

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Megestrol Acetate
Product Number : M157891
Brand : aladdin
CAS-No. : 595-33-5

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances.

1.3 Company

Company : ALADDIN SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION
Address : 14078 Meridian Parkway,
Riverside, CA. 92518
Telephone : +1 (833) 552-7181
Fax : no data available

1.4 Emergency telephone number

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA : 1-800-424-9300
CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA :

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)
CFR 1910.1200: Carcinogenicity [Category 2]

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H302 Harmful if swallowed
H312 Harmful in contact with skin
H332 Harmful if inhaled
H341 Suspected of causing genetic defects

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H350	May cause cancer
H351	Suspected of causing cancer
H360	May damage fertility or the unborn child
H362	May cause harm to breast-fed children
H373	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
Precautionary statement(s)	
P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
P263	Avoid contact during pregnancy/while nursing.
P264	Wash hands [and ...] thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P281	Use personal protective equipment as required.
P321	Specific treatment (see ... on this label).
P330	Rinse mouth.
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: wash with plenty of water.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.
P203	Obtain, read and follow all safety instructions before use.
P301+P317	IF SWALLOWED: Get medical help.
P318	if exposed or concerned, get medical advice.
P317	Get emergency medical help.
P319	Get medical help if you feel unwell.

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Synonyms	: 17 α -Acethoxy-6-methyl-4,6-pregnadiene-3,20-dione;17 α -Hydroxy-6-methyl-4,6-pregnadiene-3,20-dione 17-Acetate;Megestrol 17-Acetate
Formula	: C ₂₄ H ₃₂ O ₄
Molecular weight	: 384.52
CAS No.	: 595-33-5
EC-NO.	: no data available

Component	Classification	Concentration
Megestrol Acetate	no data available	≥96%(HPLC)

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

no data available

If inhaled

Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention.

In case of skin contact

Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical advice/attention.

In case of eye contact

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Get medical advice/attention.

If swallowed

Get medical advice/attention. Rinse mouth.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Possibly carcinogenic to humans.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

no data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Dry chemical, foam, water spray, carbon dioxide.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

no data available

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

no data available

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus if possible.

5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Entry to non-involved personnel

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should be controlled around the leakage area by roping off, etc.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent product from entering drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Clean up the dust and collect it in a closed container, taking care not to disperse it. Adhered or aggregated materials shall be disposed of in a timely manner in accordance with local laws and regulations.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Handling is performed in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective equipment. Prevent dispersion of dust. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Use a closed system if possible. Use a local exhaust if dust or aerosol will be generated. Avoid all contact! Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool and dark place. Store locked up. Store away from incompatible materials such as oxidizing agents.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

no data available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Follow safe industrial engineering/laboratory practices when handling any chemical. Install a closed system or local exhaust. Also install safety shower and eye bath.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Safety goggles. A face-shield, if the situation requires.

Skin protection

Gloves must be checked before use. Please use proper methods to remove the gloves (do not touch the outer surface of the gloves), and avoid any skin parts contacting the product. After use, please handle the contaminated gloves carefully according to relevant laws and regulations and effective laboratory rules and procedures. Please clean and blow dry the protective gloves selected for your hands must meet the specifications given in regulation (EU) 2016 / 425 and the en 374 standard derived from it.

Body Protection

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Impervious gloves. Impervious protective clothing. Protective boots, if the situation requires.

Respiratory protection

Dust respirator, self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA), supplied air respirator, etc. Use respirators approved under appropriate government standards and follow local and national regulations.

Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	form: Crystal - Powder Solid color: White - Almost white
b) Odour	no data available
c) Odour Threshold	no data available
d) pH	no data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	218°C (424°F)
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	no data available
g) Flash point	no data available
h) Evaporation rate	no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	no data available
k) Vapour pressure	no data available
l) Vapour density	no data available
m) Relative density	no data available
n) Water solubility	Soluble: ChloroForm
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	no data available
q) Decomposition temperature	no data available
r) Viscosity	no data available
s) Explosive properties N	no data available
t) Oxidizing properties N	no data available

9.2 Other safety information

no data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

no data available

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

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10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no data available

10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

ivn-mus LD50:56 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

dna-hmn-lvr 20 umol/L dns-hmn-lvr 2 umol/L dna-rat-orl 100 mg/kg

Carcinogenicity

orl-dog TDLo:256 mg/kg/7Y-C

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

no data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

Additional Information

RTECS Number:TU4075000

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

no data available

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12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

Log Pow: 3.78

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available

SECTION 13:

13.1 Disposal considerations

Product

Disposal of product: Recycle to process if possible. It is the generator's responsibility to comply with Federal, State and Local rules and regulations. You may be able to dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. This section is intended to provide assistance but does not replace these laws, nor does compliance in accordance with this section ensure regulatory compliance according to the law. US EPA guidelines for Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261. The product should not be allowed to enter the environment, drains, water ways, or the soil. Other considerations: Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of the substance.

Contaminated packaging

Disposal of container: Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)

UN number: no data available

Packing group: no data available

Class: no data available

Proper shipping name: no data available

Reportable Quantity(RQ): no data available

Poison Inhalation Hazard: no data available

Environmental Hazards: no data available

IMDG

UN number: no data available

Packing group: no data available

EMS-No: no data available

Proper shipping name: no data available

IATA

UN number: no data available

Packing group: no data available

Class: no data available

Proper shipping name: no data available

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Toxic Substance Control Act

This product is NOT on the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory. The following notices are required by 40 CFR 720.36 (C) for those products not on the inventory list: (i) These products are supplied solely for use in research and development by or under the supervision of a technically qualified individual as defined in 40 CFR 720.0 et sec. (ii) The health risks of these products have not been fully determined. Any information that is or becomes available will be supplied on a SDS sheet. US Federal Regulations

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313: Not Listed

SARA 302: Not Listed

State Regulations

Massachusetts Listed

New Jersey Not Listed

Pennsylvania Not Listed

Other Information

NFPA Rating: HMIS Classification: Health: 0 Health: 0 Flammability: 0 Flammability: 0 Instability: 0 Physical: 0

International Inventories

Canada: DSL On DSL

EC-No: 209-864-5

SECTION 16: Other information

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