International Non-Proprietary Names for Pharmaceutical Preparations

In accordance with paragraph 3 of the Procedure for the Selection of Recommended International Non-Proprietary Names for Pharmaceutical Preparations, notice is hereby given that the following names are under consideration by the World Health Organization as proposed international non-proprietary names.

Comments on, or formal objections to,

the proposed names may be forwarded by any person to the Pharmaceutical Section of the World Health Organization within four months from 1 March 1959.

The inclusion of a name in the lists of proposed international non-proprietary names does not imply any recommendation for the use of the substance in medicine or pharmacy.

PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL NON-PROPRIETARY NAMES (Prop. I.N.N.): LIST 72

Proposed International Non-Proprietary Name (Latin, English)

dextropropoxyphenum dextropropoxyphene

dimenoxadolum dimenoxadol

levoproxyphenum devoproxyphenum

levopropoxyphene

nicomorphinum nicomorphine

norcodeinum norcodeine

normorphinum normorphine

noscapinum noscapine Chenucal Name or Description

 $(+)\hbox{--}4\hbox{--}dimethylamino-3-methyl--1,2--diphenyl-2-propionoxybutane}\\$

dimethylaminoethyl 1-ethoxy-1,1-diphenylacetate

(-)-4-dimethylamino-3-methyl-1,2-diphenyl-2-propionoxybutane

di-nicotinic acid ester of morphine

N-demethylated codeine

N-demethylated morphine

(-)-2-methyl-8-methoxy-6,7-methylenedioxy-1-(6,7-dimethoxy-3-phthalidyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro*iso*quinoline [name used previously: narcotine]

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¹ See Off. Rec. Wld Hlth Org., 1955, 60, 3, 55,

Other lists of proposed international non-proprietary names can be found in Chron. Wid Hith Org., 1953, 7, 297; 1954, 8, 216, 313; 1956, 10, 28, 1957, 11, 231; 1958, 12, 102.

In accordance with paragraph 7 of the Procedure for the Selection of Recommended International Non-Proprietary Names for Pharmaceutical Preparations,³ notice is hereby given that the following are selected as recommended international non-proprietary names.

The inclusion of a name in the lists of recommended international non-proprietary names does not imply any recommendation for the use of the substance in medicine or pharmacy.

RECOMMENDED INTERNATIONAL NON-PROPRIETARY NAMES (Rec. I.N.N.): LIST 24

Recommended Internationa Non-Proprietary Name (Latin, English)	Chemical Name or Description
acetylmethadolum acetylmethadol	6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-acetoxyheptane
alphacetylmethadolum alphacetylmethadol	α-6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-acetoxyheptane
alphamethadolum alphamethadol	α-6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-heptanol
anileridinum anileridine	1-[2-(p-aminophenyl)-ethyl]-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester
betacetylmethadolum betacetylmethadol	β -6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-acctoxyheptane
betamethadolum betamethadol	β -6-dimethylamino-4,4-diphenyl-3-heptanol
betaprodinum betaprodine	β -1,3-dimethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxypiperidine
desomorphinum desomorphine	dihydrodesoxymorphine
diethylthiambutenum diethylthiambutene	3-diethylamino-1,1-di-(2-thienyl)-I-butene
dimethylthiambutcnum dimethylthiambutcne	3-dimethylamino-1,1-di-(2-thienyl)-1-butene
dipipanonum dipipanone	4,4-diphenyl-6-piperidino-3-heptanone
ethoheptazinum ethoheptazine	1-methyl-4-carbethoxy-4-phenylhexamethyleneimine
cthylmethylthiambutenum ethylmethylthiambutene	3-ethylmethylamino-1, 1-di-(2-thienyl)-1-butenc
hydroxypethidinum hydroxypethidine	1-methyl-4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-piperidine-4-carboxylic acid cthyl ester
levallorphanum levallorphan	(—)–3–hydroxy– <i>N</i> –allylmorphinan
levorphanolum levorphanol	(—)–3–hydroxy– <i>N</i> –methylmorphinan

³ See Off. Rec. Wld Hith Org., 1955, 60, 3, 55.

A first list of recommended international non-proprietary names can be found in Chron. Wid Hith Org., 1955, 9, 185.

Recommended International Non-Proprietary Name (Latin, English)

Chemical Name or Description

metethoheptazinum metethoheptazine 1,3-dimethyl-4-carbethoxy-4-phenylhexamethyleneimine

metheptazinum metheptazine 1,2-dimethyl-4-carbomethoxy-4-phenylhexamethyleneimine

methyldesorphinum methyldesorphine 6-methyl-⊿6-desoxymorphine

methyldihydromorphinum methyldihydromorphine 6-methyldihydromorphine

myrophinum myrophine myristyl ester of benzylmorphine

normethadonum normethadone 4,4-diphenyl-6-dimethylamino-3-hexanone

oxpheneridinum oxpheneridine 1-(2-phenyl-2-hydroxyethyl)-4-carbethoxy-4-phenyl-piperidine

oxymorphonum oxymorphone dihydrohydroxymorphinone

phenomorphanum phenomorphan

3-hydroxy-N-phenethylmorphinan

proheptazinum

1,3-dimethyl-4-phenyl-4-propionoxyhexamethyleneimine

proheptazine properidinum

1-methyl-4-phenylpiperidine-4-carboxylic acid isopropyl ester

properidine propoxyphenum

4-dimethylamino-1,2-diphenyl-3-methyl-2-propionoxybutane

propoxyphene