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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Identifier

Material Name: Propranolol Hydrochloride Extended-Release Capsules

Trade Name: Inderal LA; Propranolol Hydrochloride
Chemical Family: Non-selective beta-adrenergic antagonist

Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

Intended Use: Pharmaceutical product for the treatment of high blood pressure (hypertension) angina

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the Substance or Mixture

GHS - Classification

Acute Oral Toxicity: Category 4
Reproductive Toxicity: Category 2

US OSHA Specific - Classification

Physical Hazard: Combustible Dust

EU Classification:

EU Indication of danger: Harmful
Toxic to Reproduction: Category 3

EU Risk Phrases:

R22 - Harmful if swallowed.
R63 - Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.

Label Elements

Signal Word: Warning
Hazard Statements: H302 - Harmful if swallowed
H361d - Suspected of damaging the unborn child
May form combustible dust concentrations in air

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Precautionary Statements: P201 - Obtain special instructions before use
P202 - Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
P281 - Use personal protective equipment as required
P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice
P330 - Rinse mouth
P405 - Store locked up
P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with all local and national regulations



Other Hazards
Australian Hazard Classification
(NOHSC):

No data available
Non-Dangerous Goods. Hazardous Substance.

Note: This document has been prepared in accordance with standards for workplace safety, which requires the inclusion of all known hazards of the product or its ingredients regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warning included may not apply in all cases. Your needs may vary depending upon the potential for exposure in your workplace.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
Propranolol hydrochloride	318-98-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	Acute Tox.4 (H302) Rep. 2 (H361d)	55-60
Microcrystalline cellulose	9004-34-6	232-674-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	*

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
Hard gelatin capsules	MIXTURE	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose	9004-65-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Ethylcellulose	9004-57-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*

Additional Information: * Proprietary
Ingredient(s) indicated as hazardous have been assessed under standards for workplace safety.
In accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200, the exact percentage composition of this mixture has been withheld as a trade secret.

For the full text of the R phrases and CLP/GHS abbreviations mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of First Aid Measures

- Eye Contact:** Flush with water while holding eyelids open for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing and wash exposed area with soap and water. Obtain medical assistance if irritation occurs.
- Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Seek medical attention immediately.
- Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep patient at rest. Seek medical attention immediately.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

- Symptoms and Effects of Exposure:** For information on potential signs and symptoms of exposure, See Section 2 - Hazards Identification and/or Section 11 - Toxicological Information.
- Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** None known

Indication of the Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

- Notes to Physician:** None

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media: Extinguish fires with CO₂, extinguishing powder, foam, or water.

Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

- Hazardous Combustion Products:** Emits toxic fumes of carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides and other sulfur-containing compounds.
- Fire / Explosion Hazards:** Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions.

Advice for Fire-Fighters

During all fire fighting activities, wear appropriate protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personnel involved in clean-up should wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Minimize exposure.

Environmental Precautions

Place waste in an appropriately labeled, sealed container for disposal. Care should be taken to avoid environmental release.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

- Measures for Cleaning / Collecting:** Contain the source of the spill if it is safe to do so. Collect spilled material by a method that controls dust generation. Avoid use of a filtered vacuum to clean spills of dry solids. Clean spill area thoroughly.
- Additional Consideration for Large Spills:** Non-essential personnel should be evacuated from affected area. Report emergency situations immediately. Clean up operations should only be undertaken by trained personnel.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

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Minimize dust generation and accumulation. If tablets or capsules are crushed and/or broken, avoid breathing dust and avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. When handling, use appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Wash hands and any exposed skin after removal of PPE. Releases to the environment should be avoided. Review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure or environmental releases. Potential points of process emissions of this material to the atmosphere should be controlled with dust collectors, HEPA filtration systems or other equivalent controls.

Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Storage Conditions: Store as directed by product packaging.
Specific end use(s): Pharmaceutical drug product

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Refer to available public information for specific member state Occupational Exposure Limits.

Propranolol hydrochloride
Pfizer OEL TWA-8 Hr:

40µg/m³

Microcrystalline cellulose

ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TWA)

10 mg/m³

Australia TWA

10 mg/m³

Belgium OEL - TWA

10 mg/m³

Estonia OEL - TWA

10 mg/m³

France OEL - TWA

10 mg/m³

Ireland OEL - TWAs

10 mg/m³

4 mg/m³

Latvia OEL - TWA

2 mg/m³

OSHA - Final PELs - TWAs:

15 mg/m³

Portugal OEL - TWA

10 mg/m³

Romania OEL - TWA

10 mg/m³

Russia OEL - TWA

6 mg/m³

Spain OEL - TWA

10 mg/m³

Switzerland OEL - TWAs

3 mg/m³

Vietnam OEL - TWAs

10 mg/m³
5 mg/m³

Exposure Controls

Engineering Controls:

Engineering controls should be used as the primary means to control exposures. General room ventilation is adequate unless the process generates dust, mist or fumes. Keep airborne contamination levels below the exposure limits listed above in this section.

Personal Protective Equipment:

Refer to applicable national standards and regulations in the selection and use of personal protective equipment (PPE).

Hands:

Impervious gloves are recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

Eyes:

Wear safety glasses or goggles if eye contact is possible.

Skin:

Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

Respiratory protection:

If the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL.

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9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State:	Hard-gelatin Capsule	Color:	Various
Odor:	None	Odor Threshold:	No data available.
Molecular Formula:	Mixture	Molecular Weight:	Mixture

Solvent Solubility:	Ethanol Soluble:
Water Solubility:	No data available
Solubility:	Water Soluble:
pH:	No data available.
Melting/Freezing Point (°C):	No data available
Boiling Point (°C):	No data available.
Partition Coefficient: (Method, pH, Endpoint, Value)	

Propranolol hydrochloride

No data available

Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose

No data available

Ethylcellulose

No data available

Hard gelatin capsules

No data available

Microcrystalline cellulose

No data available

Decomposition Temperature (°C): No data available.

Evaporation Rate (Gram/s): No data available

Vapor Pressure (kPa): No data available

Vapor Density (g/ml): No data available

Relative Density: No data available

Viscosity: No data available

Flammability:

Autoignition Temperature (Solid) (°C): No data available

Flammability (Solids): No data available

Flash Point (Liquid) (°C): No data available

Upper Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

Lower Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity:	No data available
Chemical Stability:	Stable under normal conditions of use.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Oxidizing Properties: No data available

Conditions to Avoid: Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions.

Incompatible Materials: As a precautionary measure, keep away from strong oxidizers

Hazardous Decomposition Products: No data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

Short Term: Accidental ingestion may cause effects similar to those seen in clinical use.

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Known Clinical Effects: Effects reported during clinical use include dizziness, headache, lethargy, changes in blood pressure, nausea, and abdominal pain. Clinical use may cause changes in heart rate. Adverse clinical reactions include the development of hypersensitivity and/or irritation leading to rashes, itching, and burning. Clinical use may cause Stevens Johnson Syndrome (epidermal necrosis and exfoliative dermatitis).

Acute Toxicity: (Species, Route, End Point, Dose)

Propranolol hydrochloride

Rat Oral LD50 466 mg/kg

Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose

Rat Oral LD50 > 10,000 mg/kg

Microcrystalline cellulose

Rat Oral LD50 > 5000 mg/kg

Rabbit Dermal LD50 > 2000 mg/kg

Irritation / Sensitization: (Study Type, Species, Severity)

Microcrystalline cellulose

Skin Irritation Rabbit Non-irritating

Eye Irritation Rabbit Non-irritating

Reproduction & Developmental Toxicity: (Study Type, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

Propranolol hydrochloride

Embryo / Fetal Development Rat Oral 150 mg/kg/day LOAEL Embryotoxicity, Neonatal toxicity

Embryo / Fetal Development Rabbit Oral 150 mg/kg/day NOAEL No effects at maximum dose

Genetic Toxicity: (Study Type, Cell Type/Organism, Result)

Propranolol hydrochloride

In Vitro Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames) *Salmonella* Negative

In Vitro Mammalian Cell Mutagenicity Rat Hepatocyte Negative

In Vivo Micronucleus Rat Hepatocyte Negative

In Vivo Chromosome Aberration Bone Marrow Mouse Negative

Carcinogenicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

Propranolol hydrochloride

18 Month(s) Rat Oral 150 mg/kg/day NOAEL Not carcinogenic

18 Month(s) Mouse Oral 150 mg/kg/day NOAEL Not carcinogenic

Carcinogen Status:

None of the components of this formulation are listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Overview:	Environmental properties have not been investigated. Releases to the environment should be avoided.
Toxicity:	No data available
Persistence and Degradability:	No data available
Bio-accumulative Potential:	No data available
Mobility in Soil:	No data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Treatment Methods:	Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Member State specific and Community specific provisions must be considered. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater.
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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The following refers to all modes of transportation unless specified below.

Not regulated for transport under USDOT, EUADR, IATA, or IMDG regulations.

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

Canada - WHMIS: Classifications

WHMIS hazard class:

Class D, Division 2, Subdivision A



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CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

Microcrystalline cellulose

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)	Present
Australia (AICS):	Present
REACH - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances:	Use restricted. See item 9[f]. powder
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	232-674-9

Hard gelatin capsules

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)	Present
Australia (AICS):	Present
Standard for the Uniform Scheduling for Drugs and Poisons:	Schedule 4
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

Ethylcellulose

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)	Present
Australia (AICS):	Present
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	Not Listed

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of R phrases and GHS Classification abbreviations mentioned in Section 3

Acute toxicity, oral-Cat.4; H302 - Harmful if swallowed
Reproductive toxicity-Cat.2; H361d - Suspected of damaging the unborn child

Xn - Harmful
Toxic to Reproduction: Category 3

R22 - Harmful if swallowed.
R63 - Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.

Data Sources: Pfizer proprietary drug development information. Publicly available toxicity information.

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