

# **Bioactive Molecules, Building Blocks, Intermediates**

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Data Sheet		
Product Name:	Dibutyl phthalate	
Cat. No.:	CS-0013564	
CAS No.:	84-74-2	
Molecular Formula:	C16H22O4	
Molecular Weight:	278.34	
Target:	Others	
Pathway:	Others	
Solubility:	Ethanol : ≥ 50 mg/mL (179.64 mM)	0

### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

Dibutyl phthalate is a commonly used plasticizer commonly found in some food packaging materials, personal care products, and the coating of oral medications<sup>[1]</sup>. May cause toxicity and adverse neurobehavioral effects<sup>[2][3]</sup>. **In Vitro:** Dibutyl phthalate (0.001  $\mu$ g/mL-1000  $\mu$ g/mL) is detrimental to follicle growth and viability and results in significant dysregulation of cell cycle and apoptosis gene expression in a dose-specific manner. But MBP does not play a role in Dibutyl phthalate toxicity in follicles exposed in vitro<sup>[1]</sup>. **In Vivo:** Dibutyl phthalate (200, 400, or 600 mg/kg/day) induces decrease mice weight, impairment of spermatogenesis, reduces serum follicle stimulating hormone and testosterone level, alters testicular LDH, increases LPO, and decreases the levels of enzymatic antioxidants with histopathological anomalies<sup>[2]</sup>.

Dibutyl phthalate (6.25, 12.5, 25, 50, 100 and 200 mg/kg) could cause some neurobehavioral adverse effects in mice<sup>[3]</sup>.

#### **References:**

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# CAIndexNames:

1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acid, 1,2-dibutyl ester

#### SMILES:

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