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CERTIFICATE NO.
PL-26-00161
VERIFICATION KEY
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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS · LOT RELEASE

Cartalax 20 mg Pen

Lot **PL-2610-039** · Solution · Label claim **20 mg/mL**

TESTED IN-HOUSE BY PRYMALAB
In-house analytical result, not an independent third-party test

LOT / BATCH NUMBER	DATE MADE	DATE OF ANALYSIS	DATE ISSUED
PL-2610-039	2026-10-01	2026-10-02	2026-10-16
RETEST / EXPIRY	**UNITS IN LOT / SAMPLED**	**STORAGE**	**CERTIFICATE TYPE**
2028-10-01	290 / 2	—	Lot COA, 2 pages

COMPOUND
Cartalax
Ala-Glu-Asp (AED; T-31); Khavinson cartilage peptide bioregulator

CAS NUMBER
n/a

MOLECULAR FORMULA
$C_{12}H_{19}N_3O_8$

THEORETICAL MASS (AVG.)
333.30 Da

SEQUENCE
AED

PURITY · RP-HPLC, AREA %
99.54%
Specification ≥ 99.0 % • main peak at 10.50 min

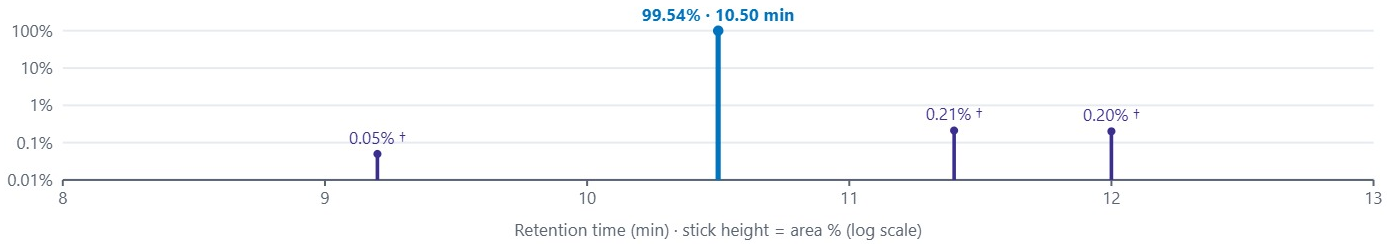
IDENTITY · OBSERVED MASS
333.28 Da
Theoretical 333.30 Da • −0.02 Da (60 ppm)

OVERALL CONCLUSION
PASS
Meets every specification for the tests performed

TEST	METHOD	SPECIFICATION	RESULT	CONCLUSION
Identity (mass)	LC-MS, ESI positive	Theoretical ± 1.0 Da	333.28 Da	PASS
Purity	RP-HPLC, UV 214 nm, area %	≥ 99.0 %	99.54 %	PASS
Largest impurity	RP-HPLC, area %	≤ 1.0%	0.21% (RT 11.40)	PASS
Assay (label claim)	Assay vs label claim	19–21 mg/mL	20.29 mg/mL	PASS
Bacterial endotoxin	LAL, kinetic	≤ 5.0 EU/mg	0.289 EU/mg	PASS
Sterility	USP <71>, 14-day	No growth	No growth	PASS

1 HPLC CHROMATOGRAM

Data file: PL-2610-039-HPLC.raw · Column C18, 150 × 4.6 mm · UV 214 nm



Peak plot drawn from the integrated peak table (area %, log scale); it is not the instrument trace, which is retained in PL-2610-039-HPLC.raw. † Nominal reference retention time for the assigned impurity; the main-peak RT is observed in this lot.

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2 HPLC METHOD · PL-2610-039-HPLC.RAW

INSTRUMENT
Waters Alliance e2695

DATA SYSTEM
Empower 3

DETECTOR
UV absorbance

DETECTION WAVELENGTH
214 nm

COLUMN
C18, 150 × 4.6 mm, 3.5 µm

MOBILE PHASE A
0.1 % TFA in water

MOBILE PHASE B
0.1 % TFA in MeCN

GRADIENT
5–95 % B over 25 min (linear)

FLOW RATE
1.0 mL/min

COLUMN TEMPERATURE
40 °C

INJECTION VOLUME
10 µL

3 GRADIENT PROGRAM

TIME (MIN)	% A	% B
0.0	95	5
25.0	5	95

4 PEAK TABLE

PEAK	RT (MIN)	AREA	AREA %
1	9.20 †	—	0.05
2	**10.50**	**—**	**99.54**
3	11.40 †	—	0.21
4	12.00 †	—	0.20
Total		—	100.00

Peaks: 1 deamidation product; 2 main peak (Cartalax); 3 isoaspartate (isoasp) variant; 4 truncated sequence · Area % from the integrated peak table (absolute areas are not part of the lot-release export) · † nominal reference RT for the assigned impurity · Purity = main peak area ÷ total integrated area × 100, to two decimals; main peak shaded.

5 IDENTITY BY MASS SPECTROMETRY

INSTRUMENT
Waters SQD

IONIZATION / MODE
ESI, positive

REFERENCE M/Z (CHARGE)
334.31 (M+H)+

DECONVOLUTED MASS
333.28 Da

THEORETICAL MASS
333.30 Da

DIFFERENCE
−0.02 Da (60 ppm)

DATA FILE
PL-2610-039-MS.d

ACCEPTANCE
Within ± 1.0 Da

6 ADDITIONAL TESTS

TEST	PERFORMED BY	DATE	REPORT / FILE
Assay vs label claim	PrymaLab Analytical	2026-10-02	—
Endotoxin (LAL, kinetic)	PrymaLab Analytical	2026-10-02	—
Sterility (USP <71>, day-14 read-out)	PrymaLab Analytical	2026-10-16	—

A test with no row here was not performed on this lot. Outside-laboratory reports, when used, are attached and named below.

7 REVIEW AND APPROVAL

D. Reynolds
Analyst · performed the testing
Date: 2026-10-16

S. Calloway
Reviewer · checked against raw data
Date: 2026-10-16

M. Phelps
Lab Director · approved for release
Date: 2026-10-16

Raw data retained at: Empower 3, project PL-2610, archive PL-ARC-2026; 7 years. Outside laboratory reports attached: None

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