

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,¹ 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

<i>Proposed International Non-Proprietary Name (Latin, English)</i>	<i>Chemical Name or Description</i>
dextropropoxyphenum dextropropoxyphene	(+)-4-dimethylamino-3-methyl-1,2-diphenyl-2-propionoxybutane
dimenoxadolum dimenoxadol	dimethylaminoethyl 1-ethoxy-1,1-diphenylacetate
levopropoxyphenum levopropoxyphenum levopropoxyphene	(-)-4-dimethylamino-3-methyl-1,2-diphenyl-2-propionoxybutane
nicomorphinum nicomorphine	di-nicotinic acid ester of morphine
norcodeinum norcodeine	N-demethylated codeine
normorphinum <u>normorphine</u>	N-demethylated morphine
noscapium <u>noscapi</u>	(-)-2-methyl-8-methoxy-6,7-methylenedioxy-1-(6,7-dimethoxy-3-phthalidyl)-1,2,3,4-tetrahydroisoquinoline [name used previously: narcotine]

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

² Other lists of proposed international non-proprietary names can be found in *Chron. Wld Hlth 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

<i>Recommended International Non-Proprietary Name (Latin, English)</i>	<i>Chemical Name or Description</i>
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-acetoxyheptane
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)-1-butene
dimethylthiambutenum dimethylthiambutene	3-dimethylamino-1,1-di-(2-thienyl)-1-butene
dipipanonium dipipanone	4,4-diphenyl-6-piperidino-3-heptanone
ethoheptazinum ethoheptazine	1-methyl-4-carbethoxy-4-phenylhexamethyleneimine
ethylmethylthiambutenum ethylmethylthiambutene	3-ethylmethylamino-1,1-di-(2-thienyl)-1-butene
hydroxypethidinum hydroxypethidine	1-methyl-4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-piperidine-4-carboxylic acid ethyl ester
levallorphanum levallorphan	(-)-3-hydroxy-N-allylmorphinan
levorphanolum levorphanol	(-)-3-hydroxy-N-methylmorphinan

³ See *Off. Rec. Wild Hlth Org.*, 1955, 60, 3, 55.

⁴ A first list of recommended international non-proprietary names can be found in *Chron. Wild Hlth Org.*, 1955, 9, 185.

*Recommended International
Non-Proprietary Name
(Latin, English)*

Chemical Name or Description

metethoheptazinum	1,3-dimethyl-4-carbethoxy-4-phenylhexamethyleneimine
metethoheptazine	
metheptazinum	1,2-dimethyl-4-carbomethoxy-4-phenylhexamethyleneimine
metheptazine	
methyl-desorpinum	6-methyl- Δ^8 -desoxymorphine
methyl-desorphine	
methyldihydromorphinum	6-methyldihydromorphine
methyldihydromorphine	
myrophinum	myristyl ester of benzylmorphine
myrophine	
normethadonum	4,4-diphenyl-6-dimethylamino-3-hexanone
normethadone	
oxpheneridinum	1-(2-phenyl-2-hydroxyethyl)-4-carbethoxy-4-phenyl-piperidine
oxpheneridine	
oxymorphonum	dihydrohydroxymorphinone
oxymorphone	
phenomorphanum	3-hydroxy-N-phenethylmorphinan
phenomorphan	
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	