

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product identifier** 

Product Name Promethazine Plain Oral Solution (Promethazine Hydrochloride Oral Solution, USP)

Other means of identification

Product Code 0121-1854-16

Synonyms Promethazine HCl Oral Solution

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Pharmaceutical product used to treat allergies and/or allergic reactions, used as a

sedative, used to treat nausea and vomiting, used to treat/prevent motion sickness,

antiemetic

Uses advised against Contraindicated in pediatric patients under 2 years of age, contraindicated in comatose

patients or those with known hypersensitivity to promethazine or phenothiazines, contraindicated in treatment of lower respiratory tract symptoms including asthma.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

Pharmaceutical Associates, Inc.

1700 Perimeter Road Greenville, SC 29621

**Emergency telephone number** 

24 Hour Emergency Phone Number Chemtrec

1-800-424-9300

Emergency Telephone 1-864-277-7282

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

**Health Hazards** 

Reproductive toxicity Category 1B

#### Physical hazards

Not classified.

### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This product is safe for consumers when used according to the label directions. Potential hazards that may occur if product is not used according to the consumer label are as follows in this Safety Data Sheet (SDS).

### Label elements

### **Emergency Overview**

### Danger

#### Hazard statements

May damage fertility or the unborn child.



This mixture is a drug product regulated by the FDA. Within the meaning of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard [29 CFR 1910.1200]: this mixture is not considered a hazard when used in a manner which is consistent with the labeled directions.

Appearance: Cleargreen syrup Physical state: Liquid Odor: Apple-watermelon menthol

# **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

Use personal protective equipment as required.

# **Precautionary Statements - Response**

If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

# **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

# **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

# **Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Not available.

# **Other Information**

Not available

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms Promethazine HCl Oral Solution

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	7
Promethazine hydrochloride	58-33-3	0.1-1
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Proprietary
Sucrose	57-50-1	Proprietary
Ascorbic acid	50-81-7	Proprietary
Citric acid Anhydrous	77-92-9	Proprietary
Water	7732-18-5	Proprietary
Saccharin sodium	6155-57-3	Proprietary
Propylparaben	94-13-3	Proprietary
Methylparaben	99-76-3	Proprietary
Sodium benzoate	532-32-1	Proprietary
Sodium citrate	6132-04-3	Proprietary
D&C Red No. 33	3567-66-6	Proprietary
D&C Yellow No. 10	68814-04-0	Proprietary
FD&C Blue No. 1	3844-45-9	Proprietary
FD&C Yellow No. 6	2783-94-0	Proprietary
Menthol	89-78-1	Proprietary
Apple-Watermelon Flavor	Mixture	Proprietary

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

**General advice** Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

Eye contact In case of eye contact, immediately flush eyes with fresh water for at least 15 minutes while

holding the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses if worn. Get medical attention if irritation

persists

Skin Contact In case of contact, remove contaminated clothing. Immediately flush skin with copious

amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention if skin reaction occurs.

**Inhalation** Inhalation is not an anticipated route for liquid handling. For the intended use, see product

label.

In case of accidental ingestion, wash out mouth with copious amounts of water. Seek

medical attention immediately. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical

personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Self-protection of the first

aider

Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other

proper respiratory medical device.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** 

Common side effects associated with use of this product include the following: mild constipation, nausea; dizziness, drowsiness; feeling restless; blurred vision, ringing in ears; flushing (warmth, redness, or tingly feeling); sleep problems (insomnia); dry mouth; itching, mild rash, increased sweating.

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

**Note to physicians**Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Not available.

Hazardous combustion products Not available.

### **Explosion data**

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None known.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge None known.

### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

# **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Avoid excessive contact. Avoid contact with eyes.

# **Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information.

# Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Collect and place in a suitable container. Sorbents may be used.

**Methods for cleaning up** Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and national regulations.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Store at 20°-25°C (68°-77°F). [see USP Controlled Temperature]. Other Precautions:

Dispense in a tight, light-resistant container with a child-resistant closure as defined in the

USP. Keep tightly closed. Protect from light.

**Incompatible materials**None known based on information supplied.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### <u>Control parameters</u> Exposure Guidelines

This product, as supplied, does not contain any other hazardous materials with Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL) established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
Sucrose 57-50-1	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 15 mg/m³ total dust TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable fraction	TWA: 10 mg/m³ total dust TWA: 5 mg/m³ respirable dust
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	STEL: 1000 ppm	TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 3300 ppm TWA: 1000 ppm TWA: 1900 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Controls** 

The health hazard risks of handling this material are dependent on factors, such as physical form and quantity. Site-specific risk assessments should be conducted to determine the appropriate exposure control measures. Good general ventilation should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels as low as reasonably achievable.

# Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

None required for consumer use. In laboratory, medical or industrial settings, safety glasses with side shields are recommended. The use of goggles or full face protection may be required depending on the industrial exposure setting. Contact a health and safety professional for specific information.

Skin and body protection

None required for consumer use. In laboratory, medical or industrial settings, gloves and lab coats are recommended. The use of additional personal protective equipment such as shoe coverings, gauntlets, and hood or head coverings may be necessary. Contact ahealth and safety professional for specific information.

Respiratory protection

None required for consumer use. Respirators may be required for certain laboratory and manufacturing tasks if engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (where the exposure limits have not been established). Workplace risk assessments should be completed before specifying and implementing respirator usage. All respirators must conform to specifications for efficiency and performance. In the United States of America, if respirators are used, a program should be instituted to assure compliance with OSHA Standard 29 CFR 1910.134. Contact a health and safety professional or manufacturer for specific information.

**General Hygiene Considerations** 

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid

Appearance Clear green syrup Odor Apple-watermelon

menthol

ColorOdor thresholdNot available.

Property Values Remarks • Not applicable

pH 4.4-5.2

Melting point/freezing point Not available.

Boiling point / boiling range Not available.

Flash point Not available.

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not available.

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability limit: Not available. Lower flammability limit: Not available. Vapor pressure Not available. Vapor density Not available. Specific Gravity Not available. Water solubility Not available. Solubility in other solvents Not available. Partition coefficient Not available. Not available. Autoignition temperature **Decomposition temperature** Not available. Kinematic viscosity Not available. Dynamic viscosity Not available. **Explosive properties** Not available. Oxidizing properties Not available.

Other Information

Softening point
Molecular weight
VOC Content (%)
Density
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

Stable at normal conditions.

#### Chemical stability

Stable at ambient temperatures and atmospheric pressures under recommended storage and handling conditions.

# Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

**Hazardous polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

#### Conditions to avoid

Not available.

#### Incompatible materials

None known based on information supplied.

### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

None under normal use conditions.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information** 

**Inhalation** No data available.

Eye contact No data available.

**Skin Contact** No data available.

**Ingestion** No data available.

### **Acute Effects**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50	Intravenous LD50
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	= 7060 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	= 124.7 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h	-
Promethazine hydrochloride 57-55-6	= 326 mg/kg ( Mouse )	= 225 mg/kg ( Mouse ) = 700 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	= 40 mg/kg ( Mouse ) = 45 mg/kg ( Rat )
Propylene glycol USP 57-55-6	= 20000 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 20800 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-	-
Sucrose 57-50-1	= 29700 mg/kg ( Rat )	-	-	-

# Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** 

Common side effects associated with use of this product include the following: mild constipation, nausea; dizziness, drowsiness; feeling restless; blurred vision, ringing in ears; flushing (warmth, redness, or tingly feeling); sleep problems (insomnia); dry mouth; itching, mild rash, increased sweating.

# Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation
Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Irritation
Corrosivity
Sensitization
Germ cell mutagenicity
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.

Carcinogenicity Promethazine hydrochloride: 103 Week mouse Study in Drinking Water was found tobe

negative.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	A3	Group 1	-	X

Reproductive toxicity
Developmental Toxicity
Not available.
Teratogenicity
Not available.

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STOT - single exposure
STOT - repeated exposure
Chronic toxicity
Subchronic toxicity
Target Organ Effects
Neurological effects
Not classified.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.
Not available.

Aspiration hazard Due to the physical form of the product it is not an aspiration hazard.

### **Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

Unknown Acute Toxicity Not available

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Known component ecotoxicity:

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	-	12.0 - 16.0: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mL/L LC50 static 100: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 13400 - 15100: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 flow-through	-	9268 - 14221: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L LC50 2: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static 10800: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50
Propylene glycol USP 57-55-6	19000: 96 h Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata mg/L EC50	51600: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mg/L LC50 static 41 - 47: 96 h Oncorhynchus mykiss mL/L LC50 static 51400: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50 static 710: 96 h Pimephales promelas mg/L LC50	-	1000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50 Static 10000: 24 h Daphnia magna mg/L EC50

# Persistence and degradability

Not available.

#### **Bioaccumulation**

Not available.

#### Mobility

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	-0.32

Other adverse effects Not available.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations

Contaminated packaging Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

US EPA Waste Number Not available.

# California Hazardous Waste Codes

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Ethyl alcohol	Toxic
64-17-5	Ignitable

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT** Not regulated.

TDG Not regulated.

MEX Not regulated.

ICAO (air) Not regulated.

IATA Not regulated.

IMDG Not regulated.

RID Not regulated.

ADR Not regulated.

ADN Not regulated.

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

# **International Inventories**

**TSCA** Does not comply **DSL/NDSL** Does not comply **EINECS/ELINCS** Does not comply **ENCS** Does not comply **IECSC** Does not comply **KECL** Does not comply **PICCS** Does not comply **AICS** Does not comply

# Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

# **US Federal Regulations**

### **SARA 313**

Exempt from SARA Tier II and Section 313 of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 reporting requirements - Any drug, cosmetic, or food regulated by the U.S. FDA or any substance used in a research laboratory, hospital or medical facility under the direct supervision of a technically qualified individual (i.e., those trainer in the research or medical fields, such as doctors and nurses).

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazardNoChronic Health HazardNoFire hazardNoSudden release of pressure hazardNoReactive HazardNo

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355).

### **US State Regulations**

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

Chemical Name	California Proposition 65	
Ethyl alcohol - 64-17-5	Carcinogen	
	Developmental	

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product may contain substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations.

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Sucrose 57-50-1	-	X	X
Ethyl alcohol 64-17-5	X	X	X
Propylene glycol USP 57-55-6	X	-	X

#### **U.S. EPA Label Information**

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not available.

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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Revision Note

Revised 22-OCT-2020 to add Menthol, correct Citric Acid to anhydrous grade and specify alcohol content of 7% as per label claim. Revised 16-JUL-2025 to update Product Name, Product Code, and Company Header.

#### <u>Disclaimer</u>

This SDS is intended to provide a brief summary of our knowledge and guidance regarding the use of this material. It is not meant to be an all-inclusive document on worldwide hazard communications regulations. This information is offered in good faith. Each user of this material needs to evaluate the conditions of use and design the appropriate mechanisms to prevent employee exposures, property damage or release to the environment.

**End of Safety Data Sheet**