

## ANALYTICAL SPECIFICATION

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## FITC-CM-dextran 20

Catalogue No. FCMD20

**Description:** A fluorescent derivative of a carboxymethyl-dextran fraction produced from a

dextran fraction with an average molecular weight of approximately 20000. It is

supplied as a yellow to orange powder which is readily soluble in water

| TEST/CHARACTERISTIC                     | LIMITS   | TEST METHOD |
|---|--|-------------|
| Appearance, colour                      | Light yellow to dark yellow or<br>light orange to dark orange or<br>yellow-orange or orange-yellow | 02037       |
| Appearance, form                        | Powder or crystals   | 02037       |
| Weight average<br>molecular weight (Mw) | 20000-30000  | 02030       |
| Number average<br>molecular weight (Mn) | To be noted  | 02030       |
| Loss on drying                          | ≤ 10 %   | 02018       |
| Free FITC                               | ≤ 100 ppm  | 02005       |
| Emission maximum <sup>1)</sup>          | 517±5 nm   | 02036       |
| Degree of substitution                  | 0.001-0.020  | 02002       |
| Carboxymethyl content                   | 3-7 %  | 02010       |

<sup>1)</sup> Exc. 493 nm in 0.1 M TRIS pH 8.0