

ADME NTP Study S0084 4-Vinylcyclohexene

The contract laboratory used the abbreviation VCH for the test article.

4-Vinylcyclohexene diepoxyde (CASRN 106-87-6), abbreviated VCD, was also studied.

Sex/Species: adult female F344 rats and B6C3F1 mice (for both studies).

Vehicles: oral, not specified; dermal, acetone.

VCH CASRN 100-40-3

Radiolabeled VCH with carbon-14 in the ethylene moiety; [¹⁴C]4-Vinylcyclohexene

Radiolabeled VCD with carbon-14 in the ethylene moiety; [¹⁴C]4-Vinylcyclohexene

diepoxyde

Studies Performed:

- Single oral gavage administration of 400 mg/kg 4-vinylcyclohexene (VCH) to fasted rats and mice with sacrifice 48 hours (hr) postdose.
- Single dermal administration of 50 mg/rat or 5 mg/mouse 4-vinylcyclohexene diepoxyde (VCD) to rats and mice with covered dose site and sacrifice 24 hours (hr) postdose. Both these doses approximate 250 mg/kg.

These studies investigated species difference in the susceptibility of ovarian tumors induced by VCH and its metabolite VCD.

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Table 1

Cumulative Percentage of Dose Excreted (as total ^{14}C) by
Mice at Various Time After Administration of VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)^a

Route	0.5 hr	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
	n = 6	n = 6	n = 4	n = 4	n = 6	n = 3
Urine			22.15 \pm 5.57	27.78 \pm 16.67	58.66 \pm 4.45	60.63 \pm 1.90
Expired Air	4.64 \pm 1.21	12.53 \pm 3.44	27.68 \pm 7.01	32.03 \pm 7.43	29.40 \pm 4.54	28.06 \pm 6.48
Feces ^b		1.91 \pm 0.51	2.29 \pm 0.22	2.68 \pm 0.84	3.20 \pm 2.80	1.92 \pm 0.32
Recovery ^c					96.92 \pm 3.80	90.81 \pm 7.67

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation.

^b Includes intestinal contents.

^c Recovery includes ^{14}C remaining in tissues.

Table 2

Cumulative Percentage of Dose Excreted (as total ^{14}C) by
Rats at Various Times after Administration of VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)^a

<u>Route</u>	<u>0.5 hr</u> n = 3	<u>1 hr</u> n = 3	<u>4 hr</u> n = 3	<u>8 hr</u> n = 3	<u>24 hr</u> n = 6	<u>48 hr</u> n = 3
Urine			4.16 ± 1.53	12.26 ± 3.39	28.38 ± 5.38	41.95 ± 9.22
Expired Air		0.76 ± 0.15	13.36 ± 1.00	28.91 ± 1.08	33.90 ± 4.71	34.61 ± 4.59
Feces ^b					5.61 ± 0.95	4.22 ± 1.81
Recovery ^c						79.12 ± 12.55

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation.

^b Includes intestinal contents.

^c Expired air only collected only for the 48 hour animals. Recovery includes ^{14}C remaining in tissues.

Table 3
Effect of Time on the Percentage of Dose (as total ^{14}C) in Tissues of

	Mice Administered VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.) ^a				
	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Blood	0.57 ± 0.09	0.45 ± 0.08	0.30 ± 0.10	0.04 --- ^b	0.03 ± 0.00
Brain	0.20 ± 0.10	0.14 ± 0.02	0.07 ± 0.04	0.01 ± 0.00	0.01 ± 0.00
Adipose	3.89 ± 1.77	2.52 ± 1.84	1.17 ± 0.73	0.06 ± 0.02	0.06 ± 0.01
Kidney	0.47 ± 0.07	0.35 ± 0.08	0.22 ± 0.07	0.02 ± 0.00	0.01 ± 0.00
Large Intestine	0.35 ± 0.05	0.52 ± 0.16	0.36 ± 0.17	0.03 ± 0.01	0.01 ± 0.01
Liver	1.57 ± 0.68	1.18 ± 0.33	0.74 ± 0.28	0.19 ± 0.05	0.09 ± 0.01
Lung	0.11 ± 0.01	0.07 ± 0.02	0.03 ± 0.01	0.01 ± 0.00	0.00 ± 0.00
Muscle	4.82 ± 1.44	3.12 ± 0.70	2.13 ± 0.75	0.30 ± 0.29	0.11 ± 0.01
Skin	2.79 ± 0.72	1.38 ± 0.59	1.06 ± 0.60	N.D. ^c	0.04 ± 0.01
Small Intestine	2.89 ± 1.11	1.59 ± 0.74	0.79 ± 0.29	0.07 ± 0.03	0.05 ± 0.01
Spleen	0.03 ± 0.00	0.03 ± 0.01	0.01 ± 0.01	0.01 ± 0.01	0.00 ± 0.00
Stomach	6.03 ± 2.27	2.68 ± 1.32	0.45 ± 0.57	0.07 ± 0.03	0.05 ± 0.01
	n = 3	n = 4	n = 4	n = 3	n = 3

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation

^b n = 2

^c Not determined

Table 4
Effect of Time on the Concentration (nmol ^{14}C VCH Equivalents per mg Tissue)
In Tissues of Mice Administered VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)^a

	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Blood	0.26 \pm 0.04	0.22 \pm 0.03	0.15 \pm 0.05	0.02 --- ^b	0.02 \pm 0.00
Brain	0.33 \pm 0.15	0.25 \pm 0.03	0.13 \pm 0.06	0.03 \pm 0.02	0.01 \pm 0.00
Adipose	1.40 \pm 0.77	1.01 \pm 0.65	0.45 \pm 0.29	0.02 \pm 0.01	0.02 \pm 0.00
Kidney	1.10 \pm 0.11	0.93 \pm 0.16	0.67 \pm 0.23	0.05 \pm 0.01	0.04 \pm 0.00
Large Intestine	0.93 \pm 0.22	1.38 \pm 0.40	1.37 \pm 0.63	0.08 \pm 0.03	0.06 \pm 0.02
Liver	1.37 \pm 0.85	0.93 \pm 0.20	0.67 \pm 0.23	0.15 \pm 0.02	0.10 \pm 0.01
Lung	0.50 \pm 0.08	0.29 \pm 0.03	0.25 \pm 0.08	0.04 \pm 0.01	0.03 \pm 0.00
Muscle	0.40 \pm 0.12	0.29 \pm 0.05	0.18 \pm 0.06	0.03 \pm 0.02	0.01 \pm 0.00
Skin	0.73 \pm 0.22	0.33 \pm 0.16	0.28 \pm 0.16	N.D. ^c	0.01 \pm 0.00
Small Intestine	2.85 \pm 1.21	1.74 \pm 0.62	0.93 \pm 0.27	0.10 \pm 0.04	0.05 \pm 0.01
Spleen	0.35 \pm 0.05	0.29 \pm 0.06	0.24 \pm 0.03	0.04 \pm 0.00	0.04 \pm 0.00
Stomach	26.50 \pm 9.43	15.38 \pm 5.18	3.31 \pm 2.96	0.06 \pm 0.03	0.07 \pm 0.03
	n = 3	n = 4	n = 4	n = 3	n = 3

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation.

^b n = 2

^c Not determined

Table 5
Effect of Time on the Percentage of Dose (as total ^{14}C) in Tissues
of Rats Administered VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)

	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Blood	0.76 \pm 0.08 ^a	0.65 \pm 0.14	0.63 \pm 0.09	0.35 \pm 0.15	0.17 \pm 0.02
Brain	0.09 \pm 0.02	0.09 \pm 0.04	0.05 \pm 0.01	0.02 \pm 0.01	0.01 \pm 0.00
Adipose	2.04 \pm 0.17	9.27 \pm 3.29	8.86 \pm 3.09	3.43 \pm 2.53	1.44 \pm 0.70
Kidney	0.16 \pm 0.03	0.21 \pm 0.05	0.19 \pm 0.03	0.07 \pm 0.01	0.02 \pm 0.00
Large Intestine	0.20 \pm 0.20	0.51 \pm 0.31	0.28 \pm 0.09	0.09 \pm 0.03	0.02 \pm 0.01
Liver	0.98 \pm 0.08	0.89 \pm 0.25	0.70 \pm 0.04	0.28 \pm 0.00	0.09 \pm 0.02
Lung	0.08 \pm 0.02	0.08 \pm 0.05	0.05 \pm 0.01	0.02 \pm 0.02	0.00 \pm 0.00
Muscle	3.02 \pm 0.55	3.44 \pm 0.70	3.55 \pm 0.59	1.05 \pm 0.54	0.30 \pm 0.04
Skin	2.31 \pm 0.66	3.46 \pm 0.86	6.27 \pm 3.68	1.14 \pm 0.47	0.17 \pm 0.05
Small Intestine	2.31 \pm 0.27	2.69 \pm 1.51	1.32 \pm 1.05	0.19 \pm 0.13	0.04 \pm 0.01
Spleen	0.03 \pm 0.02	0.03 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00	0.00 \pm 0.00
Stomach	2.89 \pm 0.20	0.68 \pm 0.32	0.12 \pm 0.06	0.04 \pm 0.00	0.01 \pm 0.00
	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation.

Table 6

Effect of Time on the Concentration (nmole ^{14}C -VCH Equivalents per mg Tissue)

In Tissues of Rats Administered VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)

	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Blood	$0.31 \pm 0.03^{\text{a}}$	0.27 ± 0.06	0.26 ± 0.04	0.14 ± 0.06	0.07 ± 0.01
Brain	0.40 ± 0.06	0.40 ± 0.12	0.21 ± 0.03	0.080 ± 0.04	0.02 ± 0.00
Adipose	1.08 ± 0.09	4.90 ± 1.74	4.68 ± 1.63	1.81 ± 1.34	0.76 ± 0.37
Kidney	0.81 ± 0.14	1.08 ± 0.25	0.94 ± 0.10	0.36 ± 0.05	0.07 ± 0.01
Large Intestine	0.70 ± 0.60	2.08 ± 1.11	1.22 ± 0.53	0.39 ± 0.13	0.06 ± 0.02
Liver	1.18 ± 0.09	1.20 ± 0.41	0.82 ± 0.04	0.27 ± 0.00	0.09 ± 0.01
Lung	0.57 ± 0.15	0.49 ± 0.30	0.32 ± 0.08	0.12 ± 0.04	0.03 ± 0.00
Muscle	0.22 ± 0.04	0.25 ± 0.05	0.26 ± 0.04	0.08 ± 0.04	0.02 ± 0.00
Skin	0.53 ± 0.15	1.02 ± 0.20	1.18 ± 1.05	0.26 ± 0.11	0.04 ± 0.01
Small Intestine	4.18 ± 0.35	5.04 ± 2.63	2.41 ± 1.66	0.41 ± 0.28	0.12 ± 0.03
Spleen	0.49 ± 0.30	0.41 ± 0.05	0.24 ± 0.06	0.10 ± 0.03	0.04 ± 0.01
Stomach	14.66 ± 2.39	4.37 ± 2.22	1.50 ± 0.84	0.25 ± 0.08	0.06 ± 0.01
	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation.

Table 7
**Effect of Time on the Percentage of Dose (as total ^{14}C) in the
Ovaries of Rats and Mice Administered VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)**

	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Rat Ovary	$0.0096 \pm 0.0017^{\text{a}}$	0.0184 ± 0.0104	0.0145 ± 0.0028	0.0027 ± 0.0028	0.0009 ± 0.0002
	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3
Mouse Ovary	0.0304 ± 0.0044	0.0254 ± 0.0142	0.0081 ± 0.0040	0.0005 ± 0.0002	0.0008 ± 0.0001
	n = 3	n = 4	n = 4	n = 3	n = 3

^a Data presented as mean \pm standard deviation.

Table 8

**Effect of Tome on the Concentration (nmol 14C-VCH Equivalents per mg Tissue) In the
Ovaries of Rats and Mice Administered VCH (400 mg/kg p.o.)**

	1 hr	4 hr	8 hr	24 hr	48 hr
Rat Ovary	0.72 ± 0.09a	1.28 ± 0.62	1.00 ± 0.12	0.21 ± 0.09	0.07 ± 0.03
	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3	n = 3
Mouse Ovary	1.10 ± 0.35	1.18 ± 0.58	0.34 ± 0.22	0.08 ± 0.03	0.04 ± 0.01
	n = 3	n = 4	n = 4	n = 3	n = 3

a Data presented as mean ± standard deviation.

VCD Table 1

**Elimination of Radioactivity in 24 hr Following
Dermal Administration of ^{14}C -Vinylcyclohexene Diepoxyde ^a
to Female B6C3F1 Mice**

Sample Analyzed	Percentage of Applied Dose
Urine	19.82 +/- 3.43 ^b
Feces	1.62 +/- 0.83
Expired CO ₂	1.81 +/- 0.28
Depot	67.03 +/- 3.96
Cage Wash	1.10 +/- 0.69
Tissues	5.54 +/- 2.12
Recovery	97.09 +/- 4.81

^a Dose: 5 mg/mouse (approximately 250 mg/kg).

^b Means +/- SD of five animals.

VCD Table 2

**Elimination of Radioactivity in 24 hr Following
Dermal Administration of ^{14}C -Vinylcyclohexene Diepoxyde ^a
to Female Fischer 344 Rats**

Sample Analyzed	Percentage of Applied Dose
Urine	17.29 +/- 0.46 ^b
Feces	3.86 +/- 2.43
Expired CO ₂	1.17 +/- 0.15
Depot	72.37 +/- 5.49
Cage Wash	0.71 +/- 0.28
Tissues	4.78 +/- 1.00
Recovery	100.23 +/- 5.86

^a Dose: 50 mg/rat (approximately 250 mg/kg).

^b Means +/- SD of four animals.

VCD Table 3

**Distribution of Radioactivity in Female B6C3F1 Mice at
24 hr Following Dermal Administration of
14C-Vinylcyclohexene Diepoxyde a**

	% of Dose	<u>nmol 14C VCD-equivalents</u> gm Tissue	T/B b
Blood	0.34 +/- 0.09c	83.0 +/- 19.8	1.00
Brain	0.09 +/- 0.02	74.3 +/- 12.4	0.92 +/- 0.17
Fat	0.52 +/- 0.15	98.6 +/- 25.6	1.20 +/- 0.17
GI Contents	0.20 +/- 0.08	-----f	-----f
Heart	0.02 +/- 0.02	62.7 +/- 10.3	0.77 +/- 0.14
Kidney	0.06 +/- 0.01	62.5 +/- 7.2	0.77 +/- 0.14
Large Intestine	0.07 +/- 0.01	66.1 +/- 12.2	0.81 +/- 0.11
Liver	0.41 +/- 0.11	122.8 +/- 20.5	1.56 +/- 0.35
Lung	0.04 +/- 0.01	77.9 +/- 8.8	0.99 +/- 0.19
Muscle	0.95 +/- 0.09	39.8 +/- 3.7	0.51 +/- 0.13
Ovary	0.01 +/- 0.00	222.7 +/- 73.6	2.79 +/- 0.95
Skin	0.36 +/- 0.10	46.6 +/- 10.2	0.57 +/- 0.08
Skin Site ^d	1.39 +/- 1.31	-----f	-----f
Small Intestine	0.19 +/- 0.02	75.4 +/- 4.0	0.96 +/- 0.31
Spleen	0.02 +/- 0.01	94.2 +/- 19.1	1.16 +/- 0.40
Stomach	0.03 +/- 0.01	56.8 +/- 6.3	0.76 +/- 0.15
Thymus	0.01 +/- 0.01	130.4 +/- 37.0	1.61 +/- 0.40
Total	4.69 +/- 0.98		

a Dose: 5 mg/mouse (approximately 250 mg/kg).

b Ratio 14C in tissue to 14C in blood.

c Mean +/- SD of four animals.

d Percentage of dose remaining at the site of application 24 hr after administration.

f Not calculated.

VCD Table 4

**Distribution of Radioactivity in Female Fischer 344 Rats
at 24 hr Following Dermal Administration of
¹⁴C-Vinylcyclohexene Diepoxide a**

	% of Dose	nmol ¹⁴ C VCD-equivalents gm Tissue	T/B b
Blood	0.27 +/- 0.05 ^c	58.7 +/- 11.1	1.00
Brain	0.03 +/- 0.01	61.2 +/- 10.6	1.06 +/- 0.23
Fat	0.13 +/- 0.08	36.0 +/- 22.9	0.58 +/- 0.32
GI Contents	0.39 +/- 0.18	-----f	-----f
Heart	0.01 +/- 0.01	29.3 +/- 2.0	0.50 +/- 0.06
Kidney	0.03 +/- 0.01	83.3 +/- 14.0	1.46 +/- 0.40
Large Intestine	0.03 +/- 0.01	84.1 +/- 28.7	1.44 +/- 0.50
Liver	0.11 +/- 0.01	70.2 +/- 8.2	1.22 +/- 0.24
Lung	0.01 +/- 0.00	43.4 +/- 1.5	0.76 +/- 0.14
Muscle	0.44 +/- 0.03	17.2 +/- 1.6	0.30 +/- 0.06
Ovary	0.00 +/- 0.00	31.5 +/- 7.3	0.54 +/- 0.12
Skin	0.21 +/- 0.05	25.9 +/- 6.1	0.47 +/- 0.18
Skin Sited	3.06 +/- 1.10	-----f	-----f
Small Intestine	0.04 +/- 0.03	59.4 +/- 23.0	1.01 +/- 0.33
Spleen	0.00 +/- 0.01	40.4 +/- 4.7	0.70 +/- 0.12
Stomach	0.01 +/- 0.01	28.8 +/- 4.2	0.50 +/- 0.10
Thymus	0.00 +/- 0.00	34.5 +/- 1.6	0.60 +/- 0.12
Total		4.78 +/- 1.00	

a Dose: 50 mg/rat (approximately 250 mg/kg).

b Ratio ¹⁴C in tissue to ¹⁴C in blood.

c Mean +/- SD of four animals.

d Percentage of dose remaining at the site of application 24 hr after administration.

f Not calculated.