



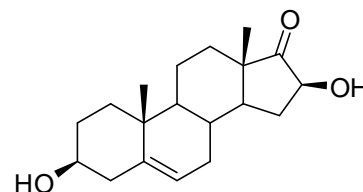
REFERENCE MATERIAL PRODUCT INFORMATION SHEET

NMIA D844: 16 β -HydroxyDHEA

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Chemical Formula: C₁₉H₂₈O₃

Molecular Weight: 304.4 g/mol



Property value

Batch No.	CAS No.	Purity estimate
03-S-14	1159-68-8	99.3 ± 1.4%

IUPAC name: (3 β ,16 β)-3,16-Dihydroxyandrost-5-en-17-one

Expiration of certification: The property values are valid till 21 May 2030, five years from the date of re-certification provided the **unopened** material is handled and stored in accordance with the recommendations below. The material as issued in the unopened container and stored as recommended below should be suitable for use beyond this date, subject to confirmation of batch stability from the issuing body. The expiry date/shelf life does not apply to sample bottles that have been opened. In such cases it is recommended that the end-user conduct their own in-house stability trials.

Description: Off-white powder sourced from an external supplier and certified for identity and purity by NMI Australia. Packaged in amber glass bottles with a septum and crimped aluminium cap or screw top cap.

Intended use: This reference material should be used for qualitative analysis only.

Instructions for use: Equilibrate the bottled material to room temperature before opening.

Recommended storage: When not in use this material should be stored at or below 4 °C in a closed container in a dry, dark area.

Stability: This material has demonstrated stability over a minimum period of five years. The long-term stability of the compound in solution has not been examined.

Homogeneity assessment: The homogeneity of the material was assessed using purity assay by HPLC with UV detection on seven randomly selected 1-2 mg sub samples of the material. The material was judged to be sufficiently homogeneous at this level of sampling as the variation in analysis results between samples was not significantly different at a 95% confidence level from that observed on repeat analysis of the same sample.

Safety: Treat as a hazardous substance. Use appropriate work practices when handling to avoid skin or eye contact, ingestion or inhalation of dust. Refer to the provided safety data sheet.

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This report supersedes any issued prior to 05 June 2025.

NATA Accreditation No. 198 / Corporate Site No. 14214.

Legal notice: Terms and Conditions associated with the provision of this reference material can be found on the NMIA website.

Characterisation Report:

The identity was confirmed by a range of spectroscopic techniques, NMR, IR and MS. Impurities of related structure were assessed by HPLC with UV detection. The purity value was obtained by mass balance from a combination of traditional analytical techniques, including HPLC with UV detection. The purity value is calculated as per Equation 1.

$$\text{Purity} = (100 \% - I_{\text{ORG}}) \times (100 \% - I_{\text{VOL}} - I_{\text{NVR}}) \quad \text{Equation 1}$$

I_{ORG} = Organic impurities of related structure, I_{VOL} = volatile impurities, I_{NVR} = non-volatile residue.

Supporting evidence is provided by thermogravimetric analysis, Karl Fischer analysis and ¹H NMR spectroscopy and elemental microanalysis.

HPLC:	Instrument:	Waters Alliance 2695 Separations module or Thermo Scientific Ultimate 3000 RS
	Column:	Grace Alltima C-18, 5 μm (4.6 mm x 150 mm)
	Column oven:	40 °C
	Mobile Phase:	Acetonitrile / MilliQ water (30:70 v/v), Gradient 0-12 min 30% MeCN, 12-15 min 30-80% MeCN, 15-18 min 80% MeCN, 18-19 min 80-30% MeCN, 19-25 min 30% MeCN
	Flow rate:	1.0 mL/min
	Detector:	Waters 2998 or RS PDA operating at 200 nm
	Relative peak area of the main component:	
	Initial analysis:	Mean = 99.5%, s = 0.01% (5 sub samples in duplicate, August 2020)
	Re-analysis:	Mean = 99.5%, s = 0.01% (5 sub samples in duplicate, May 2025)
HPLC:	Instrument:	Waters Model 1525 pump, 717 plus autosampler
	Column:	Alltech Alltima C-18, 5μm (4.6 mm x 150 mm)
	Column oven:	Ambient
	Mobile Phase:	Acetonitrile/MilliQ water (35:65 v/v)
	Flow rate:	1.0 mL/min
	Detector:	Waters 2998 PDA operating at 200 nm
	Relative peak area of the main component:	
	Initial analysis:	Mean = 99.8%, s = 0.02% (7 sub samples in duplicate, February 2004)
	Re-analysis:	Mean = 99.8%, s = 0.02% (5 sub samples in duplicate, August 2008)
	Re-analysis:	Mean = 99.9%, s = 0.003% (5 sub samples in duplicate, September 2011)
	Re-analysis:	Mean = 99.9%, s = 0.004% (5 sub samples in duplicate, August 2014)
Karl Fischer analysis:		Moisture content ≤ 0.1% mass fraction (August 2008, September 2011, July 2014, July 2020 and April 2025)
Thermogravimetric analysis:		Volatile content 0.1% and non volatile residue < 0.2 %mass fraction (January 2004 and April 2005)

Spectroscopic and other characterisation data

GC-MS:	<i>Bis</i> -TMS derivative:	
	Instrument:	Agilent 6890/5973
	Column:	Ultra 1, 17 m x 0.2 mm I.D. x 0.11 μ m
	Program:	189 °C (0.2 min) 3 °C /min to 240 °C, 10 °C /min to 265 °C, 30 °C/min to 310 °C
	Injector:	250 °C
	Split ratio:	14/1
	Transfer line temp:	300 °C
	Carrier:	Helium, 1.0 mL/min
	Scan range:	50-550 <i>m/z</i>
	The retention time of the <i>bis</i> -TMS derivative is reported with the major peaks in the mass spectra. The latter are reported as mass/charge ratios and (in brackets) as a percentage relative to the base peak.	
	<i>Bis</i> -TMS (13.7 min):	448 (M^+ , 5), 433 (8), 304 (61), 214 (100), 199 (55), 175 (36), 129 (66), 73 (55) <i>m/z</i>
TLC:	Conditions:	Kieselgel 60F ₂₅₄ . Chloroform/ethyl acetate (4:1) Single spot observed, R_f = 0.2 Visualisation with vanillin, H ₂ SO ₄ spray
IR:	Instrument:	BioRad FTS3000MX FT-IR
	Range:	4000-400 cm ⁻¹ , KBr powder
	Peaks:	3402, 3317, 2930, 1732, 1459, 1433, 1403, 1373, 1300, 1048, 963, 912 cm ⁻¹
¹ H NMR:	Instrument:	Bruker DMX-500
	Field strength:	500 MHz
	Solvent:	DMSO <i>d</i> ₆ (2.5 ppm)
	Spectral data:	δ 0.82 (3H, s), 0.95 (3H, s), 3.24 (1H, m), 3.76 (1H, m), 4.60 (1H, d), 5.27 (1H, bd), 5.61 (1H, d) ppm
¹³ C NMR:	Instrument:	Bruker Gyro-300
	Field strength:	75.5 MHz
	Solvent:	CDCl ₃ (77.0 ppm)
	Spectral data:	δ 14.7, 19.4, 20.1, 30.6, 30.6, 31.0, 31.6, 31.7, 36.8, 37.1, 42.2, 46.1, 46.7, 50.5, 71.6, 75.4, 120.8, 141.1, 220.1 ppm
Melting point:		197-204 °C
Microanalysis:	Found:	C = 75.0%; H = 9.3%
	Calculated:	C = 75.0%; H = 9.3% (Calculated for C ₁₉ H ₂₈ O ₃)