

STATEMENT ON A NONPROPRIETARY NAME ADOPTED BY THE USAN COUNCIL

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SODIUM PICOSULFATE

PRONUNCIATION

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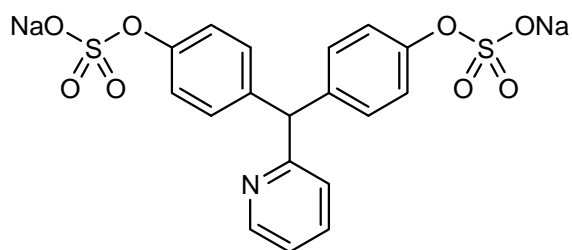
THERAPEUTIC CLAIM

Stimulant laxative

CHEMICAL NAMES

1. Phenol, 4,4'-(2-pyridinylmethylene)bis-, 1,1'-bis(hydrogen sulfate), sodium salt (1:2)
2. (pyridin-2-ylmethylene)bis(4,1-phenylene) disodium bis(sulfate)
3. 4,4'-(2-pyridylmethylene)diphenyl bis(hydrogen sulfate) disodium salt

STRUCTURAL FORMULA



MOLECULAR FORMULA

C₁₈H₁₃NNa₂O₈S₂

MOLECULAR WEIGHT

481.4

TRADEMARK

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CAS REGISTRY NUMBER

10040-45-6 (anhydrous)
1307301-38-7 (monohydrate)