

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Product Name: Morphine Sulfate Injection (with additives)

1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Manufacturer Name And Address	Hospira, Inc. 275 North Field Drive Lake Forest, Illinois 60045 USA
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Hospira, Inc., Non-Emergency	224 212-2000
Product Name	Morphine Sulfate Injection (with additives)
Synonyms	7, 8-didehydro-4, 5 α -epoxy-17-methylmorphinan-3, 6 α -diol sulfate (2:1) (salt), pentahydrate

2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview Morphine Sulfate Injection (with additives) is a solution containing morphine sulfate, a narcotic analgesic used for the management of pain not responsive to non-narcotic analgesics. In the US, morphine sulfate is a Schedule II controlled substance with abuse potential. In the workplace, this material should be considered potentially irritating to the eyes and respiratory tract and a potent drug. Based on clinical use, possible target organs include the nervous system, eyes, respiratory system, gastrointestinal system and cardiovascular system.

U.S. OSHA GHS Classification

Physical Hazards	Hazard Class	Hazard Category
	Not Classified	Not Classified

Health Hazards	Hazard Class	Hazard Category
	Sensitization – Skin	1
	STOT – RE	2

Label Element(s)

Pictogram



Signal Word

Warning

Hazard Statement(s)

May cause an allergic skin reaction
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

Precautionary Statement(s)

Prevention

Do not breathe vapor or spray
Wear protective gloves
Wash hands thoroughly after handling
Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace

Response

Get medical attention if you feel unwell.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Active Ingredient Name Morphine Sulfate Pentahydrate
Chemical Formula $C_{34}H_{38}N_2O_6 \cdot H_2O_4S \cdot 5H_2O$

Component	Approximate Percent by Weight	CAS Number	RTECS Number
Morphine Sulfate Pentahydrate	≤5	6211-15-0	QC8760000

Non-hazardous ingredients include Water for Injection. Hazardous ingredients present at less than 1% may include sodium chloride, edetate disodium, sodium biphosphate, sodium metabisulfite, sodium formaldehyde sulfoxylate, and phenol. Sulfuric acid, hydrochloric acid, and/or sodium hydroxide may be added to adjust the pH.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact Remove from source of exposure. Flush with copious amounts of water. If irritation persists or signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic/supportive care as necessary.

Skin Contact Remove from source of exposure. Flush with copious amounts of water. If irritation persists or signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic/supportive care as necessary.

Inhalation Remove from source of exposure. If signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic/supportive care as necessary.

Ingestion Remove from source of exposure. If signs of toxicity occur, seek medical attention. Provide symptomatic/supportive care as necessary. Overdosage is characterized by respiratory depression with or without concomitant CNS depression. Since respiratory arrest may result either through direct depression of the respiratory center or as the result of hypoxia, primary attention should be given to the establishment of adequate respiratory exchange through provision of a patent airway and institution of assisted or controlled ventilation. The narcotic antagonist, naloxone, is a specific antidote. Naloxone hydrochloride should be administered intravenously, simultaneously with respiratory resuscitation. As the duration of effect of naloxone is considerably shorter than that of morphine, repeated administration may be necessary. Patients should be closely observed for evidence of renarcotization.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammability None anticipated for this aqueous product.

Fire & Explosion Hazard None anticipated for this aqueous product.

Extinguishing Media As with any fire, use extinguishing media appropriate for primary cause of fire such as carbon dioxide, dry chemical extinguishing powder or foam.

Special Fire Fighting Procedures No special provisions required beyond normal firefighting equipment such as flame and chemical resistant clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spill Cleanup and Disposal Isolate area around spill. Put on suitable protective clothing and equipment as specified by site spill control procedures. Absorb the liquid with suitable material and clean affected area with soap and water. Dispose of spill materials according to the applicable federal, state, or local regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling	No special handling required for hazard control under conditions of normal product use. In the US, morphine sulfate is a Schedule II controlled substance. Additional training may be required for handling this material.
Storage	No special storage required for hazard control. For product protection, follow storage recommendations noted on the product case label, the primary container label, or the product insert.
Special Precautions	No special precautions required for hazard control.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines

Component	Exposure Limits			
	OSHA-PEL	ACGIH-TLV	AIHA WEEL	Hospira EEL
Morphine Sulfate Pentahydrate	8-hr TWA: Not Established	8-hr TWA: Not Established	8-hr TWA: Not Established	8-hr TWA: Not Established

Notes: OSHA PEL: US Occupational Safety and Health Administration – Permissible Exposure Limit
 ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists – Threshold Limit Value.
 AIHA WEEL: Workplace Environmental Exposure Level
 EEL: Employee Exposure Limit.
 TWA: 8-hour Time Weighted Average.

Respiratory Protection	Respiratory protection is normally not needed during intended product use. However, if the generation of aerosols is likely, and engineering controls are not considered adequate to control potential airborne exposures, the use of an approved air-purifying respirator with a HEPA cartridge (N95 or equivalent) is recommended under conditions where airborne aerosol concentrations are not expected to be excessive. For uncontrolled release events, or if exposure levels are not known, provide respirators that offer a high protection factor such as a powered air purifying respirator or supplied air. A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions require respirator use. Personnel who wear respirators should be fit tested and approved for respirator use as required.
Skin Protection	If skin contact with the product formulation is likely, the use of latex or nitrile gloves is recommended.
Eye Protection	Eye protection is normally not required during intended product use. However, if eye contact is likely to occur, the use of chemical safety goggles (as a minimum) is recommended.
Engineering Controls	Engineering controls are normally not needed during the normal use of this product.

9. PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance/Physical State	Clear to pale yellow solution
Odor	NA
Odor Threshold	NA
pH	2.5 to 6.5
Melting point/Freezing Point	NA
Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Point Range	NA
Flash Point	NA
Evaporation Rate	NA
Flammability (solid, gas)	NA
Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limits	NA
Vapor Pressure	NA
Vapor Density (Air =1)	NA
Relative Density	NA
Solubility	Morphine sulfate pentahydrate is a white crystalline powder, soluble in water
Partition Coefficient: n-octanol/water	NA
Auto-ignition Temperature	NA
Decomposition Temperature	NA
Viscosity	NA

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity	Not determined.
Chemical Stability	Stable under standard use and storage conditions.
Hazardous Reactions	Not determined
Conditions to Avoid	Not determined
Incompatibilities	Not determined
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Not determined. During thermal decomposition, it may be possible to generate irritating vapors and/or toxic fumes of carbon oxides (COx), nitrogen oxides (NOx), sulfur oxides (SOx), and hydrogen sulfide.
Hazardous Polymerization	Not anticipated to occur with this product.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity - Not determined for the product formulation. Information for the active ingredient is as follows:

Ingredient(s)	Percent	Test Type	Route of Administration	Value	Units	Species
Morphine Sulfate Pentahydrate	100	LD50	Oral	973	mg/kg	Rat
				1125	mg/kg	Mouse
Morphine Sulfate	100	LD50	Oral	461	mg/kg	Rat
				600	mg/kg	Mouse
Morphine Sulfate	100	LD50	Intravenous	70	mg/kg	Rat
				156	mg/kg	Mouse
				316	mg/kg	Dog

LD 50: Dosage that produces 50% mortality.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION: continued

Occupational Exposure Potential	Information on the absorption of this product via inhalation is not available. There is evidence to suggest that morphine has some potential for absorption through the skin. Avoid liquid aerosol generation and skin contact.		
Signs and Symptoms	None anticipated from normal handling of this product. In the workplace, hypersensitivity reactions, including asthma, have been reported following occupational exposures to narcotic dusts during the processing of raw opiates. In clinical use, the most common adverse effects are nausea, vomiting, lightheadedness, dizziness, sedation, constipation, urinary retention and sweating. Morphine sulfate can produce physical and psychological dependence. Morphine, like other narcotic analgesics, can cause respiratory depression at high doses. Circulatory depression, respiratory arrest, shock and cardiac arrest have also been reported. Morphine sulfate can cause physical and psychological dependence to develop in some patients. The probable lethal oral dose is between 120 and 250 mg; parenteral doses of less than 30 mg have produced serious toxicity. Respiratory failure is the most common cause of death. Naloxone is the antagonist of choice for morphine poisoning.		
Aspiration Hazard	None anticipated from normal handling of this product.		
Dermal Irritation/ Corrosion	None anticipated from normal handling of this product.		
Ocular Irritation/ Corrosion	None anticipated from normal handling of this product. However, inadvertent contact of this product with eyes may produce irritation with redness and tearing.		
Dermal or Respiratory Sensitization	None anticipated from normal handling of this product. In the workplace, hypersensitivity reactions, including asthma, have been reported following occupational exposures to narcotic dusts during the processing of raw opiates.		
Reproductive Effects	None anticipated from normal handling of this product. Studies of morphine sulfate in animals to evaluate the effect on fertility have not been conducted. However, a non-clinical study in the literature in which male rats were administered morphine sulfate (subcutaneously prior to mating (up to 30 mg/kg twice daily) and during mating (20 mg/kg twice daily) with untreated females) reported a number of adverse reproductive effects including reduction in total pregnancies, higher incidence of pseudo-pregnancies, and reduction in implantation sites were seen. Morphine sulfate was not teratogenic in rats at a dosage of 35 mg/kg/day, but did result in increased pup mortality and growth retardation at doses that narcotize the animal (> 10 mg/kg/day, ten times the usual human dose). Morphine has also been shown to be teratogenic in hamsters when given in doses several hundred times the human dose.		
Mutagenicity	Studies to evaluate the mutagenic potential of morphine sulfate have not been conducted.		
Carcinogenicity	Studies to evaluate the carcinogenic potential of morphine sulfate have not been conducted.		
Carcinogen Lists	IARC: Not listed	NTP: Not listed	OSHA: Not listed
Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Single Exposure	NA		
Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Repeat Exposure	Based on clinical use, possible target organs include the nervous system, eyes, respiratory system, gastrointestinal system and cardiovascular system.		

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic Toxicity	Not determined for product.
Persistence/Biodegradability	Not determined for product.
Bioaccumulation	Not determined for product.
Mobility in Soil	Not determined for product.

Notes:

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal	All waste materials must be properly characterized. Further, disposal should be performed in accordance with the federal, state or local regulatory requirements. In the U.S., morphine sulfate is a Schedule II controlled substance and may have additional requirements for proper disposal.
Container Handling and Disposal	Dispose of container and unused contents in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

14. TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

ADR/ADG/ DOT STATUS	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name	NA
Hazard Class	NA
UN Number	NA
Packing Group	NA
Reportable Quantity	NA
ICAO/IATA STATUS	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name	NA
Hazard Class	NA
UN Number	NA
Packing Group	NA
Reportable Quantity	NA
IMDG STATUS	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name	NA
Hazard Class	NA
UN Number	NA
Packing Group	NA
Reportable Quantity	NA

Notes: DOT - US Department of Transportation Regulations

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

US TSCA Status	Exempt.
US CERCLA Status	Not listed
US SARA 302 Status	Not listed
US SARA 313 Status	Not listed
US RCRA Status	Not listed
US PROP 65 (Calif.)	Not listed

Notes: TSCA, Toxic Substance Control Act; CERCLA, US EPA law, Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act; SARA, Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act; RCRA, US EPA, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act; Prop 65, California Proposition 65

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION: continued

GHS/CLP Classification*

*In the EU, classification under GHS/CLP does not apply to certain substances and mixtures, such as medicinal products as defined in Directive 2001/83/EC, which are in the finished state, intended for the final user.

Hazard Class	Hazard Category	Pictogram	Signal Word	Hazard Statement
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

Prevention

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Response

Get medical attention if you feel unwell.
 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, get medical attention.
 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

EU Classification*

*Medicinal products are exempt from the requirements of the EU Dangerous Preparations Directive.

Classification(s)

NA

Symbol

NA

Indication of Danger

NA

Risk Phrases

R43: May cause sensitization by skin contact

Safety Phrases

S23: Do not breathe vapor/spray
 S24: Avoid contact with the skin
 S25: Avoid contact with eyes
 S37/39 Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Notes:

ACGIH TLV	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists – Threshold Limit Value
CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service Number
CERCLA	US EPA law, Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
DOT	US Department of Transportation Regulations
EEL	Employee Exposure Limit
IATA	International Air Transport Association
LD ₅₀	Dosage producing 50% mortality
NA	Not applicable/Not available
NE	Not established
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
OSHA PEL	US Occupational Safety and Health Administration – Permissible Exposure Limit
Prop 65	California Proposition 65
RCRA	US EPA, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RTECS	Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
STEL	15-minute Short Term Exposure Limit
STOT - SE	Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Single Exposure
STOT - RE	Specific Target Organ Toxicity – Repeated Exposure
TSCA	Toxic Substance Control Act
TWA	8-hour Time Weighted Average

16. OTHER INFORMATION: continued

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