


SECTION 1: PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME	ADRENOCORTICOTROPIC HORMONE (ACTH)
PRODUCT CODE	1904
SUPPLIER	MEDISCA Inc. Tel.: 1.800.932.1039 Fax.: 1.855.850.5855 661 Route 3, Unit C, Plattsburgh, NY, 12901 6641 N. Belt Line Road, Suite 130, Irving, TX, 75063 MEDISCA Pharmaceutique Inc. Tel.: 1.800.665.6334 Fax.: 514.338.1693 4509 Rue Dobrin, St. Laurent, QC, H4R 2L8 21300 Gordon Way, Unit 153/158, Richmond, BC V6W 1M2 MEDISCA Australia PTY LTD Tel.: 1.300.786.392 Fax.: 61.2.9700.9047 Unit 7, Heritage Business Park 5-9 Ricketty Street, Mascot, NSW 2020
EMERGENCY PHONE	CHEMTREC Day or Night Within USA and Canada: 1-800-424-9300 NSW Poisons Information Centre: 131 126 National Chemical Emergency Centre 44(0)1235239670
RECOMMENDED USES	Manufacturing and Compounding
RESTRICTIONS ON USE	Not applicable

SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS CLASSIFICATION	Sensitization - Respiratory (Category 1) Sensitization - Skin (Category 1) Carcinogenicity (Category 2) Toxic to Reproduction (Category 2)
PICTOGRAM	
SIGNAL WORD	Danger
HAZARD STATEMENT(S)	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Suspected of causing cancer. Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.
ADVERSE PHYSIOCHEMICAL, HUMAN HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS	Not Applicable.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)	Prevention	Avoid breathing dust, fume, gas, mist, vapors, spray. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection. Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace.		
	Response	IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory symptoms call a poison center or medical professional. IF EXPOSED OR CONCERNED: Get medical advice/attention. IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical help advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.		
	Storage	Store locked up.		
	Disposal	Dispose of contents and/or container in accordance with local regulations.		
HMS CLASSIFICATION	Health Hazard	2	Flammability	0
	Reactivity	0	Personal Protection	1

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CHEMICAL NAME	Corticotrophin								
BOTANICAL NAME	Not applicable								
SYNONYM	Adrenocorticotropin								
CHEMICAL FORMULA	Not applicable								
CHEMICAL FAMILY	Not available								
CAS NUMBER	9002-60-2								
ALTERNATE CAS NUMBER	9061-27-2								
MOLECULAR WEIGHT	4567.6 (free peptide)								
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NOTES	<p>There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as health hazards and hence require reporting in this section.</p> <p>Synthetic porcine corticotropin hormone</p>								

SECTION 4: FIRST-AID MEASURES

IN CASE OF EYE CONTACT	Flush with copious amounts of water for 15 minutes, separating eyelids with fingers. If irritation persists seek medical aid.
IN CASE OF SKIN CONTACT	Wash with soap & water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists seek medical aid.
IF SWALLOWED	Call a physician. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.
IF INHALED	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Call a physician
MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT	Get emergency medical help.
SYMPTOMS CAUSED BY EXPOSURE	Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

SPECIFIC HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE CHEMICAL	Not applicable
FLAMMABLE PROPERTIES	Combustible at high temperatures.
HAZARDOUS COMBUSTION PRODUCTS	Under fire conditions, hazardous fumes will be present.
SUITABLE & UNSUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA	Small fire: dry chemical, CO ₂ or water spray. Large fire: dry chemical, CO ₂ , alcohol resistant foam or water spray. Do not get water inside containers.
PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND PRECAUTIONS FOR FIREFIGHTERS	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS	Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.
METHODS & MATERIAL FOR CONTAINMENT	On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust.
CLEANUP PROCEDURE	Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots and heavy rubber gloves. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas. Shut off all sources of ignition. Evacuate the area. If necessary, employ water fog to disperse the vapors. Absorb the matter with compatible vermiculite or other absorbing material. Place in a suitable container and retain for disposal. Ventilate and clean the affected area. Do not flush into sewerage system or to drains.
REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS	See Section 7 for information on safe handling. See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment. See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING	Do not inhale. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Wash thoroughly after handling. Store away from incompatible materials, in a well-ventilated area. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Store in accordance with local regulations. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.
CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE	Store away from incompatible materials, in a well-ventilated area. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Store in accordance with local regulations. Do not store in unlabeled containers. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.
STORAGE CONDITIONS	Store in original container, tightly sealed, protected from direct sunlight and moisture. Keep frozen between -10° to -25°C, short term excursions up to 25°C are acceptable.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/ PERSONAL PROTECTION

Chemical Name: ADRENOCORTICOTROPHIC HORMONE CAS #: 9002-60-2

	Country	Limit value-8 hours		Limit value-Short Term		IDLH	REL	Advisory	Notes
		ppm	mg/m ³	ppm	mg/m ³				
OSHA	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
ACGIH	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
NIOSH	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
WEEL	USA	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
HSIS	Australia	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
HSE	UK	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A
GESTIS	Add Country	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/A	N/A

N/L = Not listed ; N/A = Not Available

PELs are 8-hour TWAs = Limit value - Eight hours

Ceiling or Short-Term TWA = STEL = Limit value - Short term

EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

Consult local authorities for provincial or state exposure limits. Particulates not otherwise regulated, respirable fraction: 5 mg/m³

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Eyes: Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by WHMIS or OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166. **Skin:** Wear appropriate gloves to prevent skin exposure. **Clothing:** Wear appropriate protective clothing to minimize contact with skin. **Respirators:** Follow WHMIS or OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced. **Thermal Hazards:** For products representing a thermal hazard, appropriate Personal Protective Equipment should be used.

SPECIFIC ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Adequate mechanical ventilation. Fumehood, eye wash station, and safety shower.

BIOLOGICAL MONITORING

Not available

CONTROL BANDING

Not available

SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE

Solid

DESCRIPTION

White to almost white powder. Is hygroscopic.

SOLUBILITY

Soluble in water (0.1g in 1 to 3 mL).

ODOR

Not available

FLAMMABILITY

Combustible at high temperatures.

AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE

Not available

BOILING POINT

Not available

DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE

Not available

EVAPORATION RATE

Not available

EXPLOSIVE LIMIT

Not available

FLASH POINT

Not available

log P (OCTANOL-WATER)

Not available

LOWER FLAMMABLE/EXPLOSIVE LIMIT(S)

Not available

MELTING/FREEZING POINT

Not available

PARTICLE CHARACTERISTICS

Not available

OXIDIZING PROPERTY

Not available

pH

3 - 3.5 (1%)

RELATIVE DENSITY (WATER = 1)	Not available	SPECIFIC GRAVITY	Not available	UPPER FLAMMABLE/ EXPLOSIVE LIMIT(S)	Not available
VAPOR DENSITY (AIR = 1)	Not available	VAPOR PRESSURE	Not available	VISCOSITY	Not available

The physical data presented above are typical values and should not be construed as a specification.

SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY	Not established
CHEMICAL STABILITY	Stable under recommended storage conditions
INCOMPATIBLE MATERIALS	Strong oxidants
HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS	Toxic fumes of carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, nitrogen oxides and other gases may occur
HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION	Will not occur
POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTION	Not established
CONDITIONS TO AVOID	Moisture, sunlight and extreme temperatures Hygroscopic-Avoid exposure to moisture

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ACUTE TOXICITY	Oral: Rat: LD50: (mg/kg): Not available Dermal: Rabbit: LD50: (mg/kg): Not available Inhalation: Rat: LC50: (mg/L/4hr): Not available
SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
RESPIRATORY SENSITIZATION	Respiratory sensitizer. Corticotropin can induce sensitisation, and severe hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis, may occur. This is generally considered to be due to the porcine component of the peptide.
SKIN SENSITIZATION	Skin sensitizer. Corticotropin can induce sensitisation, and severe hypersensitivity reactions, including anaphylaxis, may occur. This is generally considered to be due to the porcine component of the peptide.
GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY CARCINOGENICITY	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.
	OSHA ADRENOCORTICOTROPHIC HORMONE is not listed.
	NTP ADRENOCORTICOTROPHIC HORMONE is not listed.
	IARC ADRENOCORTICOTROPHIC HORMONE is not evaluated.
	California Proposition 65 This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.
ADDITIONAL CARCINOGENICITY INFORMATION	Suspected of causing cancer. Substances like Corticotrophin showing glucocorticoid action have shown teratogenicity in animal testing, but data concerning human teratogenicity are inconsistent.
REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY	Several animal studies indicate that specific exposure to Corticotrophin during pregnancy might result in specific developmental abnormalities, but data cannot be generalized to humans.

SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - SINGLE EXPOSURE	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.								
SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY - REPEATED EXPOSURE	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.								
ASPIRATION HAZARDS	Due to lack of data the classification is not possible.								
SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE	ROUTES OF EXPOSURE: Oral, Dermal, Inhalation, Eye contact EARLY ONSET SYMPTOMS RELATED TO EXPOSURE: Not available DELAYED HEALTH EFFECT FROM EXPOSURE: Not available Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use. Can produce marked sodium and water retention, considerable potassium loss; sensitisation, severe hypersensitivity reactions including anaphylaxis, and adrenal insufficiency. Adenocorticotrophic hormone is a corticosteroid and has the potential to produce both adverse glucocorticoid and mineralcorticoid effects.								
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SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICITY	EC50: 48 Hr: Crustacea: (mg/L): Not available LC50: 96 Hr: Fish: (mg/L): Not available EC50: 72 or 96 Hr: Algae (or other aqua plants): (mg/L): Not available
PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY	Not available
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL	Not available
MOBILITY IN SOIL	Highly mobile. Soluble in water (0.1g in 1 to 3 mL).
OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS	Not available This product is not intended to be released into the environment

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHODS	Dispose of in accordance with federal / local laws and regulations. Avoid release into the environment.
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SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN PROPER SHIPPING NAME	Not dangerous good
UN NUMBER	Not applicable
CLASS	Not applicable

PACKING GROUP Not applicable

AUSTRALIA
HAZCHEM Not applicable

EU
TRANSPORT IN BULK ACCORDING TO ANNEX II OF MARPOL 73/78 AND THE IBC CODE Not Listed

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS Not available

SPECIAL SHIPPING INFORMATION Not applicable

SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION
UNITED STATES REGULATIONS

Chemical Name & CAS	CERCLA 40 CFR Part 302.4	SARA (Title III) 40 CFR Part 372.65	EPA 40 CFR Part 355 Appendix A	EPA 40 CFR Part 355 Appendix B	Pennsylvania	Right-to-know New Jersey	Massachusetts	California Prop 65
ADRENOCORTICOTROPHIC HORMONE 9002-60-2	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L	N/L

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AUSTRALIAN REGULATIONS

Chemical Name & CAS	Poisons and Therapeutic Goods	Therapeutic Goods Act	Code of Practices - Illicit Drug Precursors	Poisons Standard	Work Health and Safety Regulations	Inventory of Industrial Chemicals
ADRENOCORTICOTROPHIC HORMONE 9002-60-2	N/L	Listed as Schedule 4	N/L	Listed	N/L	N/L

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EU REGULATIONS

Chemical Name & CAS	REACH ANNEX XVII	REACH ANNEX XIV	EC 1005/2009	EC 850/2004	EC 1107/2009	PIC - Prior Informed Consent Regulation	EC 2012/18
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Any EU regulation not listed above is not applicable to this product.

SUBJECT TO INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT Not applicable

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION
REFERENCES

Available upon request

ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists; **AIHA WEEL** – American Industrial Hygiene Association Workplace Environment Exposure Levels; **CAESAR** – Computer Assisted Evaluation of industrial chemical Substances According to Regulations; **CAS** – Chemical Abstract Service; **CERCLA** – Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; **EC50** – Effective Concentration, 50%; **EPA** – Environmental Protection Agency; **GHS** – Global Harmonized System; **HMIS** – Hazardous Materials Information System; **HSE** – Health and Safety Executive; **HSIS** – Hazardous Substances Information System; **IARC** – International Agency for Research on Cancer; **IDLH** - Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health; **IRFMN** – Ready Biodegradability Model; **ISS** – Istituto Superiore Sanità; **LC50** – Lethal Concentration, 50%; **LD50** – Lethal Dose, 50%; **MSHA** - Mine Safety and Health Administration; **NIOSH** – National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; **NTP** – National Toxicology Program; **OSHA PEL** – Occupational Safety & Health Administration Permissible Exposure Limits; **QSAR** – Quantitative Structure-activity relationship; **REL** - Recommended Exposure Limit; **SARA** – Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; **STEL** – Short Term Exposure Limit; **TLV** – Threshold Limit Value; **TWA** – Time Weighted Average; **WHMIS** – Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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SUPERSEDES

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