# SIGMA-ALDRICH

## **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION			
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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### **Emergency Overview**

## **OSHA Hazards**

Carcinogen, Target Organ Effect, Teratogen, Reproductive hazard

## **Target Organs**

Female reproductive system., Male reproductive system. Female reproductive system., Male reproductive system.

## **GHS Classification**

Carcinogenicity (Category 2) Reproductive toxicity (Category 1A) Effects on or via lactation

## GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

Flammability:

Physical hazards:



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Signal word	Danger
Hazard statement(s) H351 H360 H362	Suspected of causing cancer. May damage fertility or the unborn child. May cause harm to breast-fed children.
Precautionary statement(s P201 P263 P281 P308 + P313	) Obtain special instructions before use. Avoid contact during pregnancy/ while nursing. Use personal protective equipment as required. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.
HMIS Classification Health hazard: Chronic Health Hazard:	0 *

NFPA Rating Health hazard: Fire: Reactivity Hazard:	0 0 0
Potential Health Effects	
Inhalation Skin Eyes Ingestion	May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation. May cause eye irritation. May be harmful if swallowed.

## **3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Synonyms	:	3,17β-Dihydroxy-1,3,5(10)-estratriene 1,3,5-Estratriene-3,17β-diol Dihydrofolliculin 17β-Estradiol	
Formula	:	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>24</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	
Molecular Weight	:	272.38 g/mol	
Component			Concentration
Estradiol			
CAS-No.		50-28-2	-
EC-No.		200-023-8	

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

## **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

## Conditions of flammability

Not flammable or combustible.

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

## Special protective equipment for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### Hazardous combustion products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

## **Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

#### **Environmental precautions**

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

## Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

## Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Keep in a dry place.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Personal protective equipment

## **Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

## Eye protection

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin and body protection

impervious clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### Appearance

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Form	powder
Colour	white
Safety data	
рН	no data available
Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: 176 - 180 °C (349 - 356 °F) - lit.
Boiling point	no data available
Flash point	no data available
Ignition temperature	no data available
Autoignition temperature	no data available
Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available

Vapour pressure	no data available
Density	no data available
Water solubility	no data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
Relative vapour density	no data available
Odour	no data available
Odour Threshold	no data available
Evaporation rate	no data available

## **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

## Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions no data available

**Conditions to avoid** no data available

Materials to avoid Strong oxidizing agents

## Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides Other decomposition products - no data available

## **11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### Acute toxicity

Oral LD50 no data available

Inhalation LC50 no data available

Dermal LD50 no data available

Other information on acute toxicity no data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

no data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation no data available

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** no data available

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Genotoxicity in vitro - rat - Other cell types DNA damage

Genotoxicity in vivo - rat - Oral Morphological transformation.

## Carcinogenicity

The National Toxicology Program (Tenth Report on Carcinogens) has determined that steroidal estrogens are known to be human carcinogens based on sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity in humans, which indicates a causal relationship between exposure to steroidal estrogens and human cancer. This is or contains a component that has been reported to be carcinogenic based on its IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

Suspected human carcinogens

- IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
- ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: Known to be human carcinogen (Estradiol)

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## **Reproductive toxicity**

Known human reproductive toxicant Effects on or via lactation May damage fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

## Teratogenicity

Suspected human reproductive toxicant Damage to fetus cannot be excluded.

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System) no data available

Aspiration hazard

no data available

## Potential health effects

Inhalation	May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.
Ingestion	May be harmful if swallowed.
Skin	May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.
Eyes	May cause eye irritation.

#### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

## Synergistic effects

no data available

## Additional Information

RTECS: KG2975000

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

## Toxicity

LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - > 0.5 mg/l - 96 h

## Persistence and degradability

no data available

Toxicity to fish

## **Bioaccumulative potential** no data available

no uala avaliable

## Mobility in soil no data available

## PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

## DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

## IMDG

Not dangerous goods

## ΙΑΤΑ

Not dangerous goods

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## OSHA Hazards

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## SARA 302 Components

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

## SARA 313 Components

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Chronic Health Hazard

## Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Estradiol	CAS-No. 50-28-2	Revision Date 1993-04-24
Pennsylvania Right To Know Components	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Estradiol	50-28-2	1993-04-24
New Jersey Right To Know Components		
Estradiol	CAS-No. 50-28-2	Revision Date 1993-04-24
California Prop. 65 Components WARNING! This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer. Estradiol	CAS-No. 50-28-2	Revision Date 2007-09-28

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## **Further information**

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