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Oncogenicity §83-2

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TEST MATERIAL: Naptalam

Alanap, N-1-naphthylphthalamic acid

STUDY NUMBER: 399-002b

Uniroyal Chemical SPONSOR:

TESTING FACILITY: IRDC, Mattawan, MI

TITLE OF REPORT: Lifetime Carcinogenicity Study in Mice

<u>AUTHOR(S)</u>: [not indicated]

REPORT ISSUED: August 24, 1982

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: In a 84 week carcinogenicity study (MRID No. 119003), Naptalam was administered in the feed to 50 male and 50 female Charles River CD-1 mice at concentrations of 50, 2500, or 5000 ppm (males - 8, 376 or 737 mg/kg/day and females - 9, 437, or 870 mg/kg/day). The control group had 75 mice/sex.

Naptalam seemed to have affected the survival rate of the female 2500 ppm dose group because it was significantly lower when compared to the controls (48% vs 24%). Statistically significant reductions in body weights were observed during week 26 (50 ppm males and 5000 ppm females), week 38 (5000 ppm females), and week 62 (5000 ppm females). response relationships or trends were evident in any of the body weight changes. No treatment-related effects were noted in food consumption or food efficiency in the test groups relative to controls.

The only treatment-related gross pathology finding was pink/reddish discoloration of the urine. Compound-related microscopic liver changes were noted in the 2500 and 5000 ppm dose groups. The liver changes were hypertrophy of the centrilobular parenchymal cells with the males having higher incidences than females. It occurred in 20 males and 3 females of the 5000 ppm dose group, and in 25 males and 2 females of the 2500 dose No effects were seen in the 50 ppm dose group. Amyloidosis occurred in many tissues of Naptalam treated and control animals; this was a commonly occurring condition for Charles River CD-1 mice during the early 1980's and it was not considered to be treatment-related.

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No statistically significant changes were noted in the incidence of tumor types for the treated groups when compared with the control group. The liver hepatocellular carcinomas did not display a dose-response, but the incidence (3, 4, 2 and 10% for the control, low, mid and high dose groups, respectively) was higher in the high dose group males compared to controls. The malignant lymphomas noted in the male 5000 ppm dose group had a higher incidence than the control group (10% vs 4%, respectively). Both of these findings may be compound-related even though they did not reach statistical significance. In females, the incidence of lung adenomas was 10/74 (13.5%), 3/50 (6%), 2/50 (4%) and 12/50 (24%) for the control, low, mid, and high dose groups, respectively and 1 adenocarcinoma (13/50 or 26%).

TOXII has concluded that the MTD was achieved. At the dose levels tested, Naptalam might have some carcinogenic potential in mice based on the increased incidence of tumors in the high dose groups.

The Systemic NOEL is equal to 50 ppm (8-males & 9-females mg/kg/day) and the systemic LOEL is 2500 ppm (376-males & 437-females mg/kg/day) based on the decreased body weight gain in both sexes and liver hypertrophy of the centrilobular parenchymal cells in males.

The study is <u>Core Supplementary</u> and does not satisfy the guideline requirements for a §83-2 carcinogenicity study in mice.

#### I. MATERIALS

- A. <u>Test compound</u>: Alanap technical, Lot No. C3199300, Description: pale lavender, chunky material. Purity not reported.
- B. <u>Test animals</u>: Species Mouse; Strain Charles River CD-1; Age 6 weeks at study initiation; Weight Males, 23-34 g and Females, 19-30 g at study initiation; Source Charles River breeding Laboratories, Inc. North Wilmingtion, Mass.
- C. Mice were individually housed in suspended wire-mesh cages and held in a temperature, relative humidity and light controlled room.
- D. Animals received food Purina Laboratory Chow® from week 1 through week 80 and then Rodent Laboratory Chow® #5001 from week 81 through 84 and water ad libitum.
- E. <u>Statistics</u>: The statistical procedures utilized in the study are listed in Attachment I.
- F. Signed Quality Assurance and GLP Compliance statements, dated July 27, 1982 was presented.

#### G. STUDY DESIGN:

- 1. <u>Selection of dietary levels</u>: No justification was found in the study report for the dietary concentrations.
- 2. <u>Animal assignment</u>: Animals were assigned using a computergenerated randomization procedure to the following test groups:

	Dietary	Main Study 84 Weeks			
Test Group	Concentration (ppm)	Males	Females		
Control*	0	75	75		
Low (LDT)	50	50	50		
Mid (MDT)	2500	50	50		
High (HDT)	5000	50	50		

<sup>\*</sup> Shared control group with another study performed at IRDC, study number 399-002a. Study was initiated on 5-20-77 and terminated on 12-29-78 because the mid-dose females survival rate approached 20%.

The test material was administered continuously in the diet for 84 weeks.

3. <u>Diet preparation</u>: Test diets were prepared using a premix of known concentration which contained both the basal diet and

the test material. The diets were mixed using a Hobert mixer. The study report does not specify if the diets were prepared weekly or how they were stored prior to use. Samples of the diets were taken on 0 and 7 days at 3 months intervals.

Results: Homogeneity was not checked during the study and it could not be determined if stability of the test material was checked prior to the start of the study. The study report gives analyses of the diets for weeks 15, 27, 39, 53, 66, 78, Concentrations of the test diets were within and 84. acceptable ranges for the 2500 and 5000 ppm dose groups; actual concentrations from ranged 73₺ to 118% of concentrations. However, the analyses of the 50 ppm dose group showed large discrepancies in this concentration. The 50 ppm diet contained approximately 490 ppm at week 15. reviewer assumes that for at least the first 15 weeks on test the low dose was receiving a dose close to 500 ppm and not 50 ppm since the first analysis wasn't performed until week 15.] At week 22 the problem was corrected and the diet contained approximately 56 ppm. However during the weeks of 66, 72, and 78 the levels were higher again (73-85 ppm).

#### II. <u>METHODS AND RESULTS</u>

A. <u>Observations</u>: Animals were inspected three times daily for clinical signs of toxicity and mortality. Furthermore, animals were subjected to detailed physical examinations weekly to detect palpable masses.

Results: No treatment-related clinical signs of toxicity were noted in the 50 ppm dose group. Some of the 2500 and 5000 ppm dose animals exhibited light pink to red urine during the first week on study. By the end of the study all of the mid and high dose animals had pink colored urine. Some of the signs noted during the study were: lacrimation, tremors, labored breathing, and abnormal gait. Mortality is summarized below.

The compound seemed to have affected the survival rate of the female 2500 ppm dose group because it was significantly lower when compared to the controls. Also, the overall female survival rate was slightly lower than males for all treatment groups (see below).

	Percent Surviv	val at week 50	Percent Surviv	al at Week 62	Percent Survival at Week 84		
Dose level (ppm)	male	female	male	female	male	female	
0	97 (73/75)	93 (70/75)	84 (63/75)	87 (65/75)	49 (37/75)	48 (36/75)	
50	94 (47/50)	100 (50/50)	78 (39/50)	94 (47/50)	56 (28/50)	40 (20/50)	
2500	98 (49/50)	96 (48/50)	86 (43/50)	72 (36/50)	66 (33/50)	24* (12/50)	
5000	98 (49/50)	96 (48/50)	70 (35/50)	72 (36/50)	42 (21/50)	36 (18/50)	

(data was extracted from Table 1, pg 23 and statistics were not performed on week 62.)

<sup>\* =</sup> significantly lower than the control group (p < 0.05).

B. <u>Body weight</u>: Animals were weighed at study initiation, once weekly for the first 14 weeks, every two weeks for the next 12 weeks and once every 4 weeks for the remainder of the study.

Results: Mean body weights and mean body weight gains are summarized in Tables 1 and 2, respectively. Statistically significant reductions in body weights were observed during week 26 (50 ppm males and 5000 ppm females), week 38 (5000 ppm females), and week 62 (5000 ppm females). No dose response relationships or trends were evident in any of the above changes. A decrease in body weight gain was noted at the 13-week time point in all treated groups of the male and the mid- and high dose groups of female rats. Similar decreases were also seen in all treated male and female groups at the 26-week time point (see Table 2).

Week	0		5	50		2500		00
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0	28	24	28	24	28	25	27	25
13	37	31	36	31	36	31	35	31
26	38	33	37**	32	37	33	36	32**
50	37	34	38	35	38**	35*	38**	35
84	37	35	38	35	39	36	37	35

Table 1: Mean Body Weights (g) at Selected Intervals

(Data were extracted from Tables 2 and 3, pgs 24 & 25.)

Table 2: Mean Body Weight Gains (g) at Selected Intervals

Week		Ma	iles		Females				
PPM	0	50	2500	5000	0	50	2500	5000	
0-13	9	8	8	8	7	7	6	6	
% of control	-	89	89	89	-	100	86	86	
0-26	10	9	9	9	9	8	8	7	
% of control	-	90	90	90	-	89	89	78	
0-50	9	10	10	11	10	11	10	10	
% of control	-	111	111	122	-	110	100	100	
0-84	9	10	11	10	11	11	11	10	
% of control	•	111.	122	111	-	100	100	91	

(Data were extracted from Tables 2 and 3, pgs 24 & 25.)

<sup>\* =</sup> Significantly different from controls (p < 0.05).

<sup>\*\* =</sup> Significantly different from controls (p<0.01).

Food consumption and compound intake: Food consumption was determined once weekly for the first 14 weeks, every two weeks for the next 12 weeks and once every 4 weeks for the remainder of the study.

Food consumption data are summarized in Table 3. treatment-related effects were noted in food consumption or food efficiency in the test groups relative to controls. statistically significant decreases were noted in the 2500 and 5000 ppm females, but due to the lack of a dose-response these were considered to be of little biological significance. The mean daily dosages in mg/kg/day were approximately 0, 8, 376 and 737 for males and 0, 9, 437, and 870 for females from the control, low-, mid-, and high-dose groups, respectively.

Week	Q		50		2500		5000	
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1-13	5.3	6.2	5.6	5.9	5.5	5.4**	5.2	5.5**
14-26	5.2	6.0	5.6	6.1	5.7	6.1	5.6	5.9
30-50	5.6	5.9	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.2	5.3
54-74	4.5	4.7	4.5	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.4	4.7
78-82	5.5	5.7	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.4	5.2	5.4
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Table 3: t-Test Comparison between Means in Food Consumption (g/mouse/day)

(Data was extracted from Table 4, pg 27.)

D. Hematology analysis: Blood was collected from the retro-orbital sinus from five mice/sex/group at 3, 6, 12 and 18 months of the study for hematology analysis. The CHECKED (X) parameters were examined.

#### **Hematology:**

X Hematocrit (HCT) \*

X Hemoglobin (HGB) \*

X Erythrocyte count\*

X Leukocyte count\*

Platelet count\*

Reticulocyte count (RETIC)

Red cell morphology

Mean corpuscular HGB concentration

Mean corpuscular volume

X Leukocyte (differential) \* Mean corpuscular hemoglobin

#### \* Required for subchronic and chronic studies

Results: In the males, a significant increase (15.4 compared to 14.1 in the controls) in the hemoglobin parameter occurred during the 12th month in the 2500 ppm dose group. In females, several significant effects occurred during the study. Hemoglobin was significantly decreased in the 50 and 5000 ppm dose groups (15.7 & 15.4 compared to 16.6 in the controls) at 3 months. The total

<sup>\* =</sup> Significantly different from controls (p < 0.05).

<sup>\*\* =</sup> Significantly different from controls (p < 0.01).

leukocytes in the 50 ppm dose group was significantly increased at 3 months (18.9 compared to 12.3 in the controls). Since none of these changes occurred in a treatment-related manner the changes were considered of little biological significance.

E. <u>Sacrifice</u> and <u>Pathology</u>: All animals that died or were sacrificed moribund or on schedule were subjected to a gross pathological examination. The CHECKED (X) tissues were collected for histological examination. Additionally, 3 coronal sections through the head, including the nasal cavity, paranasal sinuses, tongue, oral cavity, nasopharynx and middle ear were examined in 10 randomly selected mice from the control and high dose groups.

Dig	estive System	<u>Саг</u>	diovasc./Hemat.	Neu	rologic
	Tongue	X	Aorta*	X	Brain*†
X	Salivary glands*	X	Hcart*	X	Sciatic nerve
X	Esophagus*	х	Bone marrow*	X	Spinal cord*
X	Stomach*	X	Lymph nodes*	X	Pituitary*
X	Rectum*	X	Spleen*	X	Eyes* (optic
X	Colon*	X	Thymus		nerve)
X	Cecum*				
X	Ileum*				
X	Jejunum*	Ura	genital	Gla	ndular
X	Duodenum*	$\overline{\mathbf{x}}$	Kidneys*†	$\overline{\mathbf{x}}$	Adrenals*
X	Liver*†	X	Urinary bladder*	•	Lacrimal gland
X	Gallbladder*	X	Testes*†	х	Mammary gland*
X	Pancreas*	X	Epididymis*	X	Thyroid gland*
	•	X	Prostate*	х	Parathyroid*
		X	Seminal vesicle*	х	Harderian gland
Res	piratory	Х	Ovaries*		
	Trachea*	Х	Uterus#		
X	Lung#		Vagina	<u>Oth</u>	et
	Nasal cavity		-	$\overline{\mathbf{x}}$	Bone (sternum
				х	Skeletal muscle*
				X	Skin*
			•	X	All gross lesions
					& masses*

- \* Recommended by Subdivision F (October 1982) Guidelines.
- † Organ weight required in chronic studies.
- 1. Organ weight: The Subdivision F guidelines recommends that the liver, kidneys, brain, and testes be weighed; however no organ weight data were found in the study report.
- 2. Gross pathology: The study authors considered the pink/reddish discoloration of the urine the only treatment-related finding. Other gross findings were: granular or pitted surface of the kidneys, pale kidneys, enlarged or cystic uteri, lung and liver masses (males had higher incidences), distended urinary bladder (males had a higher incidence) and abdominal distension. Amyloidosis was seen in higher incidences in the group of mice that died during the study. This is a common cause of death for Charles River CD-1 mice. All of these findings were considered to be within normal ranges and are commonly

seen in mice of this age and strain.

- 3. <u>Microscopic pathology</u>: Non-neoplastic lesions found in this study are summarized in Tables 4 and 5, and neoplastic lesions are summarized in Table 6.
  - A. Non-neoplastic Compound-related liver changes were noted in the 2500 and 5000 ppm dose groups. The liver changes were hypertrophy of the centrilobular parenchymal cells with the males having higher incidences than females (see Tables 4 & 5). It occurred in 20 males and 3 females in the 5000 ppm dose group, and in 25 males and 2 females of the 2500 dose group. The 50 ppm dose group did not have this finding. The other microscopic findings noted in these mice are typical for this age and strain of mice. Amyloidosis occurred in the lungs, thyroids, adrenals, liver, heart, stomach, intestines, kidneys, testes and ovaries. This is a commonly occurring condition for Charles River CD-1 mice during the early 1980's and it was not considered to be treatment-related.
  - Neoplastic No statistically significant changes were noted in the incidence of tumor types for the treated groups when compared with the control group. The neoplastic lesions seen in this study are not unusual for this strain and age of mice (see Table 6). Although, the liver hepatocellular carcinomas did not display a dose response the male 5000 ppm dose group did have a higher incidence than the control group (10% vs 3%). The historical control range was 0-6.3% for males. The malignant lymphomas noted in the male 5000 ppm dose group had a higher incidence than the controls (10% vs The historical control range was 1.7-10% for males. These findings may be compound-related even though they did not reach statistical significance. In females, the incidence of lung adenoma was 10/74 (13.5%), 3/50 (6%), 2/50 (4%) and 12/50 (24%) for the control, low, mid, and high dose groups, respectively and 1 adenocarcinoma (13/50 or 26%). Even though the lung adenomas are outside of the historical control ranges (0-6.7% for females) the study included two pathology reports which concluded that the tumors were not compound-related.

TABLE 4. Summary of Non-neoplastic Lesions in Selected Tissues of Mice Fed Naptalam Continuously for 84 Weeks\*

			Die	tary Cond	entration	Dietary Concentration (ppm)								
Finding		Termina	l sacrific	•	Deaths/unscheduled sacrifice									
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Lung														
Atelectasis	0/37	0/36	1/20	1/18	8/38	8/38	3/27	7/32						
Amyloidosis	2/37°	1/36	0/20	0/18	9/38	0/38	1/27	1/32						
Thyroid:														
Amyloidosis	2/26	3/32	0/21	2/17	15/28	14/32	6/22	13/27						
Adrensis:														
Spindle cell proliferation	21/37	34/36	10/19	17/18	16/38	25/38	11/28	23/32						
Brown degeneration	15/37	15/36	6/19	5/18	13/38	14/38	5/28	3/32						
Amyloidosis	6/37	10/36	3/19	9/18	29/38	28/38	22/28	25/32						
Liver							<u> </u>	·						
Amyloidosis	7/37	10/36	0/21	6/18	27/38	20/39	17/29	25/32						
Hypertrophy, centrilobular hepa.	0/37	0/36	15/21	1/18	0/38	0/39	5/29	2/32						
Parenchymal mononuclear foci	15/37	25/36	11/21	8/18	5/38	16/39	2/29	7/32						
Heart						<del>*</del>	<u> </u>							
Amyloidosis	2/37	10/36	2/21	7/18	29/38	22/39	19/29	-18/32						

<sup>\*</sup>Data were extracted from Tables 9 & 10.

TABLE 5. Additional Non-neoplastic Lesions in the Livers of Mice Fed Naptalam Continuously for 84 Weeks\*

	Dietary Concentration (ppm)								
Finding		Termina	l sacrific	<b>C</b>	Deaths/unscheduled sacrifice				
•	50		2500		50		2500		
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Liver				<del>-</del>					
Amyloidosis	1/28	1/20	3/33	3/12	12/22	25/30	15/17	29/38	
Hypertrophy, centrilobular hepa.	0/28	0/20	25/33	2/12	0/22	0/30	0/17	0/38	
Parenchymal mononuclear foci	10/28	16/20	10/28	9/12	1/22	13/30	0/17	10/38	

<sup>\*</sup>Data were extracted from Tables 9 & 10.

First number is the incidence and the second number the number of tissues examined.

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TABLE 6. Summary of Neoplastic Lesions in Selected Tissues of Mice Fed Naptalam Continuously for 84 Weeks\*b

	Dietary Concentration (ppm)									
Finding	(	)	50		2500		50	000		
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Lung										
Adenoma	13/75°	10/74	4/50	3/50	7/49	2/50	5/47	12/50		
Carcinoma/Adenocarcinoma	0/75	0/74	2/50	1/50	1/49	0/50	2/47	1/50		
Liver			<del></del>	····	<del></del>	<u> </u>	<del></del>	<u> </u>		
Hepatocellular carcinoma	2/75	1/75	2/50	0/50	1/50	0/50	5/50	0/50		
Cholangiocellular carcinoma	-	-	1/50	0/50	0/50	0/50	-	-		
Hemangiosarcoma	-	-	1/50	0/50	0/50	0/50	-	-		
Mammary Gland:					<del></del>		<del></del>	<u></u>		
Adenocarcinoma	-	0/53	-	1/50		0/50	-	1/50		
Hematopoietic, Lymphocytic, Reticuloendothelial Systems:		<u></u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	·	<u></u>		<u> </u>		
Malignant lymphoma	3/75	3/75	2/50	1/50	0/50	2/50	5/50	2/50		
Reticulum cell sarcoma	0/75	1/75	0/50	1/50	2/50	1/50	1/50	2/50		
Myeloma	0/75	1/75	0/50	0/50	0/50	0/50	0/50	0/50		

<sup>\*</sup>Data were extracted from Tables 11 - 14.

[NOTE: The control and high dose groups were evaluated by one pathologist and the low and mid dose groups were evaluated by a different pathologist.]

bIncludes observation at Terminal sacrifice, deaths, and unscheduled sacrifices.

First number is the incidence and the second number the number of tissues examined.

#### III. REVIEWERS' DISCUSSION/CONCLUSIONS:

In the 84 week feeding study, Naptalam seemed to have affected the survival rate of the female 2500 ppm dose group because it was significantly lower when compared to the controls (48% vs 24%). Also, the overall female survival rate was slightly lower than males for all treated groups at week 84. Statistically significant reductions in body weights were observed during weeks 26 (50 ppm males and 5000 ppm females), 38 (5000 ppm females), and 62 (5000 ppm females). A decrease in body weight gain was noted at the 13-week time point in all treated groups of the male and the mid- and high dose groups of female rats. Similar decreases were also seen in all treated male and female groups at the 26-week time point. No dose-response relationships or trends were evident in any of the body weight changes. No treatment-related effects in food consumption or food efficiency were observed in the test groups relative to controls.

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Compound-related liver changes were noted in the 2500 and 5000 ppm dose groups. The liver changes were hypertrophy of the centrilobular parenchymal cells with the males having higher incidences than females. It occurred in 40% of the males and 6% of the females in the 5000 ppm dose group, and in 50% of the males and 4% of the females in the 2500-dose group. No effects were seen in the 50 ppm dose or the control groups. Amyloidosis occurred in the lungs, thyroids, adrenals, liver, heart, stomach, intestines, kidneys testes and ovaries of Naptalam treated and control groups. This is a commonly occurring condition for Charles River CD-1 mice during the early 1980's and it was not considered to be treatment-related.

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The study is <u>Core Supplementary</u> and does not satisfy the guideline requirements for a §83-2 oncogenicity study in mice.

#### IV. STUDY DEFICIENCIES

The purity of the test compound was not reported.

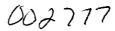
The Subdivision F guidelines recommends that at least the liver, kidneys, brain, and testes should be weighed; however no organ weight data were found in the study report.

Homogeneity was not checked during the study and it could not be determined if stability of the test material was checked prior to the start of the study.

Analyses of the 50 ppm dose group showed large discrepancies in the concentration of the test material. The 50 ppm diet contained approximately 490 ppm at week 15. [This reviewer assumes that for at least the first 15 weeks on test the low dose was receiving a dose close to 500 ppm, since the first analysis wasn't performed until week 15.] At week 22 the problem was corrected.

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## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

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Toxicology Branch/HED (TS-769)

SUBJECT:

Alanap- EPA Reg. No. 400-75

CASWELL NO ( 592)

Applicant:

Uniroyal Chemical

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#### Requested Action:

Review of Lifetime Carcinogenicity Study in Mice to support future registration of products containing alanap (N-1-naphthyl-phthalamic acid).

### Recommendation(s):

The oncogenic evaluation of Alanap in mice is considered Core-Minimum and does not demonstrate an oncogenic potential in CD-1 mice.

Lifetime Carcinogenicity Study in Mice with Analap (International Research & Development Corporation, Study No. 399-002 b, July 23, 1982).

## Procedure:

"Groups of albino mice (Charles River CD-1) 50 M and 50 F each weighing from 23 to 34 g were fed 50, 2500 and 5000 ppm of Analap for 18 months. A control group of 75 male and 75 female mice received the basal laboratory diet only. The animals were observed daily for signs of toxicity, moribundity and mortality.

Individual body weights and food consumption were recorded weekly for the first 14 weeks, then every other week for the next 12 weeks and once every 4 weeks thereafter. Hematology was conducted for five mice/sex/group at 3, 6, 12 and 18 months of study." [IRDC, Vol. 1 page 2 Acc. #248857].

At the conclusion of the study, all surviving mice were sacrificed and a complete post- mortem examination performed. Tissues were collected and preserved in phosphate buffered "Hematoxylin and eosin stained paraffin sections formalin. were prepared from all animals in all groups from the following tissues: abdominal aorta, adrenals (both), brain (3 levels), liver (2 lobes), lung & mainstem bronchi, eyes and contiguous Harderian glands (both), gonads (ovaries, tests with epididymis, prostate/corpus and cervix uteri, gallbladder, skeletal muscle, lymph nodes, mammary gland, mandibular salivary gland, sciatic nerve, pancreas, pituitary, skin, spinal cord (cervical and thoracic), spleen, heart (with coronary vessels), esophagus, stomach, large intestine (cecum and colon), kidneys, urinary bladder, thymus, trachea, thyroid/parathyroid, sternum (bone marrow) and any other tissue with lesions". [IRDC Vol. 1 pg. 9 Acc. #248857].

Body weights, food consumption and the hematologic parameters were compared by several statistical methods. Survival indices by sex, and tumor incidence of individual type were also statistically evaluated.

#### Results:

#### Body Weight gain:

Body weight gain was not adversely affected in any of the treated groups when compared to controls.

#### ° Food Consumption:

There was no statistically significant food consumption differences between the control group and test animals. However, during weeks 1-13, the females at the two highest dose levels showed a significant variation (Control 6.2; 2500 ppm, 5.4; 5,000 ppm, 5.5).

#### Surival rate:

Alanap in the diet caused a significant lower survival in the mid-dose females (p < 0.05). This was not evident at other dose levels or control.

#### • Hematologic values:

There were no compound related effects on the parameters measured throughout the study.

#### Non-neoplastic findings:

Compound related microscopic liver changes (hypertrophy of centrilobular parenchymal cells) were observed in the 5000 and 2500 ppm dietary levels.

Incidence of hepatocellular hypertrophy is as follows:

	Males (Occi	urred/Examined	<b>)</b>
Control 0 ppm	50 ppm	2500 ppm	5000 ppm
0/75	0/50	25/50	20/50
	Females (Occ	curred/Examined	∄)
Control 0 ppm	50 ppm	2500 ppm	5000 ppm
0/75	0/50 '	2/50	3/50

## Neoplastic Findings:

Among females in the highest dosage group (5000 ppm) a higher incidences of pulmonary adenoma/alveolar-bronchiolar adenoma was observed when compared to the control group:

## Females (Occurred/Examined)

	0 ppm	50 ppm	2500 ppm	5000 ppm
adenoma/alveolar -bronchiolar adenoma	10/74	3/50	2/50	12/50
alveoloar-bronchiolar	0/75	1/50	0/50	1/50

Hepatocellular carcinoma was observed in male mice. The incidence appears to be higher in the 5,000 ppm dose group when compared to controls; but is not statistically significant.

The incidence of hepatocellular carcinoma was observed as follows:

## Males (Occurred/Examined)

	Control	50 ppm	2500 ppm	5000 ppm	
hepatocellular carcinoma	2/75	2/50	1/50	5/50	

A finding of malignant lymphoma was observed in both males and females in all dose groups and control group.

Comparing the animals in which lymphoma was diagnosed there were no significant difference in latency and there were no significant differences between control and test groups as demonstrated in the table below:

## Pathology Observations

	MALES			
	0 PPM	50 PPM	2500 PPM	5000 PPM
Malignant Lymphoma (Terminal Sacrifices)	1/37	2/29	4/33	0/21
Malignant Lymphoma (Unscheduled Sacrifices)	1/38 .	1/29	0/17	5/29
	FEMALES			
	0 PPM	50 PPM	2500 PPM	5000 PPM
Malignant Lymphoma (Terminal Sacrifices)	1/36	0/20	0/12	0/18
MALIGNANT Lymphoma (Unscheduled Sacrifices)	2/39	4/30	4/38	2/32

## Statistical Evaluation:

All relevant data involving the histopathological observations of lung neoplasms, hepatocellular carcinoma and malignant lymphoma in the highest dosage (5000 ppm) were compared to the control group. They were statistically evaluated for possible carcinogenicity and found not to be statistically significant. We have discussed these findings with Dr. L. Kasza (Staff Pathologist) and Mr. B. Litt (Staff Statistician).

#### Conclusion:

Alanap<sup>-1</sup> is non-oncogenic to mice at 5,000 ppm in the diet (highest dose tested).

Systemic NOEL = 50 ppm

Systemic LEL = 2,500 ppm (liver hypertrophy of centrilobular parenchymal cells, lower survival rate in females).

## Classification:

Core- Minimum Study

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