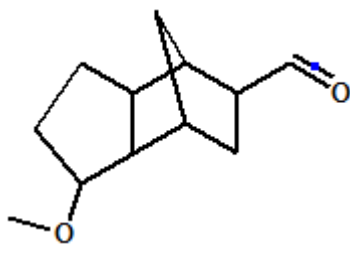


**Methoxy dicyclopentadiene carboxaldehyde (Scentenal)**

<b>CAS N°:</b>	86803-90-9	<b>Empirical formula:</b>	C <sub>12</sub> H <sub>18</sub> O <sub>2</sub>
		<b>Structure:</b>	
<b>Synonyms:</b>	4,7-Methano-1H-indene-2-carboxaldehyde, octahydro-5-methoxy 8-Methoxytricyclo[5.2.2.1]decane-4-carboxaldehyde Scentenal		

<b>History:</b>	<b>Initial reviews:</b>	May 1998, May 2007 (42nd Amendment)		
	<b>Current revision date:</b>	2008		
	<b>Implementation date:</b>	<b>For new submissions*:</b>	August 16, 2008	
		<b>For existing fragrance compounds*:</b>	August 16, 2010	
	<b>Next review date</b>	2013		

\* This date applies to the supply of fragrance compounds (formulas) only, not to the finished products in the marketplace.

**RECOMMENDATION:**
**RESTRICTED**
**RESTRICTIONS:**

<b>Limits in the finished product:</b>			
Category 1 See Note box (1)	0.1 %	Category 7	0.4 %
Category 2	0.2 %	Category 8	0.5 %
Category 3	0.5 %	Category 9	0.5 %
Category 4	0.5 %	Category 10	0.5 %
Category 5	0.5 %	Category 11	See Note Box (2)
Category 6	3.6 %		
<b>Note box:</b>			
<p>For this material, for pragmatic reasons, restrictive levels allowed by the QRA for certain categories but actually being higher than those already in place before applying the QRA, will temporarily not be implemented until the end of a 5 year monitoring phase. At the end of the 5 years the position will be reevaluated again.</p> <p>(1) IFRA would recommend that any material used to impart perfume or flavour in products intended for human ingestion should consist of ingredients that are in compliance with appropriate regulations for foods and food flavourings in the countries of planned distribution and, where these are lacking, with the recommendations laid down in the Code of Practice of IOFI (International Organisation of the Flavor Industry) <a href="http://www.iofiorg.org/">http://www.iofiorg.org/</a></p> <p>(2) Category 11 includes all non-skin contact or incidental skin contact products. Due to the negligible skin contact from these types of products there is no justification for a restriction of the concentration of this fragrance ingredient in the finished product.</p>			
<b>Fragrance material specifications:</b>		N/A	

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**CONTRIBUTION FROM OTHER SOURCES:**

None to consider (see also the note on contributions from other sources in the **Introduction to the IFRA Standards**).

**CRITICAL EFFECT: SENSITIZATION**

**RIFM SUMMARIES:**

Methoxy dicyclopentadiene carboxaldehyde - Sensitization Potency Estimation Based on Weight of Evidence

LLNA weighted mean EC3 values ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ ) [no. studies]	Potency Classification Based on Animal Data <sup>2</sup>	Human Data			WoE NESIL <sup>3</sup> ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ )
		NOEL – HRIPT (induction) ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ )	NOEL – HMT (induction) ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ )	LOEL <sup>1</sup> (induction) ( $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ )	
>2500	Weak	5000 (DEP)	NA	NA	5000

NOEL = No observed effect level; HRIPT = Human Repeat Insult Patch Test; MAX = Human Maximization Test;

LOEL = lowest observed effect level; NA = Not Available

<sup>1</sup> Data derived from HRIPT or Human Max Test

<sup>2</sup> Gerberick *et al.*, 2001

<sup>3</sup> WoE NESIL limited to two significant figures

**REXPAN RATIONALE / CONCLUSION:**

The RIFM Expert Panel reviewed the critical effect data for methoxy dicyclopentadiene carboxaldehyde and, based on the weight of evidence, established the No Expected Sensitization Induction Level (NESIL) as 5000  $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ . They recommend the limits for the 11 different product categories, which are the acceptable use levels of methoxy dicyclopentadiene carboxaldehyde in the various product categories. These were derived from the application of the exposure-based quantitative risk assessment approach for fragrance ingredients, which is detailed in the QRA Expert Group Technical Dossier of June 22, 2006.

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