



# LKT Laboratories, Inc.

## Dehydroepiandrosterone

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### Product Information

Product ID D1629

CAS No. 53-43-0

Chemical Name (3 $\beta$ )-3-Hydroxyandrost-5-en-17-one

Synonym Prasterone, DHEA, Dehydroepiandrosterone

Formula  $C_{19}H_{28}O_2$

Formula Wt. 288.42

Melting Point 149-151 °C

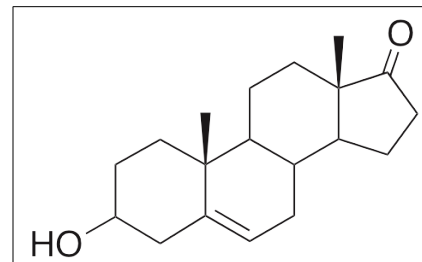
Purity  $\geq 98\%$

Solubility Soluble in ethanol or DMSO.  
Insoluble in water.

Store Temp Ambient

Ship Temp Ambient

**Description** Dehydroepiandrosterone (DHEA) is an endogenous steroid hormone produced in the adrenal glands, gonads, and brain; it is an intermediate in the synthesis of estrogens and androgens. DHEA exhibits neuroprotective, cognition enhancing, anti-androgenic, anticancer, anti-metastatic, antiepileptic/anticonvulsant, anti-asthma, antacid, and anti-ulcerative activities. DHEA enhances working memory and cognition in clinical settings. DHEA acts as a partial agonist at androgen receptors and ER $\alpha$  receptors, as a full agonist at ER $\beta$  receptors, NMDA receptors, and  $\sigma 1$  receptors, and an antagonist at GABA-A receptors. Additionally, DHEA binds PPAR $\alpha$ , pregnane X receptors (PXR), and CXRs. In cellular models of cervical cancer, DHEA inhibits cell proliferation, migration, and adhesion. This compound's antiepileptic activity potentially occurs through increasing expression of various glutamate transporters. In bronchial epithelial cells, DHEA inhibits the epithelial-to-mesenchymal transition (EMT), decreases levels of  $\alpha$ -SMA, and increases levels of E-cadherin; it also displays bronchodilatory benefit in vivo. In other animal models, this compound decreases gastric acid secretion, lipid peroxidation, and ulcer formation. TEST!!!!!!



### Pricing and Availability

**Bulk quantities available upon request**

Product ID	Size	List Price
D1629	5 g	\$65.30
D1629	25 g	\$266.90
D1629	100 g	\$791.20

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**Caution:** This product is intended for laboratory and research use only. It is not for human or drug use.