# SANGUINARINE CHLORIDE

## **SYNONYMS**

Sanguinarium chloride; Sanguinarine hydrochloride; Viadent; Dimethylenedioxy benzphenanthridine chloride; 13-Methyl-(1,3)Benzodioxolo(5,6-c)-1,3-dioxolo(4,5-i)phenanthridinium chloride;

## PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

CAS RN 5578-73-4, 2447-54-3(parent)

EINECS RN 219-503-3(parent) FORMULA  $C_{20}H_{14}CINO_4$  MOL WEIGHT 367.78

# PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

PHYSICAL STATE white to off-white powder

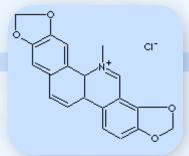
MELTING POINT 278 - 279 C

BOILING POINT DENSITY

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER** 

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VAPOR DENSITY REFRACTIVE INDEX FLASH POINT



## **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Sanguinarine is an antimicrobial used in mouthwashes and toothpaste to guard against inflammation brought on by gingivitis. Is has also been found to protect against skin cancer by enhancing the production of proteins that induce the death of cells damaged by UV-B radiation. (source: http://portal.acs.org/)

Sanguinarine, a component of sanguinaria extract, was investigated for anti-plaque activity and retention in the oral cavity. Oral rinses containing sanguinaria extract showed antiplaque activity in humans. Uptake and retention levels of sanguinarine in plaque and saliva were determined by high-pressure liquid chromatography and sanguinarine levels in plaque were higher than in vitro minimum inhibitory concentrations against oral aerobic and anaerobic bacteria. Further, sanguinarine was able to disclose plaque with the aid of long-wave ultraviolet light and was retained longer than erythrosine and sodium fluorescein as shown by measurement of plaque area. It was concluded that sanguinarine has a high specificity and retention in dental plaque. The plaque-retentive properties in combination with antimicrobial action may be responsible for its clinical anti-plaque efficacy. (source: <a href="http://jada.ada.org/">http://jada.ada.org/</a>)

# STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY Stable under normal conditions.

INCOMPATIBLE Strong oxidizing agents.

**MATERIALS** 

DECOMPOSITION Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Nitrogen oxides, Hydrogen chloride

**PRODUCTS** 

POLYMERIZATION Will not occur

**SAFETY** 

HAZARD NOTES Harmful. Harmful if swallowed. EYE May cause eye irritation.

SKIN May cause skin irritation. May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

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INGESTION Harmful if swallowed.

INHALATION May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and

upper respiratory tract.

**CHRONIC** 

NFPA RATING Health: 1, flammability: 0, reactivity: 0

# **SALES SPECIFICATION**

APPEARANCE white to off-white crystalline powder

ASSAY 98.0% min OPTICAL ROTATION  $+20^{\circ} \sim +25^{\circ}$ 

# TRANSPORT & REGULATORY INFORMATION

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HAZARD CLASS PACKING GROUP

HAZARD SYMBOL XN RISK PHRASES 22 SAFETY PHRASES 36

# **PACKING**

## **PRICE**