

UPJOHN COMPANY, THE -- DEPO-MEDROL STERILE AQUEOUS SUSPENSION -- 6505-01-308-6193  
===== Product Identification =====

Product ID:DEPO-MEDROL STERILE AQUEOUS SUSPENSION

MSDS Date:01/01/1987

FSC:6505

NIIN:01-308-6193

MSDS Number: BWFDG

=== Responsible Party ===

Company Name:UPJOHN COMPANY, THE

Address:7171 PORTAGE ROAD

City:KALAMAZOO

State:MI

ZIP:49001

Country:US

Info Phone Num:616-329-5611 (8:00 AM

- 4:30 PM)

Emergency Phone Num:616-323-6722 (24 HOURS)

CAGE:93703

=== Contractor Identification ===

Company Name:PHARMACIA & UPJOHN

Address:7171 PORTAGE RD

Box:City:KALAMAZOO

State:MI

ZIP:49001-0199

Country:US

Phone:616-833-5122/616-833-7555

CAGE:93703

===== Composition/Information on Ingredients =====

Ingred Name:WATER

CAS:7732-18-5

RTECS #:ZC0110000

Fraction by Wt: 88-94%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:CARBOWAX POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL 3350

Fraction by Wt: 3%

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her REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:METHYL PREDISOLONE ACETATE

CAS:53-36-1

RTECS #:TU4154050

Fraction by Wt: 2-8%

Other REC Limits:NONE RECOMMENDED

Ingred Name:SODIUM CHLORIDE

CAS:7647-14-5

RTECS #:VZ4725000

Fraction by Wt: 10G/KG,METHYLPREDISOLONE

Routes of Entry: Inhalation:YES Skin:YES Ingestion:YES

Reports of Carcinogenicity:NTP:NO IARC:NO OSHA:NO

Health Hazards Acute and Chronic:METHYLPREDNISOLONE ACETATE AFFECTS CARBOHYDRATE, PROTEIN AND FAT METABOLISM; FUNCTIONS OF THE CARDIOVASCULAR SYSTEM, KIDNEY, SKELETAL MUSCLE, NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OTHER ORGANS AND TISSUES. IT MAY MODIFY THE BODY'S IMMUNE RESPONSE TO DIVERSE STIMULI. CHRONIC: MAY PRODUCE PITUITARY-ADRENAL SUPPRESSION, CUSHING'S SYNDROME.

Effects of Overexposure:INCREASED SUSCEPTIBILITY TO INFECTIONS WITH SUPPRESSION OF INFLAMMATORY RESPONSE, OSTEOPOROSIS, CATARACTS, GLAUCOMA WITH POSSIBLE DAMAGE TO THE OPTIC NERVE, MENTAL SYMPTOMS, HYPERGLYCEMIA AND GLYCOSURI A, MUSCULAR WEAKNES S AND FATIGUE, ACNE,MENSTRUAL DISORDERS AND PEPTIC ULCERS.

Medical Cond Aggravated by Exposure:INCREASED SUSCEPTIBILITY TO INFECTIONS.RECENT IMMUNIZATION PROCEDURES MAY RESULT IN A LACK OF ANTIBODY RESPONSE AND NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS.

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===== First Aid Measures =====

First Aid:EYES- FLUSH WITH WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. HOLD EYELIDS OPEN TO ASSURE COMPLETE CONTACT WITH WATER. SKIN- WASH WITH SOAP AND WATER. REMOVE CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. INHA LATION- REMOVE FROM EXPOSURE. INGES TION- CONTACT A PHYSICIAN OR POISON CONTRO CENTER.

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===== Fire Fighting Measures =====

Flash Point:NONFLAMMABLE

Extinguishing Media:CARBON DIOXIDE, DRY CHEMICAL, WATER.

Fire Fighting Procedures:WEAR A NIOSH APPROVED SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT WHEN FIGHTING FIRES. USE WATER SPRAY TO COOL FIRE EXPOSED CONTAINERS.

Unusual Fire/Explosion Hazard:NONE

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===== Accidenta

I Release Measures =====

Spill Release Procedures: PROVIDE VENTILATION AND RESPIRATORY, SKIN AND EYE PROTECTION TO PREVENT OVEREXPOSURE. KEEP PRODUCT OUT OF DRAINS, PREVENT ENTRY TO SURFACE WATER, GROUNDWATER OR SOIL. SMALL SPILLS SHOULD BE ABSORBED WITH PAPER TOWELS OR APPROPRIATE MEDIA.

===== Handling and Storage =====

Handling and Storage Precautions: AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN, EYES AND CLOTHING. WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING. LAUNDRY CONTAMINATED CLOTHES BEFORE REUSE. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.  
Other Precautions: NONE

===== Exposure Controls/Personal Protection =====

Respiratory Protection: NONE NORMALLY REQUIRED.  
Ventilation: LOCAL EXHAUST.  
Protective Gloves: RUBBER  
Eye Protection: SAFETY GLASSES WITH SIDE SHIELDS.  
Other Protective Equipment: NONE  
Work Hygienic Practices: WASH HANDS THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING THIS MATERIAL.  
Supplemental Safety and Health  
===== Physical/Chemical Properties =====

HCC: N1  
Appearance and Odor: LIQUID IN 1-, 5- OR 10-ML VIALS.

===== Stability and Reactivity Data =====

Stability Indicator/Materials to Avoid: YES  
NONE  
Stability Condition to Avoid: NONE  
Hazardous Decomposition Products: CARBON DIOXIDE AND CARBON MONOXIDE.

===== Disposal Considerations =====

Waste Disposal Methods: DISPOSE IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL REGULATIONS.

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