

ABBREVIATIONS

TA	.....	Triamcinolone acetate
BV	.....	Betamethasone 17-valerate
HAL	.....	Halcinonide
FA	.....	Fluocinolone acetate
A.C.	.....	air condition
R.T.	.....	room temperature
R.H.	.....	relative humidity
I.P.	.....	Indian Pharmacopoeia
B.P.	.....	British Pharmacopoeia
U.S.P.	.....	The United State Pharmacopoeia
N.F.	.....	National Formulary
FDA	.....	Food and Drug Administration of USA
w/w	.....	weight in weight
w/o	.....	water-in-oil
o/w	.....	oil-in-water
U.V.	.....	Ultraviolet
M.P.	.....	melting point
ft	.....	foot or feet
ppm	.....	parts per million
q.s.	.....	quantum sufficit "as much as suffices"
mg	.....	milligram
ml	.....	millilitre(s)
µg	.....	microgram(s)
µl	.....	microlitre(s)

et al.	et alii, 'and others', co-authors
α	alpha
β	beta
γ	gram
i.e.	'that is'
ibid.	ibidem, 'in the same place' (journal or book)
Ed.	editor(s) or edited by
eg.	exempligratia, 'for example'
r.p.m.	rotation per minutes
<	less than
>	more than

All the temperatures are expressed in celsius.