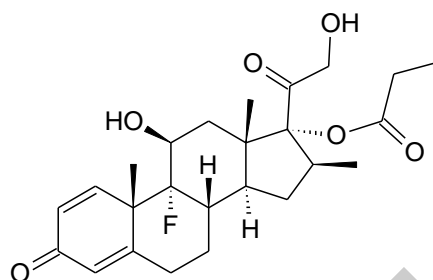


## Reference Material Product Information Sheet

Epichem's Quality System conforms to ISO9001:2015 as certified by ECAAS Pty Ltd - Certification number 616061.



<b>Name</b>	(11β,16β)-9-Fluoro-11,21-dihydroxy-16-methyl-17-(1-oxopropoxy)pregna-1,4-diene-3,20-dione
<b>BP/EP Name</b>	Betamethasone Dipropionate Impurity B
<b>USP Name</b>	Betamethasone Dipropionate Related Compound B
<b>Synonym(s)</b>	Betamethasone 17-propionate, Betamethasone 17α-propionate
<b>Epichem Item #</b>	EPL-AA261 Batch 1
<b>CAS #</b>	5534-13-4
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C <sub>25</sub> H <sub>33</sub> FO <sub>6</sub>
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	448.54 g/mol
<b>Appearance</b>	White powder
<b>Melting Point</b>	216.7-224.6°C (decomposition).
<b>Combustion Analysis</b>	Required (%): C:67.0; H:7.4; N:0.0. Found (%): C:66.8; H:7.4; N:0.0.
<b>Purity</b>	98.2%
<b>Date of Manufacture</b>	8 May 2020
<b>Storage Requirements</b>	Protect from heat, light and moisture.
<b>Special Precautions</b>	<b>This compound is for laboratory use only. Its toxicological properties may not have been fully established. It should be handled only by suitably qualified personnel.</b>
<b>Intended Use</b>	This compound is suitable for the identification of impurities and degradants in pharmaceutical materials. The purity assay is considered as relative contribution.
<b>Date of Shipment</b>	TBA This certificate is valid for one year from the date of shipment provided the substance is stored under the recommended conditions.
<b>Retest Date</b>	TBA (Proper Storage and Handling Required)

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## I. Identity

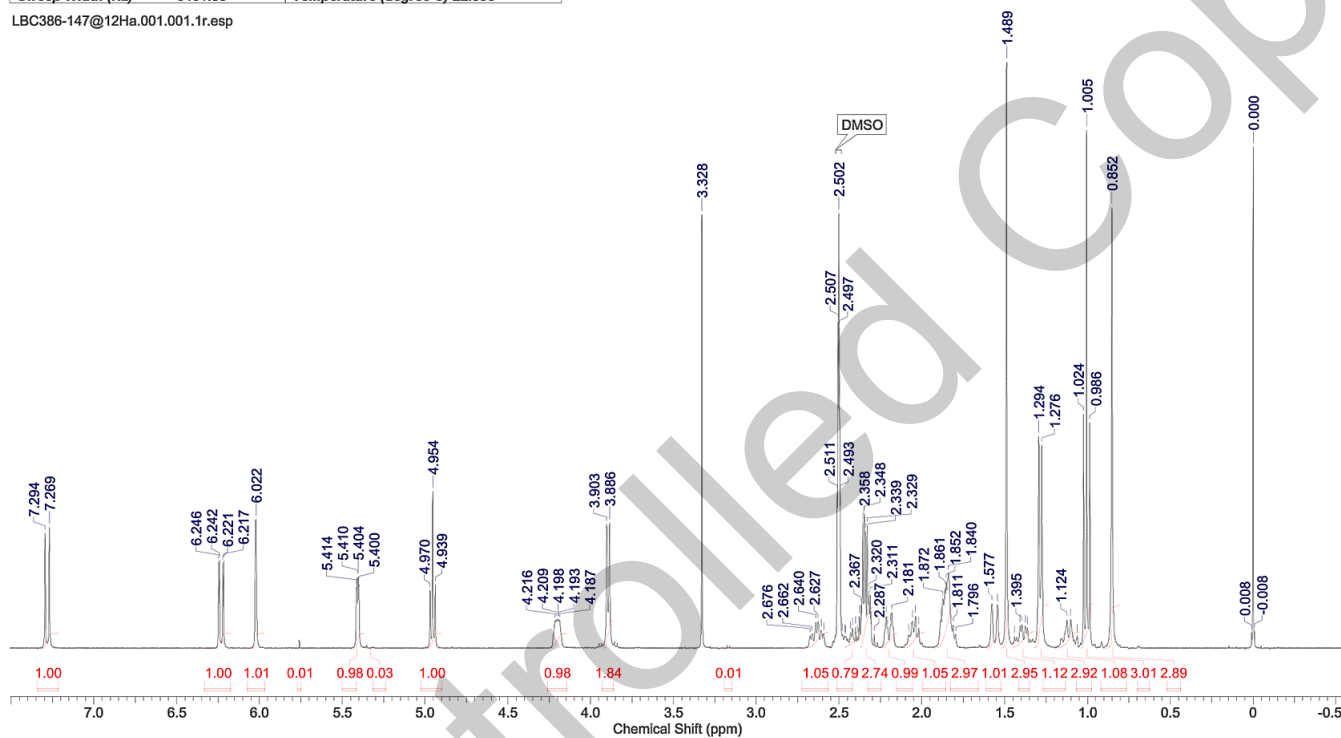
The identity of this product was established using the following analyses:

### Ia. <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum

Conditions: 400 MHz, DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>  
<sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum consistent with chemical structure.

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Sweep Width (Hz)	6401.85	Solvent	DMSO-d6	Spectrum Offset (Hz) 2798.1926
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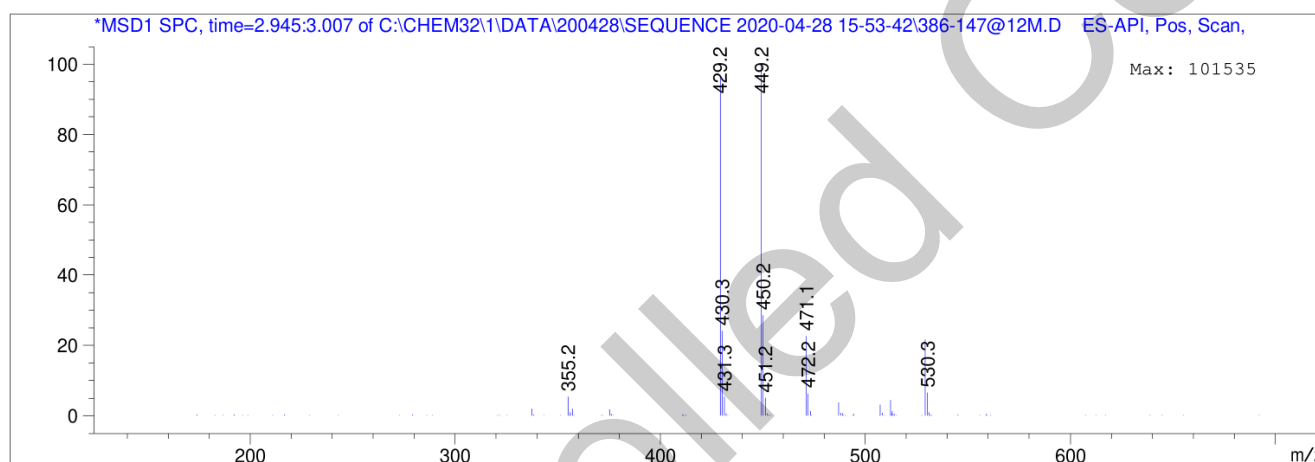
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## Ib. Mass Spectrum

The mass spectrum of this material was analysed by Liquid Chromatography Mass Spectroscopy (LCMS) using in-house EM005.WI08.

Method: ACN/water gradient (+ 0.1% formic acid).  
ZORBAX SB-C8, 4.6 x 30 mm, 3.5 micron.

Retention Time (MS)	MS Area	Mol. Weight or Ion
2.972	2178923	529.25 I
		471.15 I
		450.20 I
		449.20 I
		430.25 I
		429.20 I



Theoretical values: 449.2 [M+H]<sup>+</sup>

The signal of the Mass Spectrum is consistent with the theoretical value and its interpretation is consistent with the structural formula.

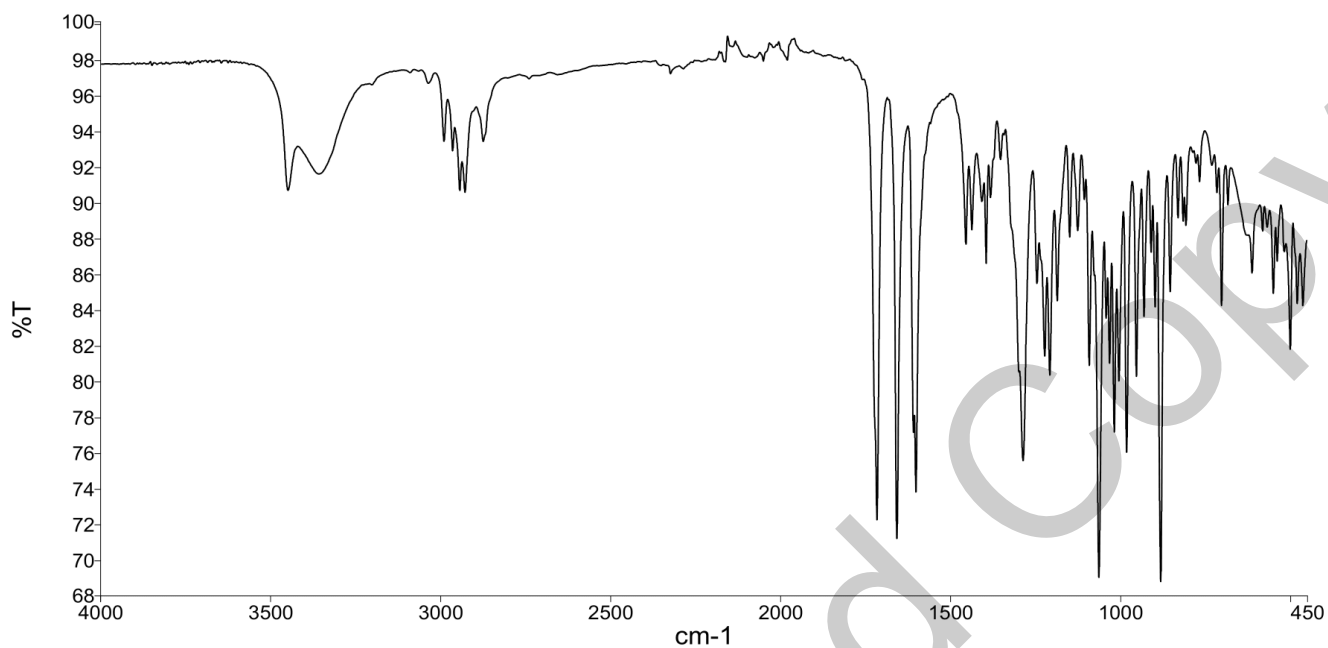
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### Ic. IR Spectrum

The infra-red spectrum of this material was analysed by Fourier-Transform Infrared Spectroscopy (FTIR) using in-house EM005.WI09.



The interpretation of the signals of the Fourier-Transform Infrared Spectrum is consistent with the structural formula.

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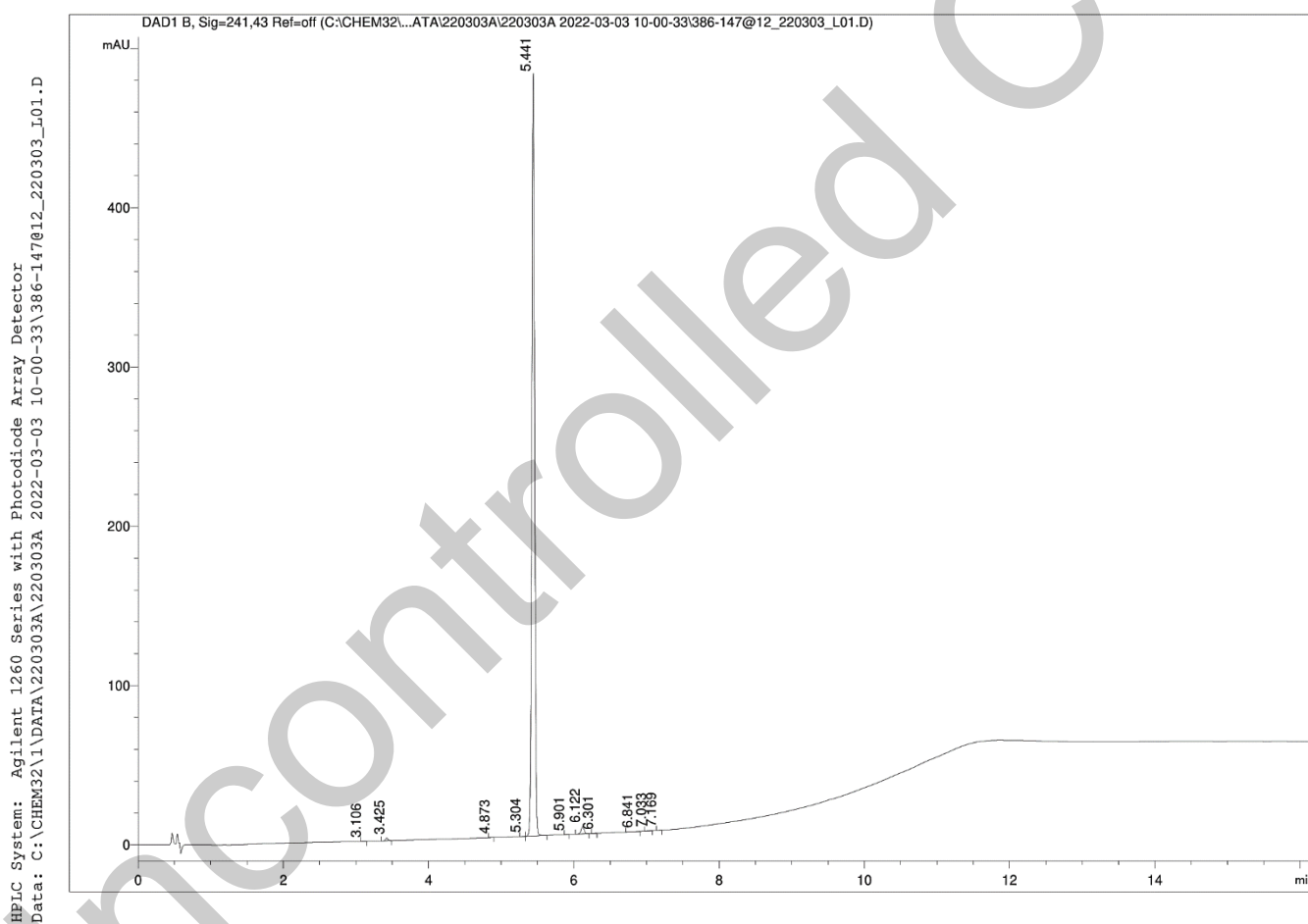
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## II. Purity

The purity of this material was analysed by high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) using in-house EM005.WI07.

### HPLC Conditions:

Column	Conditions				Detector	Injector
Agilent Poroshell 120 EC-C18  4.6 x 50mm  2.7 micron	25°C				DAD  241 nm	Auto  1.0 µL  0.8 mg/mL in 100% acetonitrile (NO MODIFIERS)
	Time (min)	% Line A (Water + 0.1% (v/v) TFA)	% Line B (Acetonitrile + 0.1% (v/v) TFA)	Flow rate (mL/min)		
	0.00	75	25	1.0		
	6.00	45	55	1.0		
	10.00	5	95	1.0		
	15.00	5	95	1.0		
	16.00	75	25	1.0		
	19.00	75	25	1.0		



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### Area Percent Report – Sorted by Signal

Peak Number	Retention Time (rounded)	Area	Area % (rounded)
1	3.11	0.13	0.01
2	3.43	3.97	0.30
3	4.87	0.15	0.01
4	5.30	0.29	0.02
5	5.44	1284.69	98.54
6	5.90	0.06	0.00
7	6.12	13.42	1.03
8	6.30	0.11	0.01
9	6.84	0.37	0.03
10	7.03	0.41	0.03
11	7.17	0.11	0.01
Totals			100 (rounded)

For the calculation the system peaks were ignored. The content of the analyte was determined as a ratio of the peak area of the analyte and the cumulative areas of the purities, added up to 100%.

#### Results:

Average 98.4% (average of duplicate runs)

### III. Water Content

Method: Karl-Fischer titration using in-house EM005.WI04.

**Results:**

Average 0.1%

### IV. Ash Content

Method: BP2020 Ash Appendix XI J Method II

**Result:**

Contains <0.1% ash.

### V. Residual Solvents

Method: <sup>1</sup>H NMR

**Result:**

0.1% Dichloromethane by <sup>1</sup>H NMR analysis.

### VI. Final Result

Chromatographic purity (HPLC)	98.4%
Water content	0.1%
Ash content	<0.1%
Residual solvents	0.1%
Purity*	98.2%

This purity is assessed to be 98.2%.

Product Reviewed By:

Jacob Heppell, PhD  
Chemist

Product Released By:

Carol Worth, PhD  
Quality Manager  
Release Date: 9 March 2022

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The calculation of the purity follows the formula:

$$\text{Purity(\%)} = \frac{((\text{Chromatographic purity[HPLC]}) \times (100 - (\text{water content} + \text{ash content} + \text{volatile contents})))}{100}$$

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