Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA to be used will vary with each particular application. It is recommended to test 3 different mixed tocopherol concentrations (typically in the range 100 – 2000 ppm) to determine the optimum level which gives the desired antioxidant protection for each individual product.

## **Note**

Covi-ox® T-30 P EU NA must be handled in accordance with the Safety Data Sheet.

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