Safety Data Sheet



Section 1: Identification

Product identifier

Product Name • EFUDEX® Topical Cream, 5%(5-fluorouracil)

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended use
 Used to treat solar keratosis or actinic keratosis.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer • Valeant Pharmaceuticals North America, LLC

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Emergency telephone number

Manufacturer • 1-800-535-5053 - US - Infotrac

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Section 2: Hazard Identification

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According to: UN Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

Classification of the substance or mixture

UN GHS • Acute Toxicity Oral 3

Carcinogenicity 1A Eye Irritation 2

Reproductive Toxicity 1B

Skin Irritation 2

Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure 2

Label elements

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DANGER







Hazard statements . Toxic if swallowed

Causes skin irritation

Causes serious eye irritation

May cause cancer.

May damage fertility or the unborn child.

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Precautionary statements

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

Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, vapours and/or spray.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Response • IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

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 advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Storage/Disposal • KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Keep tightly closed. Store at room temperature 20-25°C (68-77°F), to maintain product

integrity. Use before date marked on carton and/or container.

Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or

international regulations.

Other hazards

UN GHS • No data available

Section 3 - Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substances

 Material does not meet the criteria of a substance according to United Nations Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)

Mixtures

Composition				
Chemical Name	Identifiers	%	Classifications According to Regulation/Directive	
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	CAS:51-21-8 EINECS:200-085-6	5%	UN GHS: NDA	
Propylene glycol	CAS:57-55-6 EINECS:200-338-0	10% TO 15%	UN GHS: Skin Irrit. 3; Eye Irrit. 2B	
Methyl paraben	CAS:99-76-3 EINECS:202-785-7	< 0.1%	UN GHS: Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A	
Propyl paraben	CAS:94-13-3 EINECS:202-307-7	< 0.1%	UN GHS: NDA	
Water	CAS:7732-18-5 EINECS:231-791-2	< 50%	UN GHS: not classified	
Polysorbate 60	CAS:9005-67-8	< 10%	UN GHS: NDA	
Stearyl alcohol	CAS:112-92-5 EINECS:204-017-6	10% TO 20%	UN GHS: NDA	
Petrolatum, White	CAS:8009-03-8 EINECS:232-373-2	20% TO 25%	UN GHS: not classified	

The exact percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

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Section 4: First-Aid Measures

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation

• IF INHALED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

Skin

 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Eye

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 advice/attention.

Ingestion

Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

 Stomach pain, diarrhea, vomiting, fever, or chills may indicate an enzyme deficiency. Eliminate all contact with Carac and contact a physician immediately. Refer to the product insert and/or product prescribing information for comprehensive information regarding adverse reactions and other important symptoms and effects. Refer to Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Section 5: Fire-Fighting Measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable Extinguishing Media .

SMALL FIRES: Dry chemical, CO2, water spray or regular foam.

LARGE FIRE: Water spray, fog or regular foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

No data available

Firefighting Procedures

Keep unauthorized personnel away. Stay upwind.

Ventilate closed spaces before entering.

LARGE FIRES: Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Unusual Fire and Explosion

Hazards

Hazardous Combustion

No data available

Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, hydrogen fluoride and nitrogen oxides.

Advice for firefighters

Products

Structural firefighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations ONLY; it is not effective in spill situations where direct contact with the substance is possible.

Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA).

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions

 Evacuate immediate area. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ventilate enclosed areas.

Emergency Procedures

Keep unauthorized personnel away. Stay upwind. Ventilate closed spaces before entering.

Environmental precautions

LARGE SPILLS: Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, basements or confined areas.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

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Containment/Clean-up Measures

 SMALL SPILLS: Take up with sand or other non-combustible absorbent material and place into containers for later disposal.
 Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Precautions for safe handling

Handling

 Avoid contact with eyes. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure to skin or mucous membranes, and breathing mists/vapors. Use in a well ventilated area, away from all sources of ignition. Keep container closed. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage

 Keep tightly closed. Store at room temperature 20-25°C (68-77°F), to maintain product integrity. Use before date marked on carton and/or container. Ventilate enclosed areas. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

Section 8 - Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control parameters

Exposure Limits/Guidelines

 Refer to the occupational exposure limits / guidelines for the individual product components.

Exposure controls

Engineering Measures/Controls

 Adequate ventilation systems as needed to control concentrations of airborne contaminants below applicable threshold limit values.

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory

 In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Follow the 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 symptoms are experienced.

Eye/Face Hands

Wear safety glasses.Wear protective gloves .

Skin/Body

Wear protective clothing

Environmental Exposure Controls

 Prevent spilled material from entering storm sewers or drains, waterways, and contact with soil.

Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on Physical and Chemical Properties

Material Description			
Physical Form	Liquid Cream	Color	No data available. White .
Odor	Not relevant	Odor Threshold	Not relevant
General Properties			
Boiling Point	Not relevant	Melting Point	Not relevant
Decomposition Temperature	Not relevant	рН	5 to 7
Specific Gravity/Relative Density	Not relevant	Water Solubility	Mostly
Viscosity	Not relevant	Explosive Properties	Not relevant
Volatility			
Vapor Pressure	Not relevant	Vapor Density	Not relevant
Evaporation Rate	Not relevant		

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Flammability			
Flash Point	Not relevant	UEL	Not relevant
LEL	Not relevant	Flame Extension	Not relevant
Autoignition	Not relevant	Flammability (solid, gas)	Not relevant
Environmental			
Octanol/Water Partition coefficient	Not relevant		

Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity

No dangerous reactions known.

Chemical stability

 Stable when stored at room temperature 20-25°C (68-77°F). Use before expiration date marked on carton and/or container.

Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

Conditions to avoid

No data available

Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizers, strong bases.

Hazardous decomposition products

 On combustion, product is decomposed and toxic fumes are emitted: hydrogen fluoride, carbon, nitrogen and sulfur oxides are possible.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

		Components
Uracil, 5-fluoro- (5%)	51-21- 8	Acute Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 • 230 mg/kg; Multi-dose Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rat TDLo • 2520 mg/kg 12 Week(s)-Intermittent; Endocrine:Changes in spleen weight; Blood:Changes in bone marrow not included above; Related to Chronic Data:Changes in testicular weight; Reproductive: Ingestion/Oral-Mouse TDLo • 245 mg/kg (7-13D preg); Reproductive Effects:Effects on Fertility:Litter size (e.g., # fetuses per litter; measured before birth); Reproductive Effects:Effects on Embryo or Fetus:Fetal death; Ingestion/Oral-Rat TDLo • 35 mg/kg (7-13D preg); Reproductive Effects:Specific Developmental Abnormalities:Musculoskeletal system; Tumorigen / Carcinogen: Intraperitoneal-Mouse TDLo • 1500 mg/kg 50 Week(s)-Intermittent; Tumorigenic:Carcinogenic by RTECS criteria; Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration:Tumors; Blood:Tumors
	57-55- 6	Acute Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 • 20 g/kg; Irritation: Skin-Human • 500 mg 7 Day(s) • Mild irritation
Methyl paraben (< 0.1%)	99-76- 3	Acute Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 • 2100 mg/kg
Propyl paraben (< 0.1%)	94-13- 3	Acute Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rabbit LDLo • 6 g/kg
Polysorbate 60 (< 10%)	9005- 67-8	Acute Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 • >60 mL/kg
Stearyl alcohol (10% TO 20%)	112- 92-5	Acute Toxicity: Ingestion/Oral-Rat LD50 • >2000 mg/kg; Irritation: Eye-Rabbit • 100 mg 24 Hour(s) • Mild irritation; Skin-Rabbit • 500 mg 24 Hour(s) • Mild irritation

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GHS Properties	Classification
Acute toxicity	UN GHS • Acute Toxicity; Acute Toxicity - Dermal - Data lacking; Acute Toxicity - Inhalation - Classification criteria not met; Acute Toxicity - Oral 3
Aspiration Hazard	UN GHS • Classification criteria not met
Carcinogenicity	UN GHS • Carcinogenicity 1A
Germ Cell Mutagenicity	UN GHS • Classification criteria not met
Skin corrosion/Irritation	UN GHS • Skin Irritation 2
Skin sensitization	UN GHS • Classification criteria not met
STOT-RE	UN GHS • Specific Target Organ Toxicity Repeated Exposure 2
STOT-SE	UN GHS • Classification criteria not met
Toxicity for Reproduction	UN GHS • Toxic to Reproduction 1B
Respiratory sensitization	UN GHS • Classification criteria not met
Serious eye damage/Irritation	UN GHS • Eye Irritation 2

Potential Health Effects Inhalation

Acute (Immediate)

May affect the bone marrow. May affect the reproductive system. May cause cancer. May cause gastrointestinal disturbances including diarrhea, nausea, and vomiting. May cause severe irritation and eye damage.

Chronic (Delayed)

 Repeated and prolonged exposure may affect the bone marrow. Repeated and prolonged exposure may affect the reproductive system. Repeated and prolonged exposure may cause gastrointestinal disturbances including diarrhea, nausea, and vomiting. Repeated and prolonged exposure may cause mutagenic effects.

Skin

Acute (Immediate)

Chronic (Delayed)

Causes skin irritation.

Repeated and prolonged exposure may cause irritation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to corrosive materials will cause dermatitis.

Eve

Acute (Immediate)

Chronic (Delayed)

Ingestion

Acute (Immediate) **Chronic (Delayed)**

Carcinogenic Effects

Causes serious eve irritation.

Repeated and prolonged exposure may be harmful.

- May be harmful if swallowed.
- No data available
- Adequate long-term studies in animals to evaluate carcinogenic potential have not been conducted with fluorouracil. Studies with the active ingredient of Carac, fluorouracil, have shown positive effects in in vitro and in vivo tests for mutagenicity and on impairment of fertility in in vivo animal studies.

Carcinogenic Effects			
	CAS	IARC	
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	Group 3-Not Classifiable	

Reproductive Effects

 No adequate and well-controlled studies have been conducted in pregnant women with either topical or parenteral forms of fluorouracil. One birth defect (ventricular septal defect) and cases of miscarriage have been reported when fluorouracil was applied to mucous membrane areas. Multiple birth defects have been reported in the fetus of a patient treated with intravenous fluorouracil. Animal reproduction studies have not been conducted with Carac. Fluorouracil, the active ingredient, has been shown to be teratogenic in mice, rats, and hamsters when administered parenterally at doses greater than or equal to 10, 15, and 33 mg/kg/day, respectively, [4X, 11X and 20X

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respectively, the Maximum Recommended Human Dose (MRHD) based on body surface area (BSA)]. Fluorouracil has been shown to impair fertility after parenteral administration in rats.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Toxicity

This material has not been tested for environmental effects.

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in Soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods

Product waste

Waste characterizations and compliance with applicable laws are the responsibility solely of the waste generator.

Packaging waste

Dispose of content and/or container in accordance with local, regional, national, and/or international regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

	UN number	UN proper shipping name	Transport hazard class (es)	Packing group	Environmental hazards
DOT	NDA	Not regulated	NDA	NDA	NDA
TDG	NDA	NDA	NDA	NDA	NDA
IMO/IMDG	NDA	Not regulated	NDA	NDA	NDA
ADN	NDA	NDA	NDA	NDA	NDA
ADR/RID	NDA	NDA	NDA	NDA	NDA
IATA/ICAO	NDA	Not regulated	NDA	NDA	NDA

Special precautions for user • No data available

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

No data available

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture SARA Hazard Classifications • No data available

			Inventory		
Component	CAS	Canada DSL	Canada NDSL	EU EINECS	TSCA
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Yes	No	No	Yes
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Water	7732-18-5	Yes	No	Yes	Yes

Canada

Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Not Listed
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	Prohibited
Water	7732-18-5	Not Listed
Canada - WHMIS - Classifications of Substances		
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	Not Listed
Water	7732-18-5	Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria
Canada - WHMIS - Ingredient Disclosure List		
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	1 %
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	Not Listed
Water	7732-18-5	Not Listed

United States

Environment U.S CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances EPCRA R	RQs	
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Not Listed
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	500 lb EPCRA RQ
• Water	7732-18-5	Not Listed
U.S CERCLA/SARA - Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances TPQs		
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Not Listed
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	500 lb lower TPQ; 10000 lb upper TPQ
• Water	7732-18-5	Not Listed
U.S CERCLA/SARA - Section 313 - Emission Reporting		
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Not Listed
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	1.0 % de minimis concentration
Water	7732-18-5	Not Listed

United States - California

vironment J.S California - Proposition 65 - Carcinogens List		
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Not Listed
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed
Uracil, 5-fluoro-	51-21-8	Not Listed
• Water	7732-18-5	Not Listed
U.S California - Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxicity		
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	Not Listed
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	Not Listed
• Stearyl alcohol	112-92-5	Not Listed
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	Not Listed
Petrolatum, White	8009-03-8	Not Listed
Polysorbate 60	9005-67-8	Not Listed

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9005-67-8	Not Listed
51-21-8	Not Listed
7732-18-5	Not Listed
99-76-3	Not Listed
94-13-3	Not Listed
112-92-5	Not Listed
57-55-6	Not Listed
8009-03-8	Not Listed
9005-67-8	Not Listed
51-21-8	Not Listed
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Section 16 - Other Information

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