

Surveillance on the Quality of Marketed Antihypertensive Preparations in Taiwan

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ABSTRACT

In order to survey the quality of the marketed antihypertensive preparations in Taiwan area, a total of 37 samples, including diltiazem hydrochloride and indapamide antihypertensive preparations, were acquired from different counties and cities in Taiwan during January thru June 2008. Samples were analyzed by the methods as described in the Ch. P. VI, USP 30 with authorized specifications. The items of analysis included the appearance, average weight, identification, assay, dissolution, and content uniformity. All samples met the compendial requirements for diltiazem hydrochloride and indapamide.

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