# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



## (±)-Methadone (hydrochloride)

Item No. 37451

CAS Registry No.:	1095-90-5
Formal Name:	6-(dimethylamino)-4,4-diphenyl-3-
	heptanone, monohydrochloride
Synonyms:	DL-Methadone, NSC 19600, 0
MF:	C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>27</sub> NO • HCl
FW:	345.9
Purity:	≥98%
Supplied as:	A crystalline solid $( \land $
Storage:	-20°C
Stability:	≥5 years
Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.	

## Description

(±)-Methadone (hydrochloride) (Item No. 37451) is an analytical reference standard categorized as an opioid.<sup>1</sup> (±)-Methadone has analgesic activity.<sup>2</sup> Formulations containing (±)-methadone have been used in the treatment of opioid addiction. (±)-Methadone is regulated as a Schedule II compound in the United States. This product is intended for research and forensic applications.

## References

- 1. Raynor, K., Kong, H., Chen, Y., et al. Pharmacological characterization of the cloned  $\kappa$ -,  $\delta$ -, and  $\mu$ -opioid receptors. Mol. Pharm. 45(2), 330-334 (1994).
- 2. He, L., Kim, J., Ou, C., et al. Methadone antinociception is dependent on peripheral opioid receptors. J. Pain. 10(4), 369-379 (2009).

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

### SAFETY DATA

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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