Methandriol dipropionate



Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME

Methandriol dipropionate

STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCORDING TO OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.



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SYNONYMS

C26-H40-O4, "androst-5-ene-3-beta, 17-beta-diol, 17-methyl-, dipropionate", "androst-5-ene-3-beta-3, 17-diol, 17-methyl-, (3-beta, 17-beta), ", dipropionate, "17-alpha-methyl-androstene-3-beta, 17-beta-diol dipropionate", "methylandrostenediol dipropionate", "17-alpha-methyl-5-androstene-3-beta, 17-beta-diol 3, 17-dipropionate", "3-beta, 17-beta-dipropionyloxy-17-alpha-methyl-5-androstene", "methanedriol dipropionate (sic)", "anabolic steroid androgen"





EMERGENCY OVERVIEW RISK

Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect. Possible risk of impaired fertility. Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

SWALLOWED

Accidental ingestion of the material may be damaging to the health of the individual.

• Androgens can cause increased bone mass, blood concentrations of nitrogen, sodium, potassium, calcium and phosphates, water retention and swelling, and blood vessel growth in the skin.

They may cause premature closure of growth plates in early puberty causing reduced height.

• The anabolic steroids produce the adverse effects exhibited by androgens but generally produce lessened masculinizing effects, especially in women.

EYE

Although the material is not thought to be an irritant, direct contact with the eye may cause transient discomfort characterized by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).

Slight abrasive damage may also result.

SKIN

The material is not thought to be a skin irritant (as classified using animal models).

- Abrasive damage however, may result from prolonged exposures.
- Skin contact with the material may damage the health of the individual; systemic effects may result following absorption.
- Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material.
- Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects.

Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

INHALED

The material is not thought to produce respiratory irritation (as classified using animal models).

- Nevertheless inhalation of dusts, or fume, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.
- Inhalation of dusts, generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual.

■ Persons with impaired respiratory function, airway diseases and conditions such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis, may incur further disability if excessive concentrations of particulate are inhaled.

CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS

There has been concern that this material can cause cancer or mutations, but there is not enough data to make an assessment.

Ample evidence from experiments exists that there is a suspicionthis material directly reduces fertility.

There is some evidence that human exposure to the material may result in developmental toxicity. This evidence is based on animal studies where effects have been observed in the absence of marked maternal toxicity, or at around the same dose levels as other toxic effects but which are not secondary non-specific consequences of the other toxic effects.

High doses of androgens over prolonged periods may produce liver tumors and hasten growth of cancer of the prostate. In pregnant women, androgens may cause the development of male secondary sex characteristics of the female fetus.

Long term exposure to high dust concentrations may cause changes in lung function i.e. pneumoconiosis; caused by particles less than 0.5 micron penetrating and remaining in the lung.

Exposure to the material for prolonged periods may cause physical defects in the developing embryo (teratogenesis).

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

NAME	CAS RN	%
methandriol dipropionate	3593-85-9	>98

Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

SWALLOWED

· If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting. · If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.

EYE

■ If this product comes in contact with the eyes: • Wash out immediately with fresh running water. • Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.

SKIN

■ If skin contact occurs: · Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear · Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).

INHALED

· If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. · Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.

NOTES TO PHYSICIAN

TREATMENT for androgen-anabolic steroid intoxication:

· For acute massive ingestions of androgenic-anabolic steroids, decontamination of the gastrointestinal tract with oral administration of activated charcoal may reduce absorption if employed within 1 or 2 hours of ingestion.

· Activated charcoal is used empirically as a general adsorbent, because there is no evidence to support or refute its efficacy.

· Because there appears to be minimal risk from ingesting pharmacological doses of androgen-anabolic steroids, gastrointestinal decontamination should not be indicated in these cases.

· For intramuscular injections of androgenic-anabolic steroids, cleansing and examination of the injection site would be advisable.

Complications associated with androgenic-anabolic steroid use may require symptomatic treatment, such as lorazepam, diazepam, or haloperidol for excessively aggressive and combative patients.

There are no specific antagonists for acute or chronic exposure to androgen-anabolic steroids. Discontinuance of further use should be emphasised.

· Management of a withdrawal syndrome associated with these steroids have been described but the risks and benefits of such an approach have not been reported.

CLINICAL TOXICOLOGY: Ford, Delaney, Ling and Erickson: 2001 Publisher: W.B. Saunders Company.

Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Vapour Pressure (mmHG):	Negligible
Upper Explosive Limit (%):	Not available.
Specific Gravity (water=1):	Not available.
Lower Explosive Limit (%):	Not available.

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

· Foam

· Dry chemical powder.

FIRE FIGHTING

· Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.

When any large container (including road and rail tankers) is involved in a fire,

consider evacuation by 100 metres in all directions.

GENERAL FIRE HAZARDS/HAZARDOUS COMBUSTIBLE PRODUCTS

· Combustible solid which burns but propagates flame with difficulty.

· Avoid generating dust, particularly clouds of dust in a confined or unventilated space as dusts may form an explosive mixture with air, and any source of ignition, i.e. flame or spark, will cause fire or explosion. Dust clouds generated by the fine grinding of the solid are a particular hazard; accumulations of fine dust may burn rapidly and fiercely if ignited.

Combustion products include: carbon monoxide (CO), carbon dioxide (CO2), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid contamination with oxidizing agents i.e. nitrates, oxidizing acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

Glasses Chemical goggles. Gloves: Respirator: Particulate

Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

MINOR SPILLS

- · Clean up waste regularly and abnormal spills immediately.
- · Avoid breathing dust and contact with skin and eyes.
- · Wear protective clothing, gloves, safety glasses and dust respirator.
- · Use dry clean up procedures and avoid generating dust.
- · Vacuum up or sweep up. NOTE: Vacuum cleaner must be fitted with an exhaust micro filter (HEPA type) (consider explosion-proof machines designed to be grounded during storage and use).
- · Dampen with water to prevent dusting before sweeping.
- · Place in suitable containers for disposal.
- Environmental hazard contain spillage.
- MAJOR SPILLS
- Environmental hazard contain spillage.
- Moderate hazard.
- · CAUTION: Advise personnel in area.
- · Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING

· Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.

· Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.

Empty containers may contain residual dust which has the potential to accumulate following settling. Such dusts may explode in the presence of an appropriate ignition source.

Do NOT cut, drill, grind or weld such containers.

· In addition ensure such activity is not performed near full, partially empty or empty containers without appropriate workplace safety authorisation or permit.

RECOMMENDED STORAGE METHODS

Glass container.

- \cdot Polyethylene or polypropylene container.
- \cdot Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

Observe manufacturer's storing and handling recommendations.

Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE CONTROLS

The following materials had no OELs on our records • methandriol dipropionate: CAS:3593-85-9

PERSONAL PROTECTION



RESPIRATOR

• particulate.

Consult your EHS staff for recommendations

EYE

When handling very small quantities of the material eye protection may not be required.

For laboratory, larger scale or bulk handling or where regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs:

· Chemical goggles

· Face shield. Full face shield may be required for supplementary but never for primary protection of eyes

Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lens or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59].

HANDS/FEET

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include: such as:

- frequency and duration of contact,
- · chemical resistance of glove material,
- · glove thickness and
- · dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739).

• When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.

· When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.

· Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

· Rubber gloves (nitrile or low-protein, powder-free latex). Employees allergic to latex gloves should use nitrile gloves in preference.

- · Double gloving should be considered.
- · PVC gloves.
- · Protective shoe covers.
- \cdot Head covering.

Experience indicates that the following polymers are suitable as glove materials for protection against undissolved, dry solids, where abrasive particles are not present.

- · polychloroprene
- · nitrile rubber
- butyl rubber
- · fluorocaoutchouc

· polyvinyl chloride

Gloves should be examined for wear and/ or degradation constantly.

OTHER

· For quantities up to 500 grams a laboratory coat may be suitable.

• For quantities up to 1 kilogram a disposable laboratory coat or coverall of low permeability is recommended. Coveralls should be buttoned at collar and cuffs.

- · For quantities over 1 kilogram and manufacturing operations, wear disposable coverall of low permeability and disposable shoe covers.
- For manufacturing operations, air-supplied full body suits may be required for the provision of advanced respiratory protection.
- · Eye wash unit.
- \cdot Ensure there is ready access to an emergency shower.
- · For Emergencies: Vinyl suit.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Enclosed local exhaust ventilation is required at points of dust, fume or vapor generation.

HEPA terminated local exhaust ventilation should be considered at point of generation of dust, fumes or vapors.

Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Solid.			
Does not mix with water.			
State	Divided solid	Molecular Weight	416.6
Melting Range (°F)	181- 189	Viscosity	Not Applicable
Boiling Range (°F)	Not available.	Solubility in water (g/L)	Immiscible
Flash Point (°F)	Not Available	pH (1% solution)	Not applicable.
Decomposition Temp (°F)	Not Available	pH (as supplied)	Not applicable
Autoignition Temp (°F)	Not available.	Vapour Pressure (mmHG)	Negligible
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not available.	Specific Gravity (water=1)	Not available.
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not available.	Relative Vapor Density (air=1)	Not applicable
Volatile Component (%vol)	Negligible	Evaporation Rate	Not applicable

APPEARANCE

White crystalline powder with slight characteristic odour; does not mix with water.

Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY

CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- · Presence of incompatible materials.
- · Product is considered stable.

STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid reaction with oxidizing agents.

For incompatible materials - refer to Section 7 - Handling and Storage.

Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

METHANDRIOL DIPROPIONATE:

■ unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.

No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.

Exposure to the material for prolonged periods may cause physical defects in the developing embryo (teratogenesis).

for androgenic anabolic steroid

IARC Group 2A - probable human carcinogen

Cases of benign hepatoma, peliosis hepatitis, primary hepatocellular carcinoma and hepatic cholangiocarcinoma have been associated with the use of steroidal androgens, notably oxymetholone.

CARCINOGEN

ANDROGENIC (ANABOLIC) STEROIDS	US Environmental Defense Scorecard Suspected Carcinogens	Reference(s)	IARC
VPVB_(VERY~	US - Maine Chemicals of High Concern List	Carcinogen	IARC

Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Avoid release to the environment.

Refer to special instructions/ safety data sheets.

Ecotoxicity

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air	Bioaccumulation	Mobility
methandriol dipropionate	HIGH	No Data Available	LOW	LOW

Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Instructions

All waste must be handled in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

Puncture containers to prevent re-use and bury at an authorized landfill.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- Reduction
- · Reuse
- · Recycling
- · Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning equipment to enter drains. Collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.

Recycle wherever possible.

· Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult Waste Management Authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.

Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION



DOT: Symbols: G Hazard class or Division: 9 Identification Numbers: UN3077 PG: III Label Codes: 9 Special provisions: 8, 146, 335, B54, IB8, IP3, N20, T1, TP33 Packaging: Exceptions: 155 Packaging: Non- bulk: 213 Packaging: Exceptions: 155 Quantity limitations: No limit Passenger aircraft/rail: Quantity Limitations: Cargo No limit Vessel stowage: Location: A aircraft only: Vessel stowage: Other: None Hazardous materials descriptions and proper shipping names: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s Air Transport IATA: ICAO/IATA Class: 9 ICAO/IATA Subrisk: None UN/ID Number: 3077 Packing Group: III Special provisions: A97 Cargo Only Packing Instructions: 400 kg Maximum Qty/Pack: 956 Passenger and Cargo Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions: 400 kg Maximum Qty/Pack: 956 Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions: 30 kg G Maximum Qty/Pack: Y956 Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. *(CONTAINS METHANDRIOL DIPROPIONATE) Maritime Transport IMDG: IMDG Class: 9 IMDG Subrisk: None

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EMS Number: F-A , S-F Special provisions: 179 274 335 909

Limited Quantities: 5 kg Marine Pollutant: Yes

Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

methandriol dipropionate (CAS: 3593-85-9) is found on the following regulatory lists; "US - Arizona Controlled Substances Schedule III","US - Connecticut - Schedules of Controlled Substances - Schedule III"

Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

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Substance CAS Suggested codes methandriol dipropionate 3593-85-9 N; R50/53

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