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**Treatment of Adverse Effects**

Gastric lavage should be considered if the patient presents within 1 hour of acute ingestion. Intensive supportive therapy is necessary.

Attempts have been made to increase the faecal and urinary excretion of thallium. A suspension of activated charcoal has been given to reduce intestinal absorption and enteric recycling. Prussian blue (p.1461) given orally as a drink or via a nasogastric tube is also used routinely. A purgative such as mannitol may be required with either activated charcoal or Prussian blue as constipation is common in severe thallium toxicity. Giving potassium chloride by mouth may mobilise thallium from the tissues but is hazardous, especially if given during the early stage as signs of poisoning may be aggravated. Traditional chelation therapy is not generally recommended for thallium poisoning.

Haemoperfusion, haemodialysis, or peritoneal dialysis have been reported to be effective in eliminating absorbed thallium, although clinical benefit is doubtful.

**Uses and Administration**

Thallium acetate was formerly used by mouth for depilation in ringworm and as an ingredient of depilatory creams but both systemic and local treatments have caused deaths, and it is no longer used for such purposes. It has also been used as a rodenticide and insecticide; thallium sulfate has been used similarly. The use of thallium salts is strictly regulated in many countries. However, use in industry could still constitute a hazard. Cases of malicious poisoning still occur occasionally.

**Theobroma**

Cacao or Cocoa Powder; Chocolate; Teobroma; Theobrom.

**Pharmacopoeias.** In USNF.

**USNF 26** (Chocolate). A powder prepared from the roasted, cured kernels of the ripe seed of *Theobroma cacao* (Sterculiaceae).

**Profile**

Theobroma is used as a flavoured basis for tablets and lozenges. Theobroma oil (p.2033) is used as a basis for suppositories.

**Breast feeding.** The American Academy of Pediatrics<sup>1</sup> states that irritability or increased bowel activity have been reported in infants whose mothers ate excessive amounts of chocolate (16 ounces (about 450 g) or more daily).

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**Preparations**

**USNF 26:** Chocolate Syrup.

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Multi-ingredient:** **Austria:** Asthmatee EF-EM-ES.

**Theodrenaline Hydrochloride** (BANM, rINN) ⊗

H-8352; Hidrocloruro de teodrenalin; Noradrenaline Theophylline Hydrochloride; Théodrénaline, Chlorhydrate de; Theodrenalin Hydrochloridum. 7-[2-(3,4,β-Trihydroxyphenethylamino)ethyl]theophylline hydrochloride.

Теодреналин Гидрохлорид

$C_{17}H_{21}N_5O_5 \cdot HCl = 411.8$ .

CAS — 13460-98-5 (theodrenaline); 2572-61-4 (theodrenaline hydrochloride).

ATC — C01CA23.

ATC Vet — QC01CA23.

**Profile**

Theodrenaline is mainly used as the hydrochloride in preparations with cafedrine promoted for the treatment of hypotension.

**Preparations****Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Multi-ingredient:** **Austria:** Akrinor; **Fr.:** Praxinor; **Ger.:** Akrinor; **S.Afr.:** Akrinor; **Spain:** Bifort<sup>†</sup>.

**Thioctic Acid**

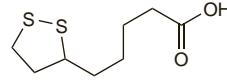
Acide thioctique; Acidum thiocticum; Alpha Lipoic Acid; Kwas tioktynowy; Kyselina thioktová; Lipotic Acid; α-Lipoic Acid; Tióctico, ácido, 5-(1,2-Dithiolan-3-yl)valeric acid.

$C_8H_{14}O_2S_2 = 206.3$ .

CAS — 62-46-4.

ATC — A16AX01.

ATC Vet — QA16AX01.

**Pharmacopoeias.** In Eur. (see p.vii) and US.

**Ph. Eur. 6.2** (Thioctic Acid). A yellow, crystalline powder. M.p. about 61°. Very slightly soluble in water; very soluble in dimethylformamide; freely soluble in methyl alcohol. Protect from light.

**USP 31** (Alpha Lipoic Acid). M.p. 60.0° to 62.0°.

**Profile**

Thioctic acid is used for its antioxidant effects in the treatment of diabetic neuropathy. It has been tried in the treatment of liver dysfunction and in subacute necrotising encephalopathy. Beneficial results have been claimed in amanitin poisoning after ingestion of the mushroom *Amanita phalloides*, but such use is controversial (see under Poisons Mushrooms or Toadstools, p.2349). Ethylenediamine thioctate, sodium thioctate, thioctic acid amide (thioctamide), and trometamol thioctate have been used similarly.

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**Pharmacokinetics.** References.

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**Preparations**

**USP 31:** Alpha Lipoic Acid Capsules; Alpha Lipoic Acid Tablets.

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Arg.:** Biletan; Ciguen; Neurotoct; Neutracol; Sigmus; Tioctan; **Austria:** Thioctacid; Tioctan; **Cz.:** Alpha-Liponit; Thioctacid; Thiogamma; **Ger.:** Alpha-Lipogamma; Alpha-Lipon; Alpha-Vibolex; Alphaflam; Azulipont; Biomolipon; duralipon; espa-lipon<sup>†</sup>; Fenint<sup>†</sup>; Juthiac<sup>†</sup>; Neurium; Pleomix-Alpha<sup>†</sup>; Thioctacid; Thiogamma; Tromlipon; Verla-Lipon; Vitatrans; **Hung.:** Thioctacid; Thiogamma; **Indon.:** Alanox; Mecola Forte; **Ital.:** Tiobec Crema; **Jpn.:** Tioctan; **Mex.:** Thioctacid; **Pol.:** Neurex; Thiogamma; **Russ.:** Berlithion (Берлитион); Espa-Lipon (Эспа-Липон); Thioctacid (Тиоктацид); Thiogamma (Тигогамма); **Thail.:** Lipocin<sup>†</sup>.

**Multi-ingredient:** **Arg.:** Biletan Enzimatico; Carbogasol Digestivo; Co-Ti-octan; Nervomax TB12; **Canad.:** Biotrim<sup>†</sup>; **Hong Kong.:** Lipochol; **India.:** Alcrin-M; **Indon.:** Aliron; Aptivium Liver Support; Mecola; Reliv; **Ital.:** Alfa Lip; Angievo; Biodynoral; Depatox; Lipoacid Combi; Neuralfa; Neuropatic; Osteolip; Tiobec; Tiofort; **Philipp.:** Illumina; **Port.:** Lipoacid; Lipoacid Combi; **Spain.:** Policosinsol; **Thail.:** Lipochol.

**Preparations****Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Chile:** Thujaderm.

**Multi-ingredient:** **Austral.:** Vicks Vaporub; **Austria:** Colda; Esberitox; Pe-Ce; **Bulg.:** Apori; Vicks Vaporub; **Braz.:** Calopef; Mentalof; Vick Vaporub; **Fr.:** Item Alphacade; Item Alphazole; Item Lentex; Nitrol; Verrupan; Vicks Vaporub; **Ger.:** Esberitox N; **Malaysia:** Esberitox N; **Pol.:** Esberitox N; **Port.:** Alpha Cad; Alphacrede; Alphazole<sup>†</sup>; **S.Afr.:** Vicks Vaporub; **Spain:** Nitroina; **Switz.:** Esberitop; Vicks Vaporub N; **Turk.:** Kataljin; Vicks Vaporub; **USA:** Vicks Vaporub.

**Thiomucase**

C-84-04; Chondroitinsulphatase; Tiomucase.

**Profile**

Thiomucase is a mucopolysaccharidase with general properties similar to those of hyaluronidase, p.2321, but which also depolymerises chondroitin sulfate. It has been given to assist the diffusion of local anaesthetic injections.

**Preparations****Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Spain:** Thiocase.

**Multi-ingredient:** **Braz.:** Thiomucase.

**Thiotriazoline**

Thiotriazolin. Morpholine 5-methyl-1,2,4-triazoline-5-thioacetate.

Тиотриазолин

**Profile**

Thiotriazoline is reported to have anti-ischaemic, membrane stabilising, and antioxidant actions. It is used as a hepatoprotector in various liver disorders and as a protectant in cardiovascular and cerebrovascular disorders. It is also used locally as an anti-inflammatory for wounds and lesions of the skin and mucous membranes and for vaginal or rectal inflammation.

**Thiram** (USAN, rINN)

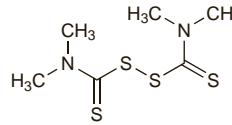
NSC-1771; SQ-1489; Thirame; Thiramum; Tiram; Tiramo; TMT; TMTD; Tetramethylthiuram disulphide.

Тирам

$C_6H_{12}N_2S_4 = 240.4$ .

CAS — 137-26-8.

ATC — P03AA05.

**Profile**

Thiram, the methyl analogue of disulfiram (p.2296), has antibacterial and antifungal activity. It has been applied topically as an aerosol in the treatment of wounds and other skin disorders. It has been used as a fungicide in agriculture, and in industry as a rubber accelerator. Occupational exposure to thiram may cause irritation of mucous membranes and skin.

**Thorium Dioxide**

Thorium Oxide; Torio, dióxido de.

$ThO_2 = 264.0$ .

CAS — 1314-20-1.

**Profile**

Colloidal solutions of thorium dioxide were formerly used as X-ray contrast media for examination of the liver and spleen, for arteriography, and occasionally for outlining the cerebral ventricles. Its elimination is very slow and incomplete. It accumulates in the reticuloendothelial system, especially in the liver and spleen. As it is radioactive (half-life:  $1.41 \times 10^{10}$  years), this accumulation is dangerous and there is strong evidence that the ensuing prolonged exposure to its radiation is a contributing factor in the development of malignant diseases and blood disorders often 20 to 30 years after its use.

**Thuja**

Tuya; White Cedar.

**Profile**

Thuja consists of the fresh leaves and twigs of *Thuja occidentalis* (Cupressaceae). It is included in some topical preparations for warts and in herbal antiseptic preparations. It is also used in herbal preparations for respiratory-tract disorders.

The oil distilled from the leaves and twigs is known as thuja oil or cedar leaf oil. It has been included in preparations for inhalation for the relief of respiratory-tract symptoms and for external use but is generally considered to be too toxic for internal use. Cedar leaf oil should be distinguished from cedar wood oil, obtained from *Juniperus virginiana* (see Red Cedar, p.2278).

**Homeopathy.** Thuja has been used in homeopathic medicines under the following names: Thuja occidentalis.

**Preparations****Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Chile:** Thujaderm.

**Multi-ingredient:** **Austral.:** Vicks Vaporub; **Austria:** Colda; Esberitox; Pe-Ce; **Bulg.:** Apori; Vicks Vaporub; **Braz.:** Calopef; Mentalof; Vick Vaporub; **Fr.:** Item Alphacade; Item Alphazole; Item Lentex; Nitrol; Verrupan; Vicks Vaporub; **Ger.:** Esberitox N; **Malaysia:** Esberitox N; **Pol.:** Esberitox N; **Port.:** Alpha Cad; Alphacrede; Alphazole<sup>†</sup>; **S.Afr.:** Vicks Vaporub; **Spain:** Nitroina; **Switz.:** Esberitop; Vicks Vaporub N; **Turk.:** Kataljin; Vicks Vaporub; **USA:** Vicks Vaporub.

**Thymalfasin** (USAN, rINN)

Thymalfasine; Thymalfasinum; Thymosin α1; Timalfasina.

Тималфазин

CAS — 62304-98-7; 69521-94-4.

**Profile**

Thymalfasin is a thymus hormone (p.2401) found in thymosin fraction 5 (a crude thymus gland extract) but now produced by synthesis. Thymalfasin is used alone or with interferon as an im-

monomodulator for the treatment of chronic hepatitis B, and with interferon for hepatitis C (p.851). It is given by subcutaneous injection in a dose of 1.6 mg twice weekly for up to 12 months. The dose in patients who weigh less than 40 kg is 40 micrograms/kg. Thymalfasin is also used to enhance the effectiveness of influenza vaccines in immunocompromised or elderly patients and of influenza and hepatitis B vaccines in chronic haemodialysis patients.

Thymalfasin is under investigation for a number of other diseases, including hepatitis D, hepatocellular carcinoma, non-small cell lung cancer, melanoma, and HIV infection and AIDS.

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#### Preparations

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)  
**Arg.:** Zadaxin. **Hong Kong:** Zadaxin. **Indon.:** Zadaxin. **Ital.:** Zadaxin. **Malaysia:** Zadaxin. **Mex.:** Zadaxin. **Philipp.:** Zadaxin. **Singapore:** Zadaxin. **Thai.:** Zadaxin.

#### Thyme

Common Thyme; French Thyme; Garden Thyme; Kakukkū; Rubbed Thyme; Thym; Thymi herba; Thymian; Timjam; Timjan; Timo; Tomillo; Tymianová nat'; Vaistinių čiobreliai žolė; Ziele ty-mianku.

NOTE. Distinguish from Wild Thyme, p.2415.

**Pharmacopoeias.** In *Eur* (see p.vii).

**Ph. Eur. 6.2** (Thyme). The whole leaves and flowers separated from the previously dried stems of *Thymus vulgaris*, or *T. zygis*, or a mixture of both species. It contains not less than 12 mL/kg of essential oil, of which a minimum of 40% is thymol and carvacrol, both calculated with reference to the anhydrous drug. It has a strong aromatic odour reminiscent of thymol.

#### Profile

Thyme is the source of thyme oil (below). It has carminative, antiseptic, antitussive, and expectorant properties and is used chiefly in preparations for respiratory-tract disorders and as a flavour.

#### Preparations

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Austria:** Scottopect; **Chile:** Hustagli; **Cz.:** Bronchicum Husten-Pastillen; **Ger.:** Anasil; Aspecton; Biottus; Bronchicum Pastillen; Bronchipret; Expectal; Fichtensirup N; Fichtensirup N; Geblöronchia; Hustagli Thymian-Hustensirup; Husties!; Isephca S; Makatusin Saft; Melrosun Hustensirup; Menthym monit; Mirfusot; Nimporet; Pertussin; Sanopin; wern; Soledum Hustensirup; Soleund Hustentropfen; Tetecept Erkältungs-; Thymipin N; Thymiverlan; Tussamag Hustenlosung; Tussamag Hustensirup N; Tussifolin Thymian; **Israel:** Thymi Syrup; **Pol.:** Bronchicum N; Bronchicum T; **Rus.:** Bronchicum Husten (Бронхиум Пастыри от Каша); Tussamag (Тусамаг); **Switz.:** Thymusin N.

**Multi-ingredient:** **Arg.:** Cellskinlab Phyto Spot; Expectosan Hierbas y Miel; **Austral.:** Broncrafec; Bronchilint; Cough Relief; Euphorbia Complex; **Austria:** Bronchipret; Bronchithym; Bronchostop; Brust- und Hustentee St Sevenerin; Codemel; Eicebaer; Expectal-Tropfen; Krauter Hustensaft; Luuf-Hustentee; Paracodin; Pilka Forte; Pneumopan; Pneumopect; Scottopect; Thymoval; Tussamag Tussimont; **Belg.:** Colmax; Thymoptine; **Canad.:** Herbal Throat; Original Herb Cough Drops; Swiss Herb Cough Drops; **Chile:** Phyto Corrective Gel; Phyto Spot; Primacy Phyto +; Rhiz Opodoloc; **Cz.:** Biottuss; Bronchialte N; Bronchicum Elixir; Bronchicum Hustensirup; Bronchicum Sekret-Loser!; Bronchicum Tropfen; Bronchipret; Bronchostop; Erkältungssteer; Nontusyl; Perospir; Pleumolysin; Pulmoran; Stomatossan; Thymome!; Urcyston Planta; **Fin.:** Katapekt; **Fr.:** Depurat; Germose; Saugella; Tussiduron; **Ger.:** Hustensaft; Bronchicum Elixir N; Bronchicum Elixir Plus; Bronchicum Elixir S; Bronchicum Plantzilcher!; Bronchicum Sekret-Loser!; Bronchicum Thymian!; Broncum Tropfen N; Bronchipret; Bronchosy N; Brust und Hustentee; Cefadrin; Cito-Gualalin!; Dr Scheffler Bergischer Krauter Tee Husten- und Bronchialtee; Drostisom-N; Em-medical!; Ephepekt-Pastillen H; Equisil N; Eucabalt; Eupatal; **Expectasat N:** Harzer Hustenloser!; Hevertopekt N.

The symbol † denotes a preparation no longer actively marketed

Junisana†; Kinder Em-eukal Hustensaft; Kneipp Husten- und Bronchial-Tee; Lomai†; Makatusin Tropfen; Melisengeste; Muc-Sabona†; Original Schnreckensirup; Phytobronchim; Pulmocordine mite SL†; Prolutin†; Sinuton; Thymipin N; Tussifolin forte†; Tussifolin Hustenstiller†; TUS-Sinfant N; **Hong Kong:** Pectoral; **Hung.:** Bronchipret; **Indon.:** Bronchipret; Codipront cum Expectorant; Jesscock; Pectum; Silex; Thymal; **Israel:** Pilka; **Ital.:** Altea (Specie Composta)†; Broncosed; Broncosedine Immunit Plus; Immunil†; Pinedrin†; Piadermina; Saugella Attiva; Saugella Fitothym; Saugella Polign 7; Sebancod†; Timo (Specie Composta)†; Tussol; **Neth.:** Balsaclass Compositum; Bronchicum; **Philip.:** Bronchipret; **Pol.:** Apf-lejek; Bodobent; Bronchicum Elixir; Bronchicum†; Bronchosol; Dentosept; Dentosept A; Echinatas; Enterol; Hedelicum; Herbapect; Mucus; Neazarina; Pectobanisol; Pectosol; Pinil-Helix; Salviaspet; Saponarex; Suspect; Tymsal; **Port.:** Calmarum†; **Rus.:** Bronchicum (Бронхикум); Bronchicum Husten (Бронхиум Сироп от Каша); Bronchipret (Бронхипрет); Bronchipret TP (Бронхипрет ТП); Codelac Phyto (Коделак Фито); Eucabal (Евакабал); Maraslatin (Мараслатин); Passif (Пасифир); Stopstunn-Fito (Стоптусин-фито); **S.Afr.:** Bronchicough†; Bronchicum†; Cough Elixir; **Spain:** Naturos Asmaten†; Naturos Farino†; Naturos Gripotul†; Naturos Infeno†; Naturos Renal†; Naturos Sinular†; Pilka; Wobenzimflaz; **Switz.:** Bronchofluid N†; Bronchosan Nouvelle formule†; Codipront cum Expectorant; DemoPectol; Dinacode N†; Expectorant Codein†; Expectorant; Liberol Dragees contre la toux†; Liberol Pastilles contre la toux†; Liberol Sirop contre la toux†; Makaphyt Gouttes antitussives; Makaphyt Sirop; Neo-DP†; Nicar; Pectoral N; Pilka†; Strath Gouttes contre la toux; Thymodrosin N†; Tisane pectorale et antitussive; Tisane pectorale pour les enfants; **Thail.:** Solvopet; Solvopen TP; **UK:** Herb and Honey Cough Elixir; **Venez.:** Codebrom; Mixagel†; T-Samag.

#### Thyme Oil

Esencia de Tomillo; Essência de Tomillo; Kakukkūlaj; Keklik Yağı; Öl. Thym; Olejek tymiankowy; Oleum Thymi; Thym, huile essentielle de; Thymi aetheroleum; Thymi Etheroleum; Timjamiölj; Timjanolja; Tomillo, aceite esencial de; Tymianová silice; Vaistinių čiobreliai eterinis aliejus.

**Pharmacopoeias.** In *Eur* (see p.vii).

**Ph. Eur. 6.2** (Thyme Oil). The essential oil obtained by steam distillation from the fresh flowering aerial parts of *Thymus vulgaris*, *T. zygis*, or a mixture of both species. A clear, yellow or very dark reddish-brown, mobile liquid with a characteristic aromatic, spicy odour, reminiscent of thymol. Miscible with dehydrated alcohol and with petroleum spirit. It contains between 36 and 55% of thymol. Store in well-filled, airtight containers at a temperature not exceeding 25°. Protect from light.

#### Profile

Thyme oil is used similarly to thyme (above). It is also used in aromatherapy.

#### Preparations

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Ger.:** Bronchicum Medizinal-Bad†; Fichtensirup N; Penaten; Thymian Erkältungs-Bad.

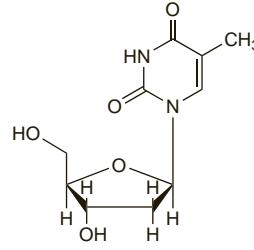
**Multi-ingredient:** **Arg.:** Cuassium; **Austral.:** Efalex†; Tixylix Chest Rub†; Zam-Buk†; **Austria:** Bronchostop; Expectal-Balsam; Heumann's Bronchialtee; Luuf-Hustente; Scottopect; **Belg.:** Perubore; **Canad.:** Efalex†; Chile: Hustagli; **Cz.:** Tussilin; **Fr.:** Acardin†; Balsofumine; Balsofumine Mentholée; Biogazet; Gouttes aux Essences; Nazinette du Docteur Gilbert; Perubore; **Ger.:** Antitussivum Burger N†; Aspecton-Balsam†; Em-eukal†; Heumanns Bronchialtee Solubifix T; Hustig Erkältungs-Balsam†; Medizinische Erkältungs-Bad; Melrosun Medizinabbad†; Nasulin; Pulmotin; Retterspitz Innenlich; Tetecept Badkonzentrat Erkältungs Bad N†; Tetecept Badmedizin Erkältungs Intensiv Bad N†; Gr.: Snuffebabé†; **Ital.:** Altuss; Calyptol; Eskol; Fomentil; Valda Tirma Limone; Vegetallumina; **Nz.:** Efalex; Tixylix Chest Rub; **Pol.:** Argol Essenza Balsamica; Argol Grip; Argol Rheuma; Carmolin; Inhalat; Salviaesp; **Port.:** Ercopal; Vaporil; **Rus.:** Carmolis (Кармолос); Carmolis Fluid (Кармолос Жидкость); **S.Afr.:** Balsem Vita GEEL; Balsem Vita ROOL; Balsem Vita WIT; Oleum Rhinale Nasal Oil; Zam-Buk†; **Span.:** H Tusan; Temosan; **Switz.:** Carmol; Carmol Plus†; Demo pomade contre les refroidissements; Demonar Capsules contre les refroidissements; Dolo-Arthrosinex sine Heparin†; Ecupinol; Frigoplasm†; Fnxo-Dragon Vert†; Liberol Bain†; Liberol N; Makaphyt Baumet†; Nasolob N; Perubore†; Pinimberol Baby†; Pulmex; Sedasept†; Spagyrom; Wolo Bain antrefroidissement; **Thail.:** St Luke's Oil; **Turk.:** Ago-Wax Menstimol; **UK:** Efalex; Nine Rubbing Oils; Snowfire; Snuffebabe; **USA:** Maximum Strength Flexall 454; Unguentine.

#### Thymidine

NSC-21548; Thymine 2-Desoxyriboside; Timidina; Tymidyna. I-(2-Deoxy- $\beta$ -D-ribofuranosyl)-5-methyluracil; I-(2-Deoxy- $\beta$ -D-ribofuranosyl)-2,3,4-tetrahydro-5-methylpyrimidine-2,4-dione.

Timidin

$C_{10}H_{14}N_2O_5 = 242.2$ .  
CAS — 50-89-5.



The symbol † denotes a substance whose use may be restricted in certain sports (see p.vii)

#### Profile

Thymidine is an endogenous thymine nucleoside involved in many biological processes; it is one of the components of nucleic acids (p.235). It was formerly given by intravenous infusion to modulate the toxicity of methotrexate but is not considered to be a substitute for calcium folinate; it may also have an antineoplastic action of its own.

Thymidine is given topically with other nucleosides in preparations for the treatment of corneal damage.

#### Preparations

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Multi-ingredient:** **Belg.:** Vitacic; **Hung.:** Vitacic†; **Mon.:** Vitacic; **Rus.:** Vitacic (Витасик).

#### Thymus Hormones

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CAS — 69558-55-0 (thymopentin); 60529-76-2 (thymopoietin); 63340-72-7 (thymic humoral factor).

#### Profile

The thymus gland controls the development of T-lymphocytes and thereby plays a central role in cell-mediated immunity and the regulation of immune responses. Several polypeptides characterised in the thymus or serum are able to induce lymphocyte differentiation *in vitro* and *in vivo*. They include: thymosin fraction 5, a crude thymus gland extract; thymalfasin (p.2400); thymosin beta 4; thymic humoral factor (THF), isolated from crude thymic extract dialysate; nonathymulin (thymulin, serum thymic factor, Facteur Thymique Sérique, FTS), a synthetic nonapeptide; thymomodulin, a partially purified extract from calf thymus; thymogene A, extracted from calf thymus; thymoprotein, a polypeptide of known amino acid sequence; thymopentin (thymopoietin pentapeptide, TP-5), a fragment of thymoprotein with 5 amino acids; and thymostimulin (TP-1), extracted from calf thymus.

Various preparations, including crude extracts from calf thymus gland, thymomodulin, thymopentin, and thymostimulin have been tried as immunomodulators in numerous conditions including rheumatoid arthritis, diabetes mellitus, immunodeficiency disorders, skin disorders, malignant neoplasms, and some infections.

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#### Preparations

**Proprietary Preparations** (details are given in Part 3)

**Arg.:** Leucotrofin; **Austral.:** Thymunes; **Braz.:** Leucogen; **Cz.:** TP-1†; **Ger.:** Thym-Uvocal; Thymo-Glanduretten†; Thymoject; Thymophysin; Thymowid; **Ital.:** Sintomodulin.

**Multi-ingredient:** **Austria:** Wobe-Mugos; **Cz.:** Wobe-Mugos†.

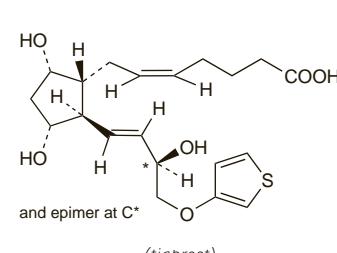
#### Tiaprost Trometamol (BANM, rINNM)

Tiaprost Trometamol; Tiaprostum Trometamolum. Trometamol salt of ( $\pm$ )(Z)-7-[(1R,2R,3R,5S)-3,5-dihydroxy-2-[(E)-(3RS)-3-hydroxy-4-(3-thienyl)oxy]but-1-enyl]cyclopentyl]hept-5-enioic acid.

Tiaprost Trometamol

$C_{20}H_{18}O_6S.C_4H_11NO_3 = 517.6$ .

CAS — 71116-82-0 (tiaprost).



#### Profile

Tiaprost trometamol is a synthetic analogue of dinoprost (progstaglandin F<sub>2</sub>). It is used as a luteolytic in veterinary medicine.