

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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ONDANSETRON FOR INJECTION

SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

Product Name: Ondansetron Hydrochloride for Injection

Supplier: West-Ward Pharmaceuticals

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SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS No.	Description	% in final Product
103639-04-9	Ondansetron HCI	0.2
7647-14-5	Sodium Chloride	0.83
6132-04-3	Sodium Citrate Dihydrate, USP	0.02
5949-29-1	Citric Acid Monohydrate	0.05
7732-18-5	Water for Injection	98.97
94-13-3	Propyl Paraben	0.01
99-76-3	Methyl Paraben	0.12

Category: Anti-emetic

SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION, EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Route of Entry: Inhalation, eye/skin contact, or ingestion

Potential Health Effects

Route	ShortTerm Exposure	Long Term Exposure
Inhalation	Irritation	Hypersensitivity
Skin Contact	Irritation	Hypersensitivity
Eye Contact	Irritation	Hypersensitivity
Ingestion	Constipation	Hypersensitivity

Ondansetron is not recommended for use in patients who

have exhibited hypersensitivity to other selective 5-HT3 receptor antagonists.

Chemical List as

Carcinogen:

NTP: No IARC: No OSHA: No

BVL Hazard Category: 3 BVL Occupational Exposure limit (OEL): 20 μg/m³

Note: Ondansetron Hydrochloride may be classified as hazardous according to the OSHA

Hazard Communication Standard per US OSHA Standard (29 CFR part 1910.1200).



SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Immediately flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes. Seek Eyes:

medical attention.

Remove from source of exposure, wash affected area with soap and Skin:

water, seek medical attention if reaction occurs, this maybe immediate.

Inhalation: Physical form suggests that risk of inhalation exposure is negligible.

If ingestion occurs, flush mouth with water and seek medical attention Ingestion:

immediately. Never induce vomiting, if person is fully conscious, give plenty. of water to drink. Seek medical attention.

SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Fire and explosion Data

Closed Cup Flash Point: N/A Open Cup Flash Point N/A Fire Point: N/A Autoignition: N/A Lower Explosion Limit: N/A

General Hazard: Not expected to support combustion. Evacuate personnel to safe area. Water Fire Fighting Instructions:

> spray, dry chemical, or foam carbon dioxide may be ineffective. If possible contain and collect water used.

Firefighters should wear protective clothing and Fire Fighting Equipment:

self-contained breathing equipment for fires involving large

amounts of product.

Thermal decomposition may yield toxic, corrosive, or Hazardous Combustion Products:

flammable products.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Clean Up: Wear recommended personal protective equipment. Use an inert

absorbent material to clean affected area, and place in a properly labelled container for recovery or disposal. Prevent entry into waterways, sewers, drainage systems

and poorly ventilated areas. No specific decontamination or detoxification

procedures have been identified for this product.

Dispose of materials according to the applicable fedral, state and/ or local

regulations.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

General Handling: When handling pharmaceutical products, avoid all contact and

inhalation of dust, fumes, mist, and/or vapors associated with product.

Storage Conditions: Store between 2° - 25°C (36° - 77°F). Protect from light and excessive heat.



SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering Controls: N/A

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye protection: Not required during normal use and handling. Hand protection: Not required during normal use and handling. Respiratory Protection: A dust/ mist respirator N95 may be needed. Skin Protection: Not required during normal use and handling.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical Form/ Appearance: Clear colourless Solution
Boiling Point/ Boiling Range: Approximate to Water.
Melting Point/ Melting Range: Approximate to Water.
Freezing Point: Approximate to Water.
Vapor Pressure: Approximate to Water.
Relative Vapor Density: Approximate to Water.

Percent Volatiles: N/A pH: 3.3-4.0

Molecular Weight: 365.86

Solvent Solubility: Sparingly soluble in water

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY DATA.

Stability: Stable under most conditions

Conditions to Avoid: Oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Polymerization: N/A

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts: Thermal decomposition may yield hazrdous carbon

Oxide fumes.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity:

Compound	Type	Route	Species Dosage
Ondansetron Hydrochloride	LD50	IV	Rat 20 mg/kg
	LD50	IV	Mouse 2500 mg/kg
	LD50	ΙP	Mouse > 5 mg/kg
	LD50	Oral	Mouse 10 mg/kg

Other: Additional reproductive health data is available from the National Institute for

Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical

Substances (RTECS)

Reproductive Effects: Not expected to produce adverse effects on fertility or

development under occupational exposure conditions.



SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information is currently not available on the environmental impact of Ondansetron. Handle in a manner to prevent spills or releases to the environment.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of by incineration at an approved /permitted incinerator. Review local, state, and federal regulations for your regulatory area.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN/NA Number: N/A **US DOT Hazard Class:** N/A **Proper Shipping Name:** N/A

Shipping Label: N/A

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Regulatory Information: not regulated.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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