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PRODUCT INFORMATION



Mitotane

Item No. 18651

CAS Registry No.:	53-19-0
Formal Name:	1-chloro-2-[2,2-dichloro-1-(4-
	chlorophenyl)ethyl]-benzene
Synonyms:	o,p'-DDD, NSC 38721
MF:	$C_{14}H_{10}CI_4$
FW:	320.0
Purity:	≥98%
UV/Vis.:	λ _{max} : 229 nm
Supplied as:	A crystalline solid
Storage:	-20°C
Stability:	≥2 years
Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.	

Laboratory Procedures

Mitotane is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the mitotane in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Mitotane is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF), which should be purged with an inert gas. The solubility of mitotane in ethanol is approximately 20 mg/ml and approximately 30 mg/ml in DMSO and DMF.

Mitotane is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, mitotane should first be dissolved in DMSO and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Mitotane has a solubility of approximately 0.33 mg/ml in a 1:2 solution of DMSO:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

Description

Mitotane is an inhibitor of steroidogenesis that suppresses the growth of adrenocortical cells.^{1,2} It blocks the expression of several genes that encode proteins involved in steroidogenesis and disrupts mitochondrial respiratory chain activity in human adrenocortical cells.^{1,2} Mitotane has anti-neoplastic actions, alone or in combination with other compounds, and suppresses cortisol synthesis, although it also has significant toxicity in the gastrointestinal tract and nervous system.^{3,4} It is effective against adrenocortical carcinoma and Cushing's Syndrome in clinical trials.^{4,5}

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