

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**1.1. Product identifier**

Trade name or designation of the mixture DAY NURSE CAPSULES

Registration number -

Synonyms PARACETAMOL 500 MG, PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE 30 MG AND PHOLCODINE 5 MG CAPSULES * PARACETAMOL, PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE AND PHOLCODINE, FORMULATED PRODUCT

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

Identified uses Medicinal Product

This safety data sheet is written to provide health, safety and environmental information for people handling this formulated product in the workplace. It is not intended to provide information relevant to medicinal use of the product. In this instance patients should consult prescribing information/package insert/product label or consult their pharmacist or physician. For health and safety information for individual ingredients used during manufacturing, refer to the appropriate safety data sheet for each ingredient.

Uses advised against No other uses are advised.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

TRANSPORT EMERGENCIES::
UK In-country toll call: +(44)-870-8200418
International toll call: +1 703 527 3887
available 24 hrs/7 days; multi-language response

SECTION 2: Hazards identification**2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC as amended**

Exempt from requirements - product regulated as a medicinal product, cosmetic product or medical device.

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 as amended

Exempt from requirements - product regulated as a medicinal product, cosmetic product or medical device.

2.2. Label elements**Label according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 as amended**

Exempt from requirements - product regulated as a medicinal product, cosmetic product or medical device.

Supplemental label information None.

2.3. Other hazards Caution - Pharmaceutical agent.
See section 11 for additional information on health hazards.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.2. Mixtures**

General information

Chemical name	%	CAS-No. / EC No.	REACH Registration No.	INDEX No.	Notes
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PARACETAMOL	< 80	103-90-2 203-157-5	-	-	
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Classification: **DSD:** Xn;R22, R52/53
CLP: Acute Tox. 4;H302, Aquatic Chronic 3;H412

PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE	< 5	345-78-8 206-462-1	-	-	
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Classification: **DSD:** Xn;R22
CLP: Acute Tox. 4;H302

MAGNESIUM STEARATE	< 1	557-04-0 209-150-3	-	-	
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Classification: **DSD:** -
CLP: -

PHOLCODINE	< 1	509-67-1 208-102-9	-	-	
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Classification: **DSD:** Xn;R22
CLP: Acute Tox. 4;H302

Other components below reportable levels < 20
CLP: Regulation No. 1272/2008.
DSD: Directive 67/548/EEC.
M: M-factor
vPvB: very persistent and very bioaccumulative substance.
PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substance.
#: This substance has been assigned Community workplace exposure limit(s).

Composition comments The full text for all R- and H-phrases is displayed in section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

General information Take off all contaminated clothing immediately. In the case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation	In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention immediately.
Skin contact	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Eye contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
Ingestion	If swallowed, rinse mouth with water (only if the person is conscious). If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control centre immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed Possible effects of overexposure in the workplace include: constipation, nausea, vomiting, headache, insomnia.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No specific antidotes are recommended. Treat according to locally accepted protocols. For additional guidance, refer to the local poison control information centre.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media Water. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable extinguishing media	None known.
5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
5.3. Advice for firefighters	
Special protective equipment for firefighters	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
Special fire fighting procedures	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.
Specific methods	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Keep out of low areas. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8.
For emergency responders	Keep unnecessary personnel away. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8 of the SDS.

6.2. Environmental precautions Avoid release to the environment. Contact local authorities in case of spillage to drain/aquatic environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not contaminate water. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Collect spillage. Prevent entry into waterways, sewer, basements or confined areas. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

6.4. Reference to other sections For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling	Avoid prolonged exposure. Do not taste or swallow. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Avoid release to the environment. Do not empty into drains.
7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities	Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).
7.3. Specific end use(s)	Medicinal Product

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

GSK Components	Type	Value	
MAGNESIUM STEARATE (CAS 557-04-0)	OHC	1	
PARACETAMOL (CAS 103-90-2)	8 HR TWA	4000 mcg/m3	
PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE (CAS 345-78-8)	OHC 8 HR TWA	1 200 mcg/m3	
	OHC	2	
UK. EH40 Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs)			
Components	Type	Value	Form
PARACETAMOL (CAS 103-90-2)	TWA	10 mg/m3	Inhalable dust.

Biological limit values No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Recommended monitoring procedures Follow standard monitoring procedures.

Derived no-effect level (DNEL) Not available.

Predicted no effect concentrations (PNECs) Not available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Explosion-proof general and local exhaust ventilation. Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. An Exposure Control Approach (ECA) is established for operations involving this material based upon the OEL/Occupational Hazard Category and the outcome of a site- or operation-specific risk assessment.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

General information

Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the CEN standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment. Follow all local regulations if personal protective equipment (PPE) is used in the workplace.

Eye/face protection

Not normally needed. If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended. (eg. EN 166)

Skin protection

- Hand protection

The choice of an appropriate glove does not only depend on its material but also on other quality features and is different from one producer to the other. Glove selection must take into account any solvents and other hazards present. Select suitable chemical resistant protective gloves (EN 374) with a protective index 6 (>480min permeation time).

- Other

Not normally needed. Wear suitable protective clothing as protection against splashing or contamination. (EN 14605 for splashes, EN ISO 13982 for dust)

Respiratory protection

When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use appropriate certified respirators. Where breathable aerosols/dust are formed, use suitable combination filter for gases/vapours of organic, inorganic, acid inorganic, alkaline compounds and toxic particles (eg. EN 14387).

Thermal hazards

Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

Hygiene measures

For advice on suitable monitoring methods, seek guidance from a qualified environment, health and safety professional. When using do not smoke. Wash hands after handling and before eating. An occupational/industrial hygiene monitoring method has been developed for this material.

Environmental exposure controls

Hazard guidance and control recommendations

Contain spills and prevent releases and observe national regulations on emissions. Environmental manager must be informed of all major releases.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Physical state

Solid.

Form

Capsule.

Colour

Not available.

Odour

Not available.

Odour threshold

Not available.

pH

Not available.

Melting point/freezing point

Not available.

Initial boiling point and boiling range

Not available.

Flash point

Not available.

Evaporation rate

Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas)

Not available.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower (%)

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper (%)

Not available.

Vapour pressure

Not available.

Vapour density

Not available.

Relative density

Not available.

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water)

Not available.

Solubility (other)

Not available.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature	Not available.
Decomposition temperature	Not available.
Viscosity	Not available.
Explosive properties	Not available.
Oxidizing properties	Not available.
9.2. Other information	No relevant additional information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
10.2. Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
10.4. Conditions to avoid	Contact with incompatible materials.
10.5. Incompatible materials	Alkali metals.
10.6. Hazardous decomposition products	None known. Irritating and/or toxic fumes and gases may be emitted upon the products decomposition.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

General information	Occupational exposure to the substance or mixture may cause adverse effects.
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Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. However, ingestion is not likely to be a primary route of occupational exposure.
Inhalation	Under normal conditions of intended use, this material is not expected to be an inhalation hazard.
Skin contact	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.
Eye contact	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.
Symptoms	Possible effects of overexposure in the workplace include: constipation, nausea, vomiting, headache, insomnia.

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	Harmful if swallowed. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.
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Components	Species	Test results
MAGNESIUM STEARATE (CAS 557-04-0)		
Acute		
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	> 2000 mg/kg
PARACETAMOL (CAS 103-90-2)		
Acute		
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Rat	1944 mg/kg
TD	Human	>= 150 mg/kg
Subacute		
<i>Oral</i>		
NOAEL	Rat	12500 ppm, 14 Day dietary, continuous
Subchronic		
<i>Oral</i>		
NOAEL	Rat	6200 ppm, 13 weeks dietary, continuous
TD	Rat	>= 12500 ppm, 13 weeks dietary, continuous
<i>Other</i>		
LOAEL	Mouse	130 ppm, 61 weeks dietary, continuous
NOAEL	Mouse	3200 ppm, 13 weeks dietary, continuous
		0.3 %, 41 weeks dietary, continuous
TD	Mouse	6100 ppm, 13 weeks dietary, continuous
		1.25 %, 41 weeks dietary, continuous

Components	Species	Test results
PHOLCODINE (CAS 509-67-1)		
Acute		
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Mouse	1000 RTECS Database
PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE (CAS 345-78-8)		
Acute		
<i>Oral</i>		
LD50	Mouse	371 mg/kg
* Estimates for product may be based on additional component data not shown.		
Skin corrosion/irritation	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	
Irritation Corrosion - Skin: P.I.I. value		
MAGNESIUM STEARATE		0
PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE		0.2
PARACETAMOL		OECD 404, Literature data Result: Slight irritant Species: Rabbit
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	
Eye		
PARACETAMOL		OECD 405 Result: Slight irritant Species: Rabbit
Eye / Initial pain reaction score		
PARACETAMOL		Literature data
Eye / Kay and Calandra class - Intact		
MAGNESIUM STEARATE		4 Recovery Period: 2 days
Respiratory sensitisation	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	
Skin sensitisation	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	
Germ cell mutagenicity	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	
Mutagenicity		
PARACETAMOL		Ames, Literature data Result: negative Chromosomal Aberration Assay In Vitro, Literature data Result: positive HPRT gene mutation in human lymphocytes, Literature data Result: negative In vivo Micronucleus, Literature data Result: negative Species: Mouse
Carcinogenicity	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	
PARACETAMOL		Literature data Result: Equivocal. Increase in adenomas at toxic dose. Species: Mouse Literature data Result: Equivocal. Liver and bladder neoplasms at toxic doses. Species: Rat Literature data Result: negative Species: Mouse Literature data Result: negative Species: Rat
IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity		
PARACETAMOL (CAS 103-90-2)		3 Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans.
Reproductive toxicity	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Components in this product have been shown to cause birth defects and reproductive disorders in laboratory animals. These effects are linked only to high doses of this substance; low doses did not produce this adverse effect.	
Reproductivity		
PARACETAMOL		250 mg/kg/day Embryofetal Development, Literature data Result: Foetal NOAEL Species: Rat

Reproductivity
PARACETAMOL

387 mg/kg/day Embryofetal Development, Literature data
Result: negative
Species: Mouse
750 mg/kg/day Embryofetal Development, Literature data
Result: decrease in foetal weight, minor skeletal abnormalities.
Species: Rat
<= 1400 mg/kg/day Pre- and Post-natal development, Literature data
Result: reduced weight gain during nursing.
Species: Rat
Epidemiology, Literature data
Result: No clear association with therapeutic use.
Species: Human

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure May cause damage to organs by ingestion.

PARACETAMOL

Species: Human
Organ: Liver

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure by ingestion.

Aspiration hazard Not likely, due to the form of the product.

Mixture versus substance information No information available.

Other information Caution - Pharmaceutical agent.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity Contains a substance which causes risk of hazardous effects to the environment.

Components		Species	Test results
MAGNESIUM STEARATE (CAS 557-04-0)			
Aquatic			
<i>Acute</i>			
Fish	EC50	Orange-red killfish (Adult Oryzias latipes)	130 mg/l, 96 hours
PARACETAMOL (CAS 103-90-2)			
Aquatic			
<i>Acute</i>			
Algae	EC50	Green algae (Scenedesmus subspicatus)	134 mg/l, 72 hours
Crustacea	EC50	Water flea (Daphnia magna)	50 mg/l, 48 hours Static test
Fish	EC50	Fathead minnow (Juvenile Pimephales promelas)	814 mg/l, 96 hours Flow-through test
PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE (CAS 345-78-8)			
<i>Acute</i>			
	IC50	Activated sludge	> 100 mg/l, 3 hours
	NOEC	Activated sludge	3.2 mg/l, 3 hours
Aquatic			
<i>Acute</i>			
Algae	EC50	Green algae (Selenastrum capricornutum)	82 mg/l, 72 hours
Crustacea	EC50	Water flea (Daphnia magna)	> 120 mg/l, 48 hours Static test
	NOEC	Water flea (Daphnia magna)	7.5 mg/l, 48 hours Static test
Fish	EC50	Golden ide/orfe (Juvenile Leuciscus idus)	460 - 1000 mg/l, 96 hours
<i>Chronic</i>			
Algae	NOEC	Green algae (Selenastrum capricornutum)	> 7.5 mg/l, 72 hours

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Photolysis

Half-life (Photolysis-atmospheric)

MAGNESIUM STEARATE 17 Hours Estimated

UV/visible spectrum wavelength

MAGNESIUM STEARATE 210 nm

Hydrolysis

Half-life (Hydrolysis-neutral)

PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE > 99 %, 14 days, Activated sludge

Biodegradability

Percent degradation (Aerobic biodegradation-inherent)

MAGNESIUM STEARATE 77 %, 28 days BOD

PARACETAMOL 99 %, 5 days Modified Zahn-Wellens, Activated sludge

Percent degradation (Aerobic biodegradation-ready)

MAGNESIUM STEARATE 95 %, 22 days Sturm test

PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE 60 % BOD20

Percent degradation (Aerobic biodegradation-soil)

MAGNESIUM STEARATE 50 %, 13 days

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient

n-octanol/water (log Kow)

PARACETAMOL 0.36

PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE 0.89

Bioconcentration factor (BCF)

MAGNESIUM STEARATE > 9999 Estimated

12.4. Mobility in soil

Adsorption

Sludge/biomass distribution coefficient - log Kd

PSEUDOEPHEDRINE HYDROCHLORIDE < -1.39 Measured

Soil/sediment sorption - log Koc

MAGNESIUM STEARATE 5.86 Estimated

Mobility in general

Volatility

Henry's law

PARACETAMOL 0 atm m³/mol Estimated

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment Not available.

12.6. Other adverse effects Not available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Residual waste	Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).
Contaminated packaging	Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.
EU waste code	The Waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.
Disposal methods/information	Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground. Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.
Special precautions	Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

ADR

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU regulations

Regulation (EC) No. 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex I

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer, Annex II

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 850/2004 On persistent organic pollutants, Annex I as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 1 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 2 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex I, part 3 as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals, Annex V as amended

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 166/2006 Annex II Pollutant Release and Transfer Registry

Not listed.

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Article 59(1) Candidate List as currently published by ECHA

Not listed.

Authorisations

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XIV Substances subject to authorization, as amended

Not listed.

Restrictions on use

Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, REACH Annex XVII Substances subject to restriction on marketing and use as amended

Not listed.

Directive 2004/37/EC: on the protection of workers from the risks related to exposure to carcinogens and mutagens at work

Not listed.

Directive 92/85/EEC: on the safety and health of pregnant workers and workers who have recently given birth or are breastfeeding

Not listed.

Other EU regulations

Directive 96/82/EC (Seveso II) on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances

Not listed.

Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

Not listed.

Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work

Not listed.

Other regulations

The product is classified and labelled in accordance with EC directives or respective national laws. This Safety Data Sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

National regulations

Follow national regulation for work with chemical agents.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

List of abbreviations

Not available.

References

GSK Hazard Determination

Information on evaluation method leading to the classification of mixture

The classification for health and environmental hazards is derived by a combination of calculation methods and test data, if available.

Full text of any statements or R-phrases and H-statements under Sections 2 to 15

R22 Harmful if swallowed.

R52/53 Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Revision information

Product and Company Identification: Product and Company Identification

Composition / Information on Ingredients: Undisclosed Ingredient Statement

Physical & Chemical Properties:

TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION:

Ecological Information: Mobility

Regulatory Information: Risk Phrases - Class.

GHS: Classification

Training information

Follow training instructions when handling this material.

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