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### MAGNESIUM BISGLYCINATE: THE SUPERIOR BIO-CHELATED SOLUTION FOR MODERN STRESS, SLEEP, AND NEUROLOGICAL HEALTH MANUFACTURED BY WBCIL

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#### ABSTRACT

Magnesium is a foundational mineral required for over 600 enzymatic reactions, yet a significant portion of the global population remains deficient due to modern agricultural practices and high-stress lifestyles. This article explores the clinical utility and chemical superiority of Magnesium Bisglycinate, a chelated compound where magnesium is molecularly bound to two glycine molecules. Unlike traditional inorganic salts like Magnesium Oxide, which suffer from low bioavailability (<15%) and gastrointestinal side effects, Magnesium Bisglycinate utilizes dipeptide transport pathways to ensure high systemic absorption and superior digestive tolerance. Clinical applications demonstrate its efficacy in addressing modern health crises, including insomnia, chronic anxiety, and migraine prophylaxis, further enhanced by the synergistic inhibitory neurotransmitter effects of glycine. Furthermore, structural characterization via Fourier-Transform Infrared (FT-IR) spectroscopy confirms that West Bengal Chemical Industries Ltd., Kolkata, India (WBCIL) produces a fully reacted, bidentate chelate free of unreacted reactants, establishing a gold standard for therapeutic mineral delivery.

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## INTRODUCTION

Magnesium, often referred to as nature's tranquilizer, is a foundational mineral indispensable to human health (1). As the fourth most abundant mineral in the body, it is a crucial cofactor in over 600 enzymatic reactions, playing a central role in everything from energy production (ATP synthesis) and DNA replication to nerve impulse transmission and muscle contraction (1). Despite its critical importance, studies consistently show that a significant portion of the global population does not meet the recommended daily intake of magnesium through diet alone (2). This pervasive insufficiency is often exacerbated by modern agricultural practices that deplete soil nutrients, high-stress lifestyles that increase magnesium excretion, and the consumption of processed foods, leading to a silent epidemic of suboptimal magnesium status (1,2). The downstream effects of this deficiency are broad, contributing to conditions like chronic fatigue, muscle cramping, sleep disturbances, and elevated stress levels. While the need for magnesium supplementation is clear, the bioavailability and tolerability of different forms vary dramatically (2). Traditional forms, such as Magnesium Oxide, possess a low absorption rate and are often associated with gastrointestinal discomfort due to their osmotic laxative effect (3). This is where Magnesium Bisglycinate emerges as the superior solution, representing a significant advancement in mineral delivery science (3). West Bengal Chemical Industries Ltd., Kolkata, India (WBCIL) has pioneered the optimal synthesis of this compound. It is a chelated form where the elemental magnesium is molecularly bound to two molecules of the amino acid glycine. This specific chelation is the key to its unique efficacy (4).

The chelation with glycine offers a dual benefit that addresses the primary drawbacks of conventional magnesium supplements (3,4). First, the resulting neutral, highly stable molecule allows the magnesium to bypass the typical competitive absorption pathways in the gut, ensuring a significantly higher rate of absorption into the bloodstream and target tissues. Second, the chelated structure protects the magnesium from reacting with stomach acids, dramatically reducing the common side effects of diarrhea and digestive upset (5). Unlike inorganic magnesium salts (such as Magnesium Oxide), which have low absorption rates (<15%), Magnesium Bisglycinate is highly bioavailable (2). This efficiency prevents "overloading" the digestive system with unabsorbed minerals, which is the primary cause of gastrointestinal distress. The chelated form utilizes amino acid and dipeptide transport pathways (such as the PEPT1 transporter) in the small intestine (3,4). This allows the body to absorb magnesium more efficiently by bypassing the slower, saturable mineral-specific ion channels that often become "clogged" or overwhelmed. Because the magnesium is molecularly bound to two glycine molecules, the resulting complex is electrically neutral and stable. This prevents the magnesium from reacting with stomach acid or dietary inhibitors like phytates and oxalates, which would otherwise create insoluble salts that linger in the gut (5). Glycine itself is an inhibitory neurotransmitter, which synergistically enhances the calming and sleep-supporting benefits of magnesium (4,5). This combination of high bioavailability, excellent digestive tolerance, and enhanced functional benefit positions Magnesium Bisglycinate as the go-to choice for individuals seeking to correct a deficiency or optimize their overall state of well-being (5). This article will delve into the profound implications of this particular

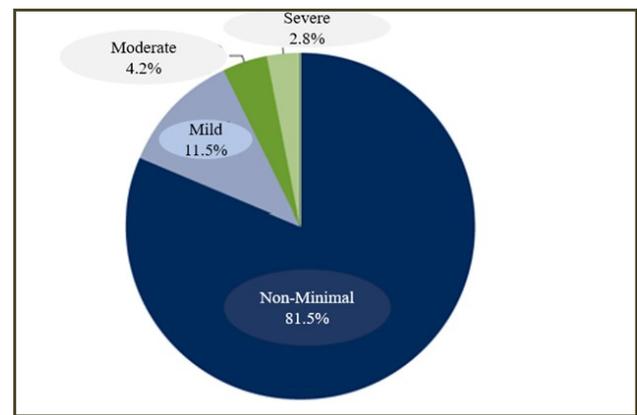
chelated form, examining its clinical applications in sleep, stress management, and muscle health, and underscoring why the commitment of WBCIL commitment to purity and bio-chelation science offers an unmatched standard of supplemental excellence.

**The Unseen Crisis: Magnesium as a Solution to Modern Stressors:** The contemporary world presents a landscape of escalating mental and neurological challenges, making the search for effective, well-tolerated interventions more critical than ever. The post-2020 era, in particular, has witnessed a stark deterioration in public mental health (6). Data from the CDC indicates a significant rise in symptoms of anxiety and depression among US adults between 2019 and 2022, with percentages for both increasing markedly, particularly among younger adults and women (7). Concurrently, issues like insomnia and other sleep disturbances have become a major societal concern, with studies noting a high prevalence in the general public and a tendency for insomnia symptoms to persist long after acute stress periods (6). This pervasive degradation of mental well-being creates a clear market need for supportive solutions, and it is here that the unique neuro-modulatory profile of Magnesium Bisglycinate offers compelling, evidence-backed relief for three major modern health challenges: Sleep Disturbances, Cognitive Calm, and Migraine Prevention (7).

**Restoring the Night: Magnesium Bisglycinate for Sleep:** Magnesium's role in sleep is multifaceted and deeply rooted in neurological function. It acts as a natural gatekeeper for the central nervous system by modulating the activity of the GABAA receptor—the primary inhibitory neurotransmitter system in the brain (8). By binding to these receptors, magnesium helps quiet excitatory signals, effectively promoting the transition to a state of mental and physical relaxation necessary for sleep. Furthermore, magnesium helps regulate the production of the sleep hormone melatonin and can help lower cortisol levels, the primary stress hormone that interferes with sleep initiation and maintenance (8, 9). A recent randomized, placebo-controlled trial specifically investigating Magnesium Bisglycinate supplementation in adults reporting poor sleep quality demonstrated a modest yet significant improvement in Insomnia Severity Index (ISI) scores compared to placebo, underscoring its efficacy as a non-pharmacological sleep aid (8, 9). The chelation with glycine is particularly advantageous here, as glycine itself is a renowned inhibitory neurotransmitter that promotes muscle relaxation and can help lower core body temperature, both of which are crucial triggers for high-quality sleep (9). Based on the CDC's Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) data (most recent analyses from 2020 and 2022).

**Achieving Cognitive Calm and Stress Reduction:** In a high-pressure society where chronic anxiety is common, the ability to promote cognitive calm is paramount. Magnesium Bisglycinate addresses this by acting as an NMDA receptor antagonist (10). The NMDA receptor is a key mediator of excitatory brain activity; when over-activated (often by stress), it can lead to neuronal overstimulation, manifesting as anxiety and heightened stress reactivity. By gently blocking this receptor, magnesium helps prevent this excitotoxicity, effectively reducing the brain's baseline level of stress and arousal (10). While more large-scale human trials are needed, multiple systematic reviews suggest that supplemental magnesium is a likely useful intervention for reducing symptoms of mild anxiety, especially in individuals with low baseline magnesium status. Studies have reported improvements in self-reported anxiety scores, further supporting its use as a tool for promoting mental relaxation and resilience against the emotional toll of modern life (9,10).

**Stabilizing the Mind: Magnesium for Migraine Prophylaxis:** Migraines are more than just severe headaches; they are debilitating neurological events with a profound impact on quality of life, and low magnesium status has been consistently linked to their pathogenesis (11). Magnesium's protective mechanisms against migraines include: **Vascular Regulation:** It acts as a natural calcium channel blocker, helping to relax blood vessels and stabilize the vascular tone,



**Figure 1. Percent distribution of severity of depression symptoms in among adults aged 18 and over: United States, 2019 [Retrieved directly from the report of CDC 2019]**

which is thought to prevent the erratic constriction and dilation associated with migraine attacks (11). **Neurotransmitter Balance:** It helps regulate key neurotransmitters like serotonin, which is implicated in the onset of migraines. **Nerve Excitability:** Its role as an NMDA antagonist helps dampen the phenomenon known as cortical spreading depression—a wave of hyperactivity across the brain linked to the migraine aura and pain phase (11). Due to the robust evidence, neurological organizations like the Canadian Headache Society strongly endorse magnesium supplementation for migraine prevention. Doses often range from 400–600 mg daily, and the high bioavailability and excellent GI tolerance of WBCIL's Magnesium Bisglycinate make it an ideal, well-tolerated prophylactic agent for those seeking to reduce the frequency and severity of these neurological storms (3,4,11). This dual focus on addressing the growing issues of sleep, stress, and pain, coupled with the proven superiority of the bisglycinate form, positions our product as a vital, science-backed solution for the modern wellness consumer (11).

**The Gold Standard: The Superiority of Magnesium Bisglycinate:** Magnesium supplementation is not merely a helpful addition to a healthy diet; it has become an essential physiological intervention necessary to address the pervasive deficiencies that contribute to a spectrum of interconnected, modern health challenges, including chronic stress, sleep disturbances, and neurological pain (13). The mineral acts as an indispensable cofactor in over 600 enzymatic reactions, yet suboptimal intake is widespread due to dietary factors and lifestyle stress, underscoring the vital need for effective repletion (13). To maximize the impact of this essential nutrient, the chemical form of the supplement is the decisive factor in determining its efficacy (14). Among the dozens of magnesium compounds available, Magnesium Bisglycinate stands out as the superior, highly bioavailable, and exceptionally well-tolerated option. This form dramatically minimizes the gastrointestinal distress common with traditional supplements like Magnesium Oxide (13). The primary reason for this superiority lies in the advanced science of chelation.

**Gastrointestinal Comfort and High Bioavailability:** Inorganic forms, such as Magnesium Oxide (MgO), are poorly soluble and absorbable; research suggests that as little as 4%-15% of the elemental magnesium in MgO is typically absorbed. The vast unabsorbed mineral residue creates a high concentration gradient in the intestinal lumen, exerting an osmotic effect that draws water into the bowel, leading directly to the common side effects of diarrhoea and cramping (13). In contrast, Magnesium Bisglycinate is a chelated complex where the central magnesium ion ( $Mg^{2+}$ ) is chemically bound to two molecules of the amino acid glycine. This binding process creates a stable, electrically neutral molecule that is recognized by the body not as a mineral salt, but as an intact dipeptide. The benefits of this structure are multi-fold:

**Protection from Degradation:** The chelated structure shields the magnesium ion from the highly acidic environment of the stomach

and prevents it from binding with common dietary inhibitors (like phytates and oxalates). in the upper gut, ensuring the mineral reaches the site of absorption intact (14).

**Bypassing Mineral Channels:** Studies, including comparative clinical research, suggest that some portion of the magnesium bisglycinate chelate is absorbed via the efficient amino acid or dipeptide transport pathways (such as the PEPT1 transporter). in the proximal small intestine. This is a critical advantage, as it bypasses the slower, saturable magnesium-specific ion channels, allowing for significantly better uptake and higher serum and intracellular magnesium levels (14).

**Reduced Laxative Effect:** Because absorption efficiency is high and the compound is electrically neutral, it largely prevents the buildup of unabsorbed, charged magnesium ions in the large intestine. This mechanism effectively eliminates the osmotic pressure responsible for the laxative side effect, making Magnesium Bisglycinate the preferred form for individuals with sensitive digestion or those requiring consistent, long-term supplementation (15).

**The Synergistic Glycine Advantage:** The glycine component of the bisglycinate molecule is not merely a delivery vehicle; it provides synergistic functional benefits. Glycine is a non-essential amino acid that acts as a major inhibitory neurotransmitter in the central nervous system, particularly in the brainstem and spinal cord. Its mechanism involves binding to the strychnine-sensitive Glycine Receptor, which opens a chloride channel and hyperpolarizes the neuron, thereby decreasing neuronal excitability (16). The combination of this inhibitory glycine with magnesium—which simultaneously modulates the primary inhibitory neurotransmitter GABA and antagonizes the excitatory NMDA receptor—creates a powerful dual mechanism for promoting relaxation and cognitive calm (16). The resultant effect supports improved sleep quality, reduced perceived stress, and enhanced neurological stability, making Magnesium Bisglycinate a true "game-changer" for addressing the contemporary crisis of stress and sleep deprivation. The totality of the scientific evidence, pointing to superior absorption, optimal tolerability, and inherent neurological benefits, firmly establishes magnesium bisglycinate as the gold standard for therapeutic magnesium repletion (17).

The essential distinction of Magnesium Bisglycinate lies in its superior absorption and tolerability, which directly address the limitations of common inorganic forms like Magnesium Oxide (15). Comparative studies confirm that the chelation process, where the magnesium ion is bound to two glycine molecules, shields the mineral from the acidic gut environment, enabling it to bypass the slow, competitive mineral ion channels and utilize the highly efficient amino acid/dipeptide transport pathways (PEPT), leading to significantly higher systemic bioavailability (16). This mechanism simultaneously prevents the buildup of unabsorbed residue in the large intestine, thereby eliminating the osmotic laxative effects common to forms with low absorption, making Magnesium Bisglycinate the preferred choice for long-term therapeutic use (17).

**Characterization of Magnesium Bisglycinate by WBCIL:** The characterization of Magnesium Bisglycinate manufactured by WBCIL is centered on validating its structural integrity as a fully reacted, bidentate chelate rather than a simple physical blend. Utilizing Fourier-Transform Infrared (FT-IR) spectroscopy, WBCIL ensures that the elemental magnesium is molecularly bound to two molecules of the amino acid glycine to form stable, five-membered heterocyclic rings. This sophisticated characterization confirms that the product possesses coordinate covalent bonds, making it an electrically neutral and highly stable molecule. The absence of "free" reactants—specifically unreacted magnesium oxide and free glycine—is verified by the disappearance of diagnostic spectral peaks, such as the  $\text{NH}_3^+$  and  $\text{COO}^-$  rocking bands. By achieving this complete chelation, WBCIL provides a gold-standard mineral delivery system that bypasses typical competitive absorption pathways, prevents degradation in stomach acid, and eliminates the

common osmotic laxative effects associated with unchelated magnesium salts.

## RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

**Complete Chelation via FT-IR:** A "fully reacted" chelate is defined by the total conversion of raw materials into a stable complex, ensuring that no unreacted "free" components remain in the final product (18). Complete chelation ensures that 100% of the available glycine is molecularly bound to the magnesium ion (18). The presence of "free" or unbound glycine would indicate an incomplete reaction, potentially reducing the synergistic neurological benefits of the compound. To confirm that the product Mg-Bisglycinate is a true chelated complex, we analysed the shifting and disappearance of characteristic functional group peaks (19).

A fully reacted chelate is formed when a central magnesium ion binds to the amino acid ligand, creating a heterocyclic ring structure. This coordination results in covalent-like properties that differ significantly from ionically bonded mineral salts (18,19). By ensuring there is no unreacted inorganic magnesium remaining as a simple salt, the product eliminates the risk of intestinal "overload". This is critical because free, unchelated magnesium ions are responsible for the osmotic laxative effects and poor absorption seen in lower-quality supplements. WBCIL utilizes Fourier-Transform Infrared (FT-IR) spectroscopy to provide empirical validation of this high-purity state. FT-IR allows for a molecular "fingerprint" analysis where the structural integrity of the chelate is confirmed through two primary observations:

- Complete disappearance of spectral peaks associated with free glycine, specifically the  $\text{NH}_3^+$  (Amine) and  $\text{COO}^-$  characteristic diagnostic peak (20). If free glycine were present, this peak would be clearly visible; its absence proves that the glycine has deprotonated to coordinate with the magnesium.
- The analysis of structural shifting tracks the redshift and broadening of carboxyl ( $\text{COO}^-$ ) stretches, which signals the transition from a simple ionic bond to a stable, bidentate chelate with coordinate covalent properties (20).

In WBCIL, the spectroscopic analysis was performed using an Agilent Technologies (USA) FT-IR spectrometer. The formulations were prepared for analysis by direct measurement using attenuated total reflectance (ATR). A small quantity of each sample was applied onto the ATR crystal, ensuring good and uniform contact to achieve reliable spectral quality. To capture the complete "fingerprint" of the coordination environment, the samples were scanned across the mid-infrared region, specifically within the 400–4000  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  range. This comprehensive range is essential for identifying the shifting or disappearance of characteristic functional group peaks that signal the formation of coordinate covalent bonds. The following table summarizes the key FT-IR spectral shifts observed in WBCIL's Magnesium Bisglycinate compared to free glycine, based on the laboratory analysis:

**Confirmation of High Purity: Absence of Free Reactants:** The FT-IR spectral analysis (Table 3) confirms the transition from raw glycine to a fully reacted Magnesium Bisglycinate chelate by tracking the fundamental shift from ionic to coordinate covalent bonding. In the raw material, glycine exists as a zwitterion characterized by  $\text{NH}_3^+$  peaks (specifically stretching at 3112, rocking at 1124, and broad bands at 2600–3000  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ); (figure 2). however, in the MBG complex, these disappear and are replaced by a broad band at 3000–3400  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , signaling that the amine group has deprotonated to  $\text{NH}_2$  to coordinate with the magnesium ion. This coordination is further validated by the emergence of a peak at 1628.3  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , which serves as empirical evidence of heterocyclic ring formation, and a symmetric  $\text{COO}^-$  shift at 1325.6  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ , which replaces the free carboxyl bending and wagging (seen at 635 and ~606  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ). with a stable, bidentate bond.

**Table 1. Sleep Deprivation Statistics by CDC Report**

Metric	Statistic	Context (Source: CDC)
National Prevalence (Short Sleep)	More than one-third (approx. 35.8% to 36.4%) of U.S. adults	Report getting less than the recommended 7 hours of sleep per night. This equates to over 80 million adults.[12]
Short Sleep by Age	Highest prevalence in adults aged 45–64 (around 38–39%).	Adults aged 65 and older have the lowest rate (around 27.6%–28.7%).[12]
Sleep Difficulty (Insomnia Symptoms)	14.5% of adults reported trouble falling asleep most days or every day in the past 30 days (2020 data).	17.8% of adults reported trouble staying asleep most days or every day in the past 30 days (2020 data).[12]
Geographic Variation (2022 Data)	State rates for insufficient sleep range from as low as 30% (Vermont) to as high as 46% (Hawaii).	Geographic clusters with the highest rates of short sleep are often observed in the Southeastern U.S. and along the Appalachian Mountains.[12]
Racial/Ethnic Disparities	Black or African American adults have one of the highest prevalences of insufficient sleep (around 45.4%–47.4%).	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander adults also show a very high prevalence (around 44.4%–54.2%).[12]

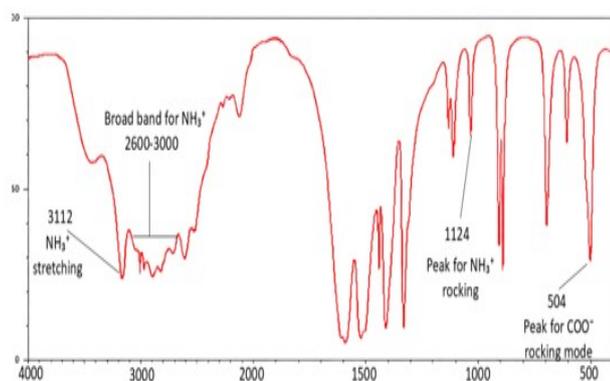
**Table 2. Comparative Absorption: Chelated Magnesium versus Inorganic Salts**

Feature	Inorganic Magnesium (e.g., Oxide, Carbonate)	Chelated Magnesium (Bisglycinate)
Absorption Rate	Low (typically <15% elemental absorption).	High (studies show significantly greater plasma concentration and tissue retention).[15]
Absorption Pathway	Primarily utilizes Mineral Ion Channels	Primarily utilizes Amino Acid/Dipeptide Transporters.[16]
Stability in Gut	Low stability; readily interacts with stomach acid and dietary inhibitors (phytates, oxalates) forming insoluble salts.	High stability; the $Mg^{2+}$ ion is protected by the surrounding glycine ligands.[17]
Gastrointestinal Tolerance	Poor. High residual concentration in the large intestine creates strong osmotic pressure, leading to the characteristic laxative effect.	Excellent. High absorption rate means minimal unabsorbed residue, virtually eliminating the osmotic laxative effect.[17]
Nutritional Synergy	None.	Yes. The glycine ligand is an inhibitory neurotransmitter that complements magnesium's calming effect.[16]

**Table 3. Key FT-IR spectral shifts observed in glycine and our Magnesium Bisglycinate**

Glycine		MBG	
Wavenumber	Significance	Wavenumber	Significance
~2600-3000	$NH_3^+$ broad bands	3000-3400	Broad band for $NH_2$ stretching indicating amine bond between Magnesium and Glycine
3112	$NH_3^+$ stretching		
1124	$NH_3^+$ rocking	1628.3	Evidence of ring formation
635	$COO^-$ bending		
~606	$COO^-$ wagging		
		1325.6	Symmetric $COO^-$ shift indicating bonding to carboxyl group
504	$COO^-$ rocking		

Collectively, these shifts prove that 100% of the glycine is molecularly bound, eliminating the "free" magnesium and unbound glycine that typically cause osmotic laxative effects and poor bioavailability in inferior supplements (21).

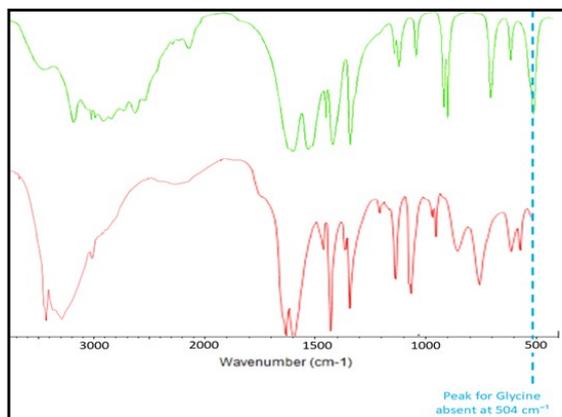
**Figure 2. FT-IR spectra of Glycine**

**Complete Coordination and Rigidification:** The chemical validation of a true bidentate chelate lies in the suppression of free carboxylate ( $COO^-$ ) and amine deformation modes (Figure 3). The disappearance of characteristic carboxyl "rocking" peaks confirms that the magnesium ion has successfully coordinated with the oxygen atoms, rigidifying the molecular structure. This coordination

rigidifies the molecule, "locking" the carboxyl group into a stable, heterocyclic ring and eliminating free vibration. By ensuring the final product is a neutral, fully bound molecule, WBCIL guarantees there is no residual inorganic mineral or unreacted glycine to cause the osmotic laxative effects associated with lower-quality supplements.

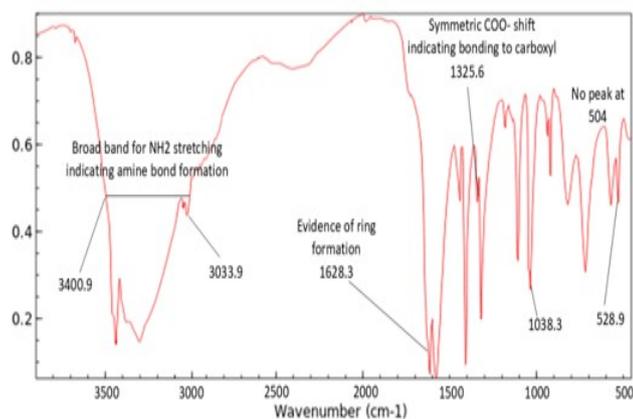
**Spectral Evidence of Chelation:** The FT-IR analysis definitively confirms that WBCIL's Magnesium Bisglycinate is a fully reacted, bidentate chelate rather than a simple physical mixture. The most critical evidence is the complete disappearance of the zwitterionic  $NH_3^+$  diagnostic peaks (notably at ~2600–3000  $cm^{-1}$  and 3112  $cm^{-1}$ ), proving the glycine has deprotonated to form a coordinate covalent bond with the magnesium (Figure 2). In their place, a new broad band at 3400.9  $cm^{-1}$  (with a shoulder at 3033.9  $cm^{-1}$ ) emerges, signaling the transition to a metal-coordinated  $NH_2$  group (Figure 4). Further structural validation is found in the peak at 1628.3  $cm^{-1}$ , the "fingerprint" for heterocyclic ring formation, and the symmetric  $COO^-$  shift to 1325.6  $cm^{-1}$ , which indicates carboxylate coordination.

Additional shifts to 1038.3  $cm^{-1}$  (C-N stretch) and 528.9  $cm^{-1}$  confirm the total skeletal integrity and stability of the final neutral molecule. The coordination is further confirmed by the behavior of the carboxyl  $COO^-$  groups. The results show that the  $COO^-$  rocking and scissoring peaks have been disappeared and replaced by baseline noises specifically noted by the absence of the peak at 504  $cm^{-1}$ . This indicates that the magnesium ion has effectively rigidified the carboxylate group, preventing the free deformation seen in unbound glycine (Figure 3,4) (20). Additionally, the transition to a stable,



**Figure 3. FT-IR spectra illustrating the diminution of peaks at 498  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  and 2119  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  in the magnesium bisglycinate chelate, as observed relative to free glycine**

chelated state is evidenced by the appearance of the prominent peak at 1628.3  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ . This shift and the emergence of the symmetric COO<sup>-</sup> vibration at 1325.6  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  demonstrate the transition from a simple ionic association to a true bidentate chelate involving coordinate covalent properties. This "anchoring" of the carboxylate group within a heterocyclic ring confirms the structural stability and high chelation efficiency of the final molecule (27).



**Figure 4. FT-IR spectra of Magnesium Bisglycinate sample performed by WBCIL**

These structural results directly translate to the superior clinical performance of the compound (21). Because the FT-IR data confirms the formation of stable, five-membered heterocyclic rings, the molecule is electrically neutral (21). This neutrality allows the magnesium to bypass common dietary inhibitors like phytates and oxalates that would otherwise bind to free mineral ions (22). Furthermore, the absence of unreacted Magnesium Oxide ensures that there is no residual inorganic salt to exert an osmotic effect in the large intestine (23). This confirms that the high purity and complete chelation observed in the lab are the foundational reasons for the product's high bioavailability and the elimination of the laxative side effects common in lower-quality supplements.

## CONCLUSION AND FUTURE PROSPECTS

The present study underscores Magnesium Bisglycinate as the premier choice for correcting magnesium insufficiency and managing stress-related neurological conditions. By bypassing traditional competitive mineral absorption pathways and protecting the magnesium ion from dietary inhibitors, this chelated form achieves a level of bioavailability and tissue retention that inorganic salts cannot match. Beyond simple mineral repletion, the inclusion of glycine provides a unique dual-action mechanism that promotes cognitive calm and restores sleep quality by modulating GABA and NMDA receptors. Rigorous manufacturing and characterization by WBCIL

ensure the structural integrity and purity of the complex, eliminating the osmotic laxative effects typically associated with magnesium supplementation. Ultimately, Magnesium Bisglycinate represents a science-backed advancement in nutritional therapy, offering a highly effective, well-tolerated solution for individuals seeking to optimize their mental and physical well-being in an increasingly high-pressure world. Given the rising prevalence of anxiety and sleep disturbances, future research will likely focus on Magnesium Bisglycinate as a primary non-pharmacological stabilizer for GABAergic and NMDA pathways. With neurological organizations already endorsing magnesium, the "fully reacted" bisglycinate form from manufacturers like WBCIL is expected to become the preferred clinical standard due to its ability to reach target tissues without GI distress.

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