PRODUCT INFORMATION



16α-hydroxy Dehydroepiandrosterone

Item No. 34116

CAS Registry No.: 1232-73-1

Formal Name: 3,16-dihydroxy-(3β,16α)-androst-5-en-17-one

Synonym: 16α-hydroxy DHEA

MF: $C_{19}H_{28}O_3$ FW: 304.4 **Purity:** ≥95% Supplied as: A solid Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

Laboratory Procedures

16α-hydroxy Dehydroepiandrosterone is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the 16α-hydroxy dehydroepiandrosterone in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. 16α-hydroxy Dehydroepiandrosterone is soluble in the organic solvent chloroform at a concentration of approximately 10 mg/ml.

Description

16α-hydroxy Dehydroepiandrosterone is a metabolite of the endogenous steroid hormone dehydroepiandrosterone (Item No. 15728). 1 16α-hydroxy Dehydroepiandrosterone is formed from dehydroepiandrosterone via 16-hydroxylation by the cytochrome P450 (CYP) isoforms CYP3A4 and CYP3A5 in adult human liver microsomes, as well as by fetal recombinant CYP3A7. It is a precursor to fetal estrogens, including estriol (Item No. 10006484).2

References

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WARNING
THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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