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FOREWORD: This report presents the results of the bioassay of endrin conducted for the Carcinogenesis Testing Program, Division of Cancer Cause and Prevention, National Cancer Institute (NCI), National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland. This is one of a series of experiments designed to determine whether selected environmental chemicals have the capacity to produce cancer in animals. Negative results, in which the test animals do not have a greater incidence of cancer than control animals, do not necessarily mean that the test chemical is not a carcinogen, inasmuch as the experiments are conducted under a limited set of Positive results demonstrate that test circumstances. the chemical is carcinogenic for animals under the conditions of the test and indicate that exposure to the chemical is a potential risk to man. The actual determination of the risk to man from chemicals found to be carcinogenic in animals requires a wider analysis.

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#### SUMMARY

A bioassay of technical-grade endrin for possible carcinogenicity was conducted by administering the test chemical in feed to Osborne-Mendel rats and B6C3F1 mice. Groups of 50 rats of each sex were administered one of two doses of endrin for 80 weeks, then observed for 31 or 34 weeks. The doses used for the male rats were 2.5 or 5 ppm. The initial doses of 5 or 10 ppm used for the females were not well tolerated and were reduced during the study. The time-weighted average doses used for the females were 3 or 6 ppm. Matched controls consisted of groups of 10 rats of each sex; pooled controls, used for statistical evaluation, consisted of the matched-control groups combined with 40 untreated male and 40 untreated female rats from similar bioassays of other test chemicals. All surviving rats were killed at 110 to 114 weeks.

Groups of 50 mice of each sex were administered endrin at one of two doses for 80 weeks, then observed for 10 or 11 weeks. Initial doses of 2.5 or 5 ppm used for the males were not well tolerated and were reduced during the study. The time-weighted average doses used for the males were 1.6 or 3.2 ppm; the doses used for the females were 2.5 or 5 ppm. Matched controls consisted of groups of 10 mice of each sex; pooled controls, used for statistical evaluation, consisted of the matched-control groups combined with 50 untreated male and 50 untreated female mice from similar bioassays of other test chemicals. All surviving mice were killed at 90 or 91 weeks.

The clinical signs observed in both rats and mice indicated that the doses of endrin used were near the maximum tolerated doses. In mice these signs included hyperexcitability, a manifestation of toxicity of the organochlorine pesticides. However, mean body weights of the rats and mice were not affected by administration of endrin.

Although the survival of the high-dose male mice at the end of the study was markedly lower than that of the controls, the survivals of the low- and high-dose female mice and male and female rats were unaffected by the endrin. The survival of the low-dose male mice could not be evaluated, due to the accidental administration of excessive quantities of endrin to this group during week 66. However, a substantial portion of all groups of rats and mice survived to an age at which tumors could be expected to occur. In rats, the combination of adenomas and carcinomas of the adrenal occurred at the following incidences -- males: pooled controls 2/44, matched controls 2/9, low-dose 4/46, high-dose 8/44; females: pooled controls 4/46, matched controls 3/9, low-dose 16/49, high-dose 7/47. These incidences did not show consistent statistical significance. Furthermore, the incidences of the tumors in the matched controls of either sex were higher than those of the corresponding pooled controls, and the incidences in the matched controls equaled or exceeded those in any of the respective dosed groups. Thus, these tumors cannot be clearly related to administration of the test chemical.

In mice, no tumors occurred in dosed groups at incidences that were significantly higher than those in pooled or matched controls.

It is concluded that under the conditions of this bioassay, endrin was not carcinogenic for Osborne-Mendel rats or for B6C3F1 mice.

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#### I. INTRODUCTION

Endrin (CAS 72-20-8; NCI CO0157) is an organochlorine pesticide having a structure characteristic of the cyclodiene group, which includes aldrin (CAS 309-00-2), dieldrin (CAS 60-57-1), chlordane (CAS 57-74-9), heptachlor (CAS



Endrin

76-44-8), and endosulfan (CAS 115-29-7). It is the most acutely toxic compound in the cyclodiene group (Brooks, 1974 and 1975) but is less persistent in the environment than DDT or dieldrin (Hayes, 1975). As an insecticide, it is currently used for small grains, sugarcane, and cotton; as an avicide, for forest seed and perch applications; and as a rodenticide, for forest seed and orchard soil applications (EPA Compendium, 1971, 1972; Brooks, 1974).

Evidence for carcinogenicity of certain cyclodiene pesticides other than endrin, such as aldrin, dieldrin, and heptachlor (Secretary's Commission on Pesticides, 1969; Federal Register, 1974) suggested that carcinogenicity might be a property common to all pesticides of this general structure. Endrin was there-

fore selected for study in the Carcinogenesis Testing Program because its chemical structure is similar to that of these known cyclodiene carcinogens. Also, the extensive use of endrin (Agricultural Research Service, 1967, 1968, 1970; EPA, 1971) and its persistence (Brooks, 1974; Hayes, 1975) suggested there was a potential for long-term human exposure to residues of the insecticide, especially in foods.

#### **II. MATERIALS AND METHODS**

#### A. Chemical

Technical-grade endrin was purchased from Shell Chemical Company, Agriculture Division, San Ramon, California, for use in this study. Endrin is made by epoxidation of isodrin, the Diels-Alder adduct of cyclopentadiene and 1,2,3,4,7,7-hexachloronorbornadiene. The product was 97% pure by the manufacturer's assay. Analyses by Gulf South Research Institute confirmed the identity of the chemical and were consistent with the stated purity. Elemental analyses (C, H, C1) were satisfactory for C12H8C160, the molecular formula of endrin. Gas-liquid and thin-layer chromatography showed minor impurities under a variety of chromatographic conditions. No attempt was made to identify the impurities. Infrared, nuclear magnetic resonance, and mass spectra were as expected for endrin. The chemical was stored at 4°C in the original container.

#### B. Dietary Preparation

All diets containing endrin were formulated using Wayne<sup>®</sup> Lab

Blox animal meal (Allied Mills, Inc., Chicago, Ill.) to which was added the required amount of endrin for each dietary concentra-The test chemical was first dissolved in a small amount of tion. acetone (Mallinckrodt, Inc., St. Louis, Mo.), which was then added to the feed. Corn oil (LouAna<sup>®</sup>, Opelousas Refinery Co., Opelousas, La.) was also added to the feed, primarily as a dust suppressant, and the diets were mixed mechanically to assure homogeneity of the mixtures and evaporation of the acetone. Final diets, including those for the control groups of animals, contained corn oil equal to 2% of the final weight of feed. The diets were stored at room temperature until used, but no longer than 1 week.

As a quality control test on the accuracy of preparation of the diets, the concentration of endrin was determined in different batches of formulated diets during the chronic study. The results are summarized in Appendix G. At each dietary concentration, the mean of the analytical concentrations for the checked samples was within 3.2% of the theoretical concentration, and the coefficient of variation was never more than 3.6%.

#### C. Animals

Rats and mice of each sex, obtained through contracts of the Division of Cancer Treatment, National Cancer Institute, were used in these bioassays. The rats were of the Osborne-Mendel strain obtained from Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio, and the mice were B6C3F1 hybrids obtained from Charles River Breeding Laboratories, Inc., Wilmington, Massachusetts. On arrival at the laboratory, all animals were quarantined (rats for 8 days, mice for 14 days) and then assigned to control or dosed groups.

#### D. Animal Maintenance

All animals were housed in rooms in which the temperature ranged from 22 to 24°C, and the relative humidity from 40 to 70%. The air entering each room was filtered (Air Maze Incom International, Cleveland, Ohio), and room air was changed 10 to 12 times per hour. Fluorescent lighting provided illumination 10 hours per day. Food and water were provided <u>ad libitum</u>. Fresh feed was provided daily, and excess remaining feed was discarded.

The rats were housed individually in hanging galvanized steel

mesh cages (Hoeltge, Inc., Cincinnati, Ohio), and the mice were housed in polypropylene cages (Lab Products, Inc., Garfield, N.J.), five females per cage or two or three males per cage. Mouse cages were covered with polyester filter bonnets (Lab Products, Inc.). The rat racks and cages were sanitized every 2 weeks. The mouse cages were sanitized each week. These cages and racks were washed in an industrial washer at 82°C with Acclaim<sup>®</sup> detergent (Economics Laboratory, Inc., St. Paul, Minn.) and then rinsed. Absorbent Kimpak cage liners (Kimberly Clark Corp., Neenah, Wis.) were placed under the rat Absorb-dri<sup>®</sup> cages and were changed three times per week. hardwood chip bedding (Lab Products, Inc.), used in the mouse cages, was provided two times per week for males and three times per week for females. Filter bonnets were sanitized each week. Feed jars and water bottles were changed and sanitized three times per week. Sipper tubes and stoppers were sanitized two times per week.

The filter bonnets, feed jars, water bottles, sipper tubes, and stoppers were washed in a Vulcan Autosan washer (Louisville, Ky.).

Cage racks for each species were rotated to a new position in the room once per week; at the same time, each cage was moved to a different row within the same column of a rack. Rats receiving

endrin, along with their matched controls, were housed in a room by themselves. Mice were maintained in a room housing mice from the following studies:

#### Feed Studies

(CAS 133-90-4) chloramben (CAS 1897-45-6) chlorothalonil (CAS 1918-02-1) picloram

#### E. Subchronic Studies

Subchronic feeding studies were conducted to estimate the maximum tolerated doses of endrin, on the basis of which 2wo concentrations (hereinafter referred to as "low" and "high" doses) were determined for administration in the chronic studies. In the subchronic studies, endrin was added to the animal feed in twofold increasing concentrations, ranging from 2.5 to 80 ppm for rats and from 2.5 to 20 ppm for mice. The chemical was provided in feed to dosed groups of five male and five female animals of each species for 6 weeks, followed by observation for 2 weeks. Untreated-control groups consisted of five animals of each species and sex.

In rats, at 10 ppm there were no deaths, and mean weight gains of both males and females were comparable to those of corresponding

controls. At 20 ppm one animal of each sex died, but weights of the survivors were not significantly affected. The low and high doses for the chronic studies using rats were set at 7.5 and 15 ppm.

In mice, three males and four females in the groups at 10 ppm died during the study. At 5 ppm no animals died, and mean weight gains were comparable to those of controls. The low and high doses for the chronic studies using mice were set at 2.5 and 5 ppm.

# F. Chronic Studies

The test groups, doses administered, and durations of the chronic feeding studies are shown in tables 1 and 2. Due to high mortality in the rats at the doses set by the subchronic study, the studies with rats were terminated and restarted using lower doses of 2.5 or 5 ppm for males and 5 or 10 ppm for females. Because of subsequent toxic effects, the doses for the female rats and the male mice were reduced during the course of the studies.

Since the numbers of animals in the matched-control groups were

Sex and	Initial	Endrin	<u> </u>	n Study	Time-Weighted
Test	No. of	in Diet(b)	Dosed Ob	served(c)	Average Dose(d)
Group	<u>Animals(a)</u>	(ppm)	(weeks)	(weeks)	(ppm)
Male					
Matched-Control	10	0		110	
Low-Dose	50	2.5	80		2.5
		0		31	
High-Dose	50	5	80		5
		0		34	
Female					
Matched-Control	10	0		110	
Low-Dose	50	5	9		3
		2.5	71		
		0		31	
High-Dose	50	10	9		6
		5	71		
		0		34	

## Table 1. Endrin Chronic Feeding Studies in Rats

(a) All animals were 5 weeks old when placed on study.

- (b) Initially, concentrations of 15 and 7.5 ppm of endrin were fed to rats of each sex; these doses were too toxic, however, and the rat study was terminated and restarted as shown in the table.
- (c) When diets containing endrin were discontinued, dosed rats were fed control diets (2% corn oil added) until termination; matchedcontrol rats received control diets throughout the study.
- (d) Time-weighted average dose =  $\sum (\text{dose in } \text{ppm } x \text{ no. weeks at that dose})$  $\Sigma(\text{no. of weeks receiving each dose})$

Sex and Test Group	Initial No. of Animals(a)	Endrin in Diet(b) (ppm)	Time on Study Dosed Observed (weeks) (weeks)	Time-Weighted Average Dose(c) (ppm)
<u>Male</u>				
Matched-Control	10	0	90	
Low-Dose	50	2.5 1.2 0	25 55 10	1.6
High-Dose	50	5 5(d) 2.5 0	15 10 55 11	3.2
Female				
Matched-Control	10	0	90	
Low-Dose	50	2.5 0	80 10	2.5
High-Dose	50	5 0	80 11	5

# Table 2. Endrin Chronic Feeding Studies in Mice

(a) All animals were 5 weeks old when placed on study.

- (b) When diets containing endrin were discontinued, dosed mice were fed control diets (2% corn oil added) until termination; matchedcontrol mice received control diets throughout the study.
- (c) Time-weighted average dose =  $\sum(\text{dose in ppm x no. weeks at that dose})$  $\sum(\text{no. of weeks receiving each dose})$
- (d) The diets shown and control diets were fed on alternate weeks.

small, pooled-control groups also were used for statistical evaluation. In rats, matched controls from the current bioassay on endrin were combined with matched controls from studies performed on captan (CAS 133-06-2), malathion (CAS 121-75-5), phosphamidon (CAS 13171-21-6), photodieldrin (CAS 13366-73-9), and tetrachlorvinphos (CAS 961-11-5). In mice, matched controls from endrin were combined with those from captan, chloramben, chlorothalonil, photodieldrin, and picloram. The pooled controls for statistical tests consisted of 50 rats and 60 mice of each sex. In both species, these controls were started no more than 3 months apart from the endrin controls. The studies on chemicals other than endrin were also conducted at Gulf South Research Institute and were diagnosed by the same pathologists. The matched-control groups for the different test chemicals were of the same strain and from the same supplier.

## G. Clinical and Pathologic Examinations

All animals were observed twice daily for signs of toxicity, weighed every 2 weeks for the first 12 weeks, and monthly thereafter, and palpated for masses at each weighing. Sick, tumor-bearing, and moribund animals were observed daily.

Moribund animals and animals that survived to the end of the bioassay were killed using ether and necropsied. Necropsies were also performed on all animals found dead, unless precluded by autolysis or severe cannibalization.

The pathologic evaluation consisted of gross and microscopic examination of major tissues, major organs, and all gross lesions. The different tissues were preserved in 10% buffered formalin, embedded in paraffin, sectioned, and stained with hematoxylin and eosin. Special staining techniques were utilized when indicated for more definitive diagnosis. The following tissues were examined microscopically: skin, lungs and bronchi, trachea, bone and bone marrow, spleen, lymph nodes, heart, salivary gland, liver, gallbladder (mice), pancreas, stomach, small intestine, large intestine, kidney, urinary bladder, pituitary, adrenal, thyroid, parathyroid, mammary gland, prostate or uterus, testis or ovary, and brain. Occasionally, additional tissues were also examined microscopically.

A few tissues from some animals were not examined, particularly from those animals that may have died early, been missing, or been in advanced states of cannibalization or autolysis. Thus, the number of animals from which particular organs or tissues were examined microscopically varies, and does not necessarily

represent the number of animals that were placed on study in each group.

#### H. Data Recording and Statistical Analyses

Pertinent data on this experiment have been recorded in an automatic data processing system, the Carcinogenesis Bioassay Data System (Linhart et al., 1974). The data elements include descriptive information on the chemicals, animals, experimental design, clinical observations, survival, body weight, and individual pathologic results, as recommended by the International Union Against Cancer (Berenblum, 1969). Data tables were generated for verification of data transcription and for statistical review.

These data were analyzed using the appropriate statistical techniques described in this section. Those analyses of the experimental results that bear the possibility on of carcinogenicity are discussed in the statistical narrative sections.

Probabilities of survival were estimated by the product-limit procedure of Kaplan and Meier (1958) and are presented in this

report in the form of graphs. Animals were statistically censored as of the time that they died of other than natural causes or were found to be missing; animals dying from natural causes were not statistically censored. Statistical analyses for a possible dose-related effect on survival used the method of Cox (1972) for testing two groups for equality and Tarone's (1975) extensions of Cox's methods for testing for a dose-related trend. One-tailed P values have been reported for all tests except the departure from linearity test, which is only reported when its two-tailed P value is less than 0.05.

The incidence of neoplastic or nonneoplastic lesions has been given as the ratio of the number of animals bearing such lesions at a specific anatomic site (numerator) to the number of animals in which that site is examined (denominator). In most instances, the denominators included only those animals for which that site was examined histologically. However, when macroscopic examination was required to detect lesions prior to histologic sampling (e.g., skin or mammary tumors), or when lesions could have appeared at multiple sites (e.g., lymphomas), the denominators consist of the numbers of animals necropsied.

The purpose of the statistical analyses of tumor incidence is to determine whether animals receiving the test chemical developed a

significantly higher proportion of tumors than did the control animals. As a part of these analyses, the one-tailed Fisher exact test (Cox, 1970) was used to compare the tumor incidence of a control group with that of a group of dosed animals at each dose level. When results for a number of dosed groups (k) are compared simultaneously with those for a control group, a correction to ensure an overall significance level of 0.05 may be made. The Bonferroni inequality (Miller, 1966) requires that the P value for any comparison be less than or equal to 0.05/k. In cases where this correction was used, it is discussed in the narrative section. It is not, however, presented in the tables, where the Fisher exact P values are shown.

The Cochran-Armitage test for linear trend in proportions, with continuity correction (Armitage, 1971), was also used. Under the assumption of a linear trend, this test determines if the slope of the dose-response curve is different from zero at the onetailed 0.05 level of significance. Unless otherwise noted, the direction of the significant trend is a positive dose relationship. This method also provides a two-tailed test of departure from linear trend.

A time-adjusted analysis was applied when numerous early deaths resulted from causes that were not associated with the formation of tumors. In this analysis, deaths that occurred before the first tumor was observed were excluded by basing the statistical tests on animals that survived at least 52 weeks, unless a tumor was found at the anatomic site of interest before week 52. When such an early tumor was found, comparisons were based exclusively on animals that survived at least as long as the animal in which the first tumor was found. Once this reduced set of data was obtained, the standard procedures for analyses of the incidence of tumors (Fisher exact tests, Cochran-Armitage tests, etc.) were followed.

When appropriate, life-table methods were used to analyze the incidence of tumors. Curves of the proportions surviving without an observed tumor were computed as in Saffiotti et al. (1972). The week during which an animal died naturally or was sacrificed Cox's was entered as the time point of tumor observation. methods of comparing these curves were used for two groups; Tarone's extension to testing for linear trend was used for three groups. The statistical tests for the incidence of tumors which used life-table methods were one-tailed and, unless otherwise noted, in the direction of a positive dose relationship. Significant departures from linearity (P less than 0.05, two-tailed test) were also noted.

The approximate 95 percent confidence interval for the relative risk of each dosed group compared with its control was calculated from the exact interval on the odds ratio (Gart, 1971). The relative risk is defined as  $p_t/p_c$  where  $p_t$  is the true binomial probability of the incidence of a specific type of tumor in a dosed group of animals and p is the true probability of the spontaneous incidence of the same type of tumor in a control The hypothesis of equality between the true proportion of group. a specific tumor in a dosed group and the proportion in a control group corresponds to a relative risk of unity. Values in excess of unity represent the condition of a larger proportion in the dosed group than in the control.

The lower and upper limits of the confidence interval of the relative risk have been included in the tables of statistical analyses. The interpretation of the limits is that in approximately 95% of a large number of identical experiments, the true ratio of the risk in a dosed group of animals to that in a control group would be within the interval calculated from the experiment. When the lower limit of the confidence interval is greater than one, it can be inferred that a statistically significant result (P less than 0.025 one-tailed test when the control incidence is not zero, P less than 0.050 when the control incidence is zero) has occurred. When the lower limit is less

than unity, but the upper limit is greater than unity, the lower limit indicates the absence of a significant result while the upper limit indicates that there is a theoretical possibility of the induction of tumors by the test chemical, which could not be detected under the conditions of this test.

## III. RESULTS - RATS

#### A. Body Weights and Clinical Signs (Rats)

The mean body weights of the dosed male and female rats were similar to those of corresponding controls (figure 1). Fluctuation in the growth curve may be due to mortality; as the size of a group diminishes, the mean body weight may be subject to variation. The high-dose female rats lost weight at week 9, and the doses for the low- and high-dose females were lowered at that time, after which the weight was recovered.

During the first 16 weeks of the bioassay, clinical signs including alopecia (primarily in facial areas), diarrhea, and epistaxis were observed in a few animals in both the high- and low-dose groups. At week 8, several animals in both the dosed and control groups developed ocular infections that were diagnosed as viral conjunctivitis. For the remainder of the first year of the bioassay, the dosed animals were generally comparable to the controls in appearance and behavior.

Clinical signs were noted with increasing frequency in both the high- and low-dose groups early in the second year of the study.



Figure 1. Growth Curves for Rats Fed Endrin in the Diet

In addition to the signs previously described, rough hair coats, dermatitis, tachypnea, pale mucous membranes, hematuria, and discolored urine also were observed. During the latter half of the second year, the dosed and control groups began to exhibit similar signs, and by the end of week 110, clinical observations were essentially the same in both groups.

#### B. Survival (Rats)

The Kaplan and Meier curves estimating the probabilities of survival for male and female rats receiving endrin at the doses used in this bioassay, together with those of the controls, are shown in figure 2. The results of the Tarone test for dose-related trend in mortality are not statistically significant for either sex.

At week 110, 33/50 (66%) of the high-dose males, 30/50 (60%) of the low-dose males, and 8/10 (80%) of the control males were still alive. In females, 42/50 (84%) of the high-dose group, 38/50 (76%) of the low-dose group, and 7/10 (70%) of the control group were alive at week 110. Sufficient numbers of rats of each sex were at risk for the development of late-appearing tumors.



Figure 2. Survival Curves for Rats Fed Endrin in the Diet
#### C. Pathology (Rats)

Histopathologic findings on neoplasms in rats are summarized in Appendix A, tables Al and A2; findings on nonneoplastic lesions are summarized in Appendix C, tables Cl and C2.

A variety of tumors occurred with a low frequency in control and dosed rats. These tumors are not uncommon in this strain of rat, and have been observed in the bioassay program independent of any administration of test chemicals.

In addition to the neoplastic lesions, degenerative, proliferative, and inflammatory pathologic changes were observed in dosed and control rats, mostly with approximately equal frequency. In a few instances, some lesions affected rats of the dosed groups, but not those of the controls. These included follicular-cell hyperplasia of the thyroid, and cysts and angiectasis of the pituitary gland. The lesions observed in this study are not uncommon in aged Osborne-Mendel rats, and they have been known to occur spontaneously in this and other laboratories.

Based on the histopathologic examination, there was no evidence for the carcinogenicity of endrin in Osborne-Mendel rats under the conditions of this bioassay.

#### D. Statistical Analyses of Results (Rats)

Tables El and E2 in Appendix E contain the statistical analyses of the incidences of those primary tumors that occurred in at least two animals of one group and at an incidence of at least 5% in one or more than one group.

In each sex, there are no significant statistical test results when the incidences in the dosed groups are compared with those in the matched controls.

In female rats, the result of the Cochran-Armitage test for the incidence of adenomas of the pituitary is significant (P = 0.015) using the pooled controls, and the results of the Fisher exact test show that the incidence in the high-dose group is significantly higher (P = 0.016) than that in the pooled When the incidence of female rats with either controls. adenomas, carcinomas, adenocarcinomas, or chromophobe adenomas of the pituitary is analyzed, there is no significant result. It should be noted that there are only three carcinomas reported; all other pituitary tumors were adenomas.

In male rats, the result of the Cochran-Armitage test for the combined incidence of adenomas and carcinomas of the adrenal,

using the pooled controls, is significant (P = 0.028). The result of the Fisher exact comparison between the incidence in the high-dose group and that in the pooled controls indicates a P value of 0.045, which is above the 0.025 level required for significance when the Bonferroni inequality criterion is used for multiple comparison. In females, although the result of the Cochran-Armitage test is not significant, an indicated departure from linear trend (P = 0.003) is observed when the pooled-control group is used, because the incidence in the low-dose group is greater than that in the high-dose group. The results of the Fisher exact test show that the incidence in the low-dose group is significantly higher (P = 0.004) than that in the pooled controls; however, a significant result is not observed in the incidence in the high-dose group. In both males and females, the incidences observed in the matched controls are higher than those reported in the pooled controls, and these incidences in the matched-control groups equal or exceed those observed in any of the respective dosed groups.

In male rats, the incidence of hemangiomas of all sites is significantly higher in the low-dose group (P = 0.024) than in the pooled controls, but a significant result is not indicated by the incidence in the high-dose group. The result of the Cochran-Armitage test for the incidences of this tumor is not significant.

In male rats, islet-cell carcinomas of the pancreas are observed exclusively in the high-dose group (3/47, or 6%), and the result of the Cochran-Armitage test shows a probability level of 0.039 using the pooled controls; however, the results of the Fisher exact test are not significant.

Significant results in the negative direction are observed in the incidence of chromophobe adenomas of the pituitary in male rats, using the pooled controls. A significant trend in the negative direction is also observed in the combined incidence of adrenal tumors in female rats when the matched-control group is used.

In summary, the statistical evidence does not indicate an association between the incidence of any tumors with the administration of the test chemical in either male or female Osborne-Mendel rats.

#### **IV.** RESULTS - MICE

#### A. Body Weights and Clinical Signs (Mice)

The mean body weights of the dosed male and female mice were similar to those of corresponding controls (figure 3). Fluctuation in the growth curve may be due to mortality; as the size of a group diminishes, the mean body weight may be subject to variation.

During the first 4 months of the study, the dosed animals were generally comparable to the controls in appearance and behavior. At week 24, all of the high-dose male group appeared hyperexcitable, and doses for the males were lowered at that time. This condition persisted in the majority of this group until termination of the study. In the latter half of the first year, clinical signs including alopecia (generalized and localized), abdominal distention, and rough hair coats became apparent.

During the second year of the study, the above clinical signs were noted with increasing frequency in all dosed groups. At week 66, administration of excessive quantities of endrin to the low-dose male group occurred, and the majority of these animals





appeared hyperexcitable. This condition persisted until termination of the study. There was also fighting among the majority of the males, which resulted in fight wounds and rough hair coats.

## B. Survival (Mice)

The Kaplan and Meier curves estimating the probabilities of survival for male and female mice receiving endrin at the doses used in this bioassay, together with those of the controls, are shown in figure 4. In male mice, the result of the Tarone test for dose-related trend in mortality is not significant. In females, the result of the Tarone test is significant (P =0.045). An indicated departure (P = 0.003) from linear trend is observed in male mice, because of the earlier mortality of the low-dose group as compared with that of the high-dose group.

An error in preparation of the diet resulted in excess dosing of all the low-dose male mice, and 17 of this group died during week 66 and three more in week 67. However, in males, 32/50 (64%) of the high-dose group, 23/50 (46%) of the low-dose group, and all 10 of the controls survived to the end of the study. In females, 39/50 (78%) of the high-dose group, 45/50 (90%) of the low-dose



Figure 4. Survival Curves for Mice Fed Endrin in the Diet

group, and 9/10 (90%) of the controls were still alive at week 90. Sufficient numbers of mice of each sex were at risk for the development of tumors.

## C. Pathology (Mice)

Histopathologic findings on neoplasms in mice are summarized in Appendix B, tables Bl and B2; findings on nonneoplastic lesions are summarized in Appendix D, tables Dl and D2.

There was great variation in the types of neoplastic and nonneoplastic lesions in the mice. The lesions observed are not uncommon in aged B6C3F1 mice.

The most frequent neoplastic lesions occurred in the liver and comprised hepatocellular carcinomas and neoplastic nodules. They were observed in 1/10 (10%) control males, 3/38 (8%) low-dose males, 10/45 (22%) high-dose males; 2/10 (20%) control females, 3/50 (6%) low-dose females, and 1/47 (2%) high-dose females. The incidences were similar to those observed in other control B6C3F1 mice in this laboratory and were not considered to be related to administration of the test chemical.

Based on the histopathologic examination, there was no evidence for the carcinogenicity of endrin in B6C3F1 mice under the conditions of this bioassay.

#### D. Statistical Analyses of Results (Mice)

Tables Fl and F2 in Apendix F contain the statistical analyses of the incidences of those primary tumors that occurred in at least two animals of one group and at an incidence of at least 5% in one or more than one group.

In each sex, the results of the Cochran-Armitage test for positive dose-related trend and those of the Fisher exact test in the positive direction are not significant.

Significant results in the negative direction are observed in the incidences of hepatocellular carcinomas in each sex. In male mice, the Fisher exact test shows that the incidence of hepatocellular carcinomas in pooled-control the group is significantly (P = 0.009) higher than that in the low-dose group, which may be accounted for by the poorer survival of the low-dose This significance in the negative direction is not group. observed when the incidence of the tumors in the low-dose males is compared with that in the matched-control group, nor is it observed when the incidence of neoplastic nodules or hepatocellular carcinomas in the low-dose male mice is compared with the incidences of these combined tumors in the pooled or matched controls.

In female mice, a significant trend in the negative direction is observed in the incidence of hepatocellular carcinomas (P = 0.011) and in the combined incidence of hepatocellular carcinomas and neoplastic nodules (P = 0.047) using the matched-control group. This significance in the negative direction may be due to The Fisher exact the poorer survival of the high-dose group. comparison of the incidences of hepatocellular carcinomas in the matched-control and high-dose groups indicates a P value of 0.028 in the negative direction. This P value is above the 0.025 level required for significance when the Bonferroni inequality criterion is used for multiple comparison. The result of the Fisher exact test on the incidence of hepatocellular carcinomas or neoplastic nodules also is not significant. No significant result is observed when the pooled-control group is used for analysis of incidences of hepatocellular carcinomas of or combined hepatocellular carcinomas and neoplastic nodules in the female mice.

In each of the 95% confidence intervals of relative risk, shown in the tables, the value of one or less than one is included, indicating the absence of significant positive results. It should also be noted that each of the intervals (except that for the incidence of hepatocellular carcinomas in high-dose female mice, using the matched controls, and in the low-dose male mice, using the pooled controls) has an upper limit greater than one, indicating the theoretical possibility of the induction of tumors by endrin, which could not be detected under the conditions of this test.

Time-adjusted analyses, eliminating animals that died before week 52 on study, were performed on the incidences of tumors shown in tables Fl and F2. No significant positive results were observed.

#### V. DISCUSSION

Endrin is a member of an organochlorine group of pesticides which can be classed as neurotoxins. Hyperexcitability, a manifestation of toxicity that is characteristic of these chemicals, was observed in male mice given the low or high dose of endrin. Α variety of clinical signs, usually associated with aging, were observed in the dosed animals prior to their appearance in corresponding controls. In rats, these signs included alopecia, diarrhea, epistaxis, tachypnea, pale mucous membranes, hematuria, rough hair coats, and dermatitis; in mice, they included alopecia, abdominal distention, and rough hair coats. The mean body weights of the rats and mice were not affected by endrin.

The chronic study in rats was restarted at lower doses when the rats receiving doses of 7.5 or 15 ppm endrin in feed showed unacceptable rates of survival; at the new doses of 2.5 to 10 ppm the survival rates of the rats were improved and were not significantly affected by administration of the test chemical. In mice, the original doses selected, i.e., 2.5 and 5 ppm endrin, were used for females throughout the bioassay, but were lowered for males after week 25 on study. The survival rates were unaffected in the low- and high-dose female mice but decreased in

the high-dose male mice. The survival rate of the low-dose male mice could not be evaluated, since a large proportion of this group died following an accidental overdose. However, 64% of the high-dose male mice survived to the end of the study, so that adequate numbers of animals were at risk for the development of late-appearing tumors. With the exception of the low-dose male mice, a substantial proportion of all groups of rats and mice survived to an age at which tumors could be expected to appear.

In rats, the combination of adenomas and carcinomas of the adrenal occurred at the following incidences -- males: pooled controls 2/44, matched controls 2/9, low-dose 4/46, high-dose 8/44; females: pooled controls 4/46, matched controls 3/9, lw-dose 16/49, high-dose 7/47. These incidences did not show consistent statistical significance. Furthermore, the incidences of the tumors in the matched controls of either sex were higher than those of the corresponding pooled controls, and the incidences in the matched controls equaled or exceeded those in any of the respective dosed groups. Thus, these tumors cannot be clearly related to administration of the test chemical.

In male rats, hemangiomas and islet-cell carcinomas occurred in small numbers of animals and had inconsistent statistical

significance; thus, they cannot be clearly related to administration of the test chemical.

In mice, no tumors occurred in dosed groups at incidences that were significantly higher than those in pooled or matched controls.

There was no convincing evidence to show that the ingestion of endrin under the conditions of this bioassay induced any of the different types of tumors which were observed in the dosed male or female rats or mice. Tumors of the liver, which can be induced in mice by other organochlorine pesticides such as dieldrin, DDT, and benzene hexachloride (Hayes, 1975), appeared in the mice administered endrin, but not in proportions significantly higher than those in the controls.

When compared with dieldrin and other organochlorine insecticides, endrin is relatively nonpersistent in mammalian tissues (IARC Monograph, 1974; Brooks, 1975). The chemical is oxidatively metabolized in the liver, secreted in the bile, and excreted primarily in the feces and only slightly in the urine (Baldwin et al., 1970; Hutson et al., 1975). It is eliminated largely as the metabolite anti-12-hydroxyendrin, and its toxic form appears to be 12-ketoendrin. As the principal metabolite

found in the brain of dosed animals (Bedford et al., 1975), 12-ketoendrin may be responsible for the hyperexcitability observed in the dosed male mice of the present study.

In two previous studies, incidences of tumors in animals administered endrin in the diet were reported to be no different than those in controls; these tests involved Osborne-Mendel rats given 2 to 12 ppm for their lifetimes (Deichmann et al., 1970) and Carworth rats given 1 to 100 ppm for 2 years (Treon et al., 1955). In the latter study, the average ratios of the weights of livers to body weights in male rats receiving 5 or 25 ppm were significantly greater than those of the controls; furthermore, survivals of male or female rats that received 50 or 100 ppm were low, and hepatic degenerative changes were noted only in animals that survived these high doses. In a third study, carcinomas and sarcomas were reported to occur in Osborne-Mendel rate administered endrin in the diet at 0.1 to 25 ppm for 2 years (Reuber, 1978). The incidence was higher in animals administered 0.1 or 1.0 ppm than in control animals or in animals administered the higher doses. The commonest lesions observed were carcinomas of the mammary gland in the females and hyperplasia of the liver in both the males and the females. Statistical evidence for occurrence of tumors in the rats at 0.1 or 1.0 ppm compared with

controls was based on cumulative totals of tumors of all types and at all sites.

It is concluded that under the conditions of this bioassay, endrin was not carcinogenic for Osborne-Mendel rats or for B6C3F1 mice.

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# SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NEOPLASMS IN

RATS FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

## TABLE A1.

#### SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NEOPLASMS IN MALE RATS FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET \_\_\_\_

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE	
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10 10	50 46 46	50 47 47	
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM				
*SUBCUT TISSUE FIBRONA FIBROUS HISTIOCYTOMA, MALIGNANT LIPOMA	(10)	(46) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(47) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM				
<pre>#LUNG ALVEOLAR/BRONCHIOLAR CARCINOMA FIBROSARCOMA, METASTATIC</pre>	(10)	(45) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(47)	
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM				
*MULTIPLE ORGANS GRANULOCYTIC LEUKEMIA	(10)	(46) 1 (2 <b>%)</b>	(47)	
#SPLEEN HEMANGIOMA	(10)	(46) 4 (9 <b>%</b> )	(45) 2 (4%)	
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM				
NONE				
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM				
*FAROTID GLAND HEMANGIOMA	(10)	(44)	(47) 1 (2%)	
#STOMACH PAPILLOMA, NOS	(10) <u>1_(10%)</u>	(44)	(46)	

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY \* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

TABLE	A1. MALE	<b>RATS:</b>	<b>NEOPLASMS</b>	(CONTINUED)

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
#COLON ADENOMATOUS POLYP, NOS	(4) 1 (25 <b>%</b> )	(16)	(21)
RINARY SYSTEM			
<pre>#KIDNEY TUBULAR-CELL ADENOCARCINOMA MIXED TUNOR, MALIGNANT HAMARTOMA</pre>	(10)	(46) 1 (2%)	(47) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 2 (4%)
URINARY BLADDER PAPILLCMATOSIS	(8)	(42)	(41) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
NDOCRINE SYSTEM			
#PITUITARY Adenoma, nos Chronophobe Adenoma	(10) 4 (40%)	(43) 8 (19%) 6 (14%)	(41) 12 (29%) 1 (2%)
#ADRENAL CARCINOMA, NOS ADENOMA, NOS	(9) 2 (22%)	(46) 2 (4%) 2 (4%)	(44) 8 (18 <b>%</b> )
*THYROID FOLLICULAR-CELL ADENOMA FOLLICULAR-CELL CARCINOMA C-CELL ADENOMA	(9) 1 (11%)	(42) 3 (7%) 1 (2%)	(43) 1 (2%) 2 (5%)
*PANCREATIC ISLETS ISLET-CELL ADENOMA ISLET-CELL CARCINOMA	(10)	(45) 1 (2%)	(47) 1 (2%) 3 (6%)
EPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM			
NONE		*****	
ERVOUS SYSTEM			
#BRAIN MENINGIOMA	(10)	(44) 1 (2%)	(47)
PECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
_NONE			
NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EX	AMINED MICROSCOP	ICALLY	

fibroblasts in varying proportions.

# TABLE A1. MALE RATS: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
*SKELETAL NUSCLE Henangiona	(10)	(46) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )	(47)
*MUSCLE OF NECK Fibrosarcoma	(10)	(46) 1 (2%)	(47)
*MUSCLE HIP/THIGH FIBROUS HISTIOCYTOMA, MALIGNANT	(10)	(46)	(47) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
BODY CAVITIES			
*BODY CAVITIES MESOTHELIONA, MALIGNANT	(10)	(46)	(47) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
ALL OTHER SYSTEMS			
*MULTIPLE ORGANS FIBROUS HISTIOCYTONA, MALIGNANT	(10)	(46)	(47) 2 (4%)
ANIMAL DISPOSITION SUMMARY			
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY NATURAL DBATHƏ MORIBUND SACRIFICE SCHEDULED SACRIFICE	10 2 2	50 9 15	50 10 16
ACCIDENTALLY KILLED Terminal sacrifice Animal missing	6	26	24
<u> INCLUDES AUTOLYZED ANIMALS</u>			چې چې چې د او کې

# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY \* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
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TUNOR SUMMARY			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH PRIMARY TUMORS*	5	25	27
TOTAL PRIMARY TUMORS	9	36	42
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH BENIGN TUMORS	5	21	23
TOTAL BENIGN TUMORS	-8	29	31
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH MALIGNANT TUMORS	1	6	9
TOTAL MALIGNANT TUMORS	1	7	11
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH SECONDARY TUMORS#		1	
TOTAL SECONDARY TUMORS		1	
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN-			
BENIGN OR MALIGNANT			
TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUHORS			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUNORS UNCERTAIN-			
PRIMARY OR METASTATIC			
TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUMORS			
* PRIMARY TUMORS: ALL TUMORS EXCEPT SE	CONDARY TU	NORS	
# SECONDARY TUNORS: METASTATIC TUNORS	OR TUMORS	INVASIVE INTO AN	ADJACENT ORGAN

## TABLE A1. MALE RATS: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

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## TABLE A2.

# SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NEOPLASMS IN FEMALE RATS ENDRIN IN THE DIET

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
AN IMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10 10	50 49 49	50 50 50
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM			
*SUBCUT TISSUE FIBROSARCOMA FIBROUS HISTIOCYTOMA, MALIGNANT	(10)	(49) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(50)
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
#LUNG ALVEOLAR/BRONCHIOLAR CARCINQMA FIBROUS HISTIOCYTOMA, METASTATIC	(10) 1 (10%) 1 (10%)	(49)	(50)
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
#SPLEEN FIBROMA	(9)	(48)	(50) 1 (2%
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM			
NON E			
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
#SALIVARY GLAND SARCOMA, NOS	(9)	(49)	(49) 1 (2%
#LIVER NEOPLASTIC NODULE	(10)	(49) 1 (2%)	(50) 1 (2%
FIBROUS HISTIOCYTOMA, METASTATIC	1 (10%)		•
*BILE DUCT BILE DUCT ADENOMA	(10)	(49) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )	( 50)

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY \* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

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	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
URINARY SYSTEM			
#KI DNEY       HAMARTOMA	(10) 1 (10%)	(49) 3 (6%)	(49) 2 (4%)
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			
#PITUITARY CARCINOMA,NOS ADENOMA, NOS ADENOCARCINOMA, NOS CHROMOPHOBE ADENOMA	(7) 2 (29%)	(47) 2 (4%) 11 (23%) 1 (2%) 9 (19%)	(45) 13 (29 <b>%</b> 7 (16 <b>%</b>
#ADRENAL CARCINOMA,NOS ADENOMA, NOS PHEOCHROMOCITOMA	(9) 1 (11%) 2 (22%)	(49) 7 (14%) 9 (18%)	(47) 3 (6%) 4 (9%) 1 (2%)
#THYROID Follicular-Cell Adenoma C-Cell Adenoma	(8)	(46) 1 (2%) 4 (9%)	(49) 1 (2%) 3 (6%)
<b>#PANCREATIC ISLETS</b> ISLET-CELL ADENOMA	(10)	(47)	(50) 1 (2%)
REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM			
*MA MMA RY GLAND ADENOMA, NOS ADENOCAR CINOMA, NOS FI BROMA FI BRO ADENOMA	(10) 1 (10%)	(49) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 3 (6%) 3 (6%)	(50) 2 (4%) 2 (4%)
#UT ERUS A DENOCARCINOMA, NOS PAPILIARY ADENOMA LEIOMYOS ARCOMA ENDOMETRIAL STRONAL POLYP	(8) 1 (13%) 1 (13%)	(48) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 5 (10%)	(45) 2 (4 <b>%</b> )
¥OVARY FIBROMA	(10)	(47)	(47) 1 (2%)
NERVOUS SYSTEM			
NONE			

#### TABLE A2. FEMALE RATS: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

<sup>†</sup> This is considered to be a benign form of the malignant mixed tumor

of the kidney and consists of lipocytes, tubular structures, and fibroblasts in varying proportions.

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	
SPECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
NONE			
NUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
*SKELETAL MUSCLE FIBROUS HISTIOCYTONA, MALIGNANT	(10) 1 (10%)	(49)	(50)
BODY CAVITIES			
NONE			
ALL OTHER SYSTEMS			
*MULTIPLE ORGANS FIBROUS HISTIOCYTONA, MALIGNANT	(10) 1 (10 <b>%)</b>	(49)	(50)
ANIMAL DISPOSITION SUMMARY			
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY	10	50	50
NATURAL DEATHƏ	2	1	4
NORIBUND SACRIFICE	3	12	6
SCHEDULED SACRIFICE			
ACCIDENTALLY KILLED	-	77	£ <b>A</b>
TERMINAL SACRIFICE	5	51	40
ABLOAL BISSING			
D INCLUDES AUTOLYZED ANIMALS			

## TABLE A2. FEMALE RATS: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
CUNOR SUMMARY			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH PRIMARY TUMORS*	8	37	33
TOTAL PRIMARY TUMORS	12	66	45
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH BENIGN TUMORS	6	34	31
TOTAL BENIGN TUMORS	7	51	40
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH MALIGNANT TUMORS	5	13	4
TOTAL MALIGNANT TUMORS	5	14	4
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH SECONDARY TUMORS#	1		
TOTAL SECONDARY TUMORS	2		
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN-			
BENIGN OR MALIGNANT		1	1
TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUMORS		1	1
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN-			
PRIMARY OR METASTATIC			
TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUMORS			
PRIMARY TUMORS: ALL TUMORS EXCEPT SE	CONDARY TUMO	DRS	
SECONDARY TUMORS: METASTATIC TUMORS	OR TUMORS TI	IVASTVE INTO AN	ADJACENT ORG.

# TABLE A2. FEMALE RATS: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

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APPENDIX B

## SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NEOPLASMS IN

## MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

## TABLE B1.

## SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NEOPLASMS IN MALE MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10 10	50 42 42	50 49 49
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM			
NONE			
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
#LUNG ALVFOLAR/BRONCHIOLAR ADENOMA	(10)	(40) 1 (3%)	(44) 5 (11%)
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
NONE			
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM NONE			
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
#LIVER NBOPLASTIC NODULE HEPATOCBLLULAR CARCINOMA HEMANGIOMA	(10) 1 (10%)	(38) 2 (5%) 1 (3%)	(45) 3 ( <b>7%</b> ) 7 (16%) 1 (2%)
#STONACH ADENOMATOUS POLYP, NOS	(10)	(30)	(44) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
URINARY SYSTEM			
NONE			
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DO
REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM			
NONE			
NERVOUS SYSTEM			
NONE			
SPECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
NONE			
USCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
NONE			
BODY CAVITIES			
NONE			
ILL OTHER SYSTEMS			
NONB			
ANIMAL DISPOSITION SUMMARY			
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY	10	50	50
NATURAL DEATHØ Moribund sacrifice Scheduled sacrifice		5	8
ACCIDENTALLY KILLED TERMINAL SACRIFICE ANIMAL MISSING	10	23	32
INCLUDES AUTOLYZED ANI MALS			

## TABLE B1. MALE MICE: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED
	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
TUNOR SUMMARY			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH PRIMARY TUMORS* Total Primary Tumors	1	3 4	14 17
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH BENIGN TUMORS TOTAL BENIGN TUMORS		1 1	6 7
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH MALIGNANT TUMORS TOTAL MALIGNANT TUMORS	1 1	1 1	777
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH SECONDARY TUMORS# TOTAL SECONDARY TUMORS			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN- Benign or Malignant Total Uncertain Tumors		2 2	3 3
TOTAL ANINALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN- FRIMARY OR METASTATIC TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUMORS			
* PRIMARY TUMORS: ALL TUMORS EXCEPT SE * SECONDARY TUMOPS: METASTATIC TUMORS	CONDABY TUN OR TUMORS	IORS INVASIVE INTO AN A	DJACENT ORGAN

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# TABLE B1. MALE MICE: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

#### TABLE B2.

### SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NEOPLASMS IN FEMALE MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

			,
	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY	10	50	50
ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10	50 50	48 48
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM			
NONE			
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
#LUNG	(10)	(49)	(48)
ALVEOLAR/BRONCHIOLAR ADENOMA		1 (2%)	1 (2%)
		• (28)	
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
*MULTIPLE ORGANS	(10)	(50)	(48)
MALIG.LYMPHONA, LYMPHOCYTIC TYPE MALIG.LYMPHOMA, HISTIOCYTIC TYPE		1 (2%)	1 (2%)
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM			
NONE			
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
#LIVER	(10)	(50)	(47)
NEOPLASTIC NODULE	2 (208)	2 (4%)	1 (2%)
	2 (20%)	• (2 //)	
URINARY SYSTEM			
NONE			
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			
NONE			
# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMI * NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED	NED MICROSCO	PICALLY	

# TABLE B2. FEMALE MICE: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM			
#UT ERUS SARCOMA, NOS	(10)	(48)	(43) 1 (2%)
#OVARY CYSTADENOMA, NOS	(9)	(45)	(46) 1 (2%)
NERVOUS SYSTEM		****	
*CHOROID PLEXUS EPENDYMOMA	(10)	(50)	(48) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
SPECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
NONE			
NUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
*SKELETAL MUSCLE Sarcoma, Nos	(10)	(50)	(48) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
BODY CAVITIES			
NONE			
ALL OTHER SYSTEMS			
NONE			
ANIMAL DISPOSITION SUMMARY			
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY	10	50	50
NATURAL DEATHƏ Moribund Sacrifice Scheduled Sacrifice	1	2 4	3 11
ACCIDENTALLY KILLED TERMINAL SACRIFICE ANIMAL MISSING	9	44	36
<u>@_INCLUDES_AUTOLIZED_ANIMALS</u>	، هم هي زيد جه وه جله منه هو منه عن وي وي وي هو اي وي وي وي اي وي	و خود چې	
<ul> <li>NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE E</li> <li>NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED</li> </ul>	XAMINED MICROSCO	PICALLY	

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
TUMOR SUMMARY			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH PRIMARY TUMORS* TOTAL FRIMARY TUMORS	2 2	5 6	8 8
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH BENIGN TUMORS TOTAL BENIGN TUMORS		1 1	2 2
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH MALIGNANT TUMORS TOTAL MALIGNANT TUMORS	2 2	~3 3	5 5
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH SECONDARY TUMORS# TOTAL SECONDARY TUMORS			
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN- BENIGN OR MALIGNANT TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUMORS		2 2	1 1
TOTAL ANIMALS WITH TUMORS UNCERTAIN- PRIMARY OR METASTATIC TOTAL UNCERTAIN TUMORS			
* PRIMARY TUMORS: ALL TUMORS EXCEPT SE * SECONDARY TUMORS: METASTATIC TUMORS	CONDARY TU OR TUMORS	MORS Invasive into an	ADJACENT ORGAN

#### TABLE B2. FEMALE MICE: NEOPLASMS (CONTINUED)

APPENDIX C

# SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS IN RATS FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

#### TABLE C1.

#### SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS IN MALE RATS FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
AN IMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10 10	50 46 46	50 47 47
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM			
*SUBCUT TISSUE Abscess, Nos	<u>(</u> 10)	(46)	(47) 1 (2%)
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
#LUNG HEMORRHAGE	(10)	(45) 1 (2%)	(47)
*LUNG/ALVEOLI EMPHYSEMA, NOS	(10)	(45) 2 (4%)	(47)
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
#SPLEEN HEMOSIDEROSIS HYPERPLASIA, RETICULUM CELL	(10)	(46) 1 (2%)	(45) 1 (2%)
CIFCULATORY SYSTEM			
#HEART FIBROSIS NECFOSIS, NOS CALCIFICATION, DYSTROPHIC	(10)	(45) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(47)
*MYOCARDIUM INFLAMMATION, INTERSTITIAL	(10)	(45) 1 (2%)	(47)
*ARTERY MEDIAL CALCIFICATION	(10)	(46) 1 (2%)	(47)
*AORTA MEDIAL_CALCIFICATION	(10)	(46) <u> </u>	(47)

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY \* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
#LIVER	(10)	(46)	(47)
INFLAMMATION, NOS	1 (100)	1 (2%)	
PARASITISM	1 (10%)	1 (25)	
DEGENERATION, BALLOONING		1 (2%)	
METAMORPHOSIS FATTY	1 (10%)	7 (15%)	1 (28)
FOCAL CELLULAR CHANGE			1 (2%)
*BILE DUCT	(10)	(46)	(47)
DISTENTION Inflammation Chronic		1 (2%)	2 (4\$)
HYPERPLASIA, NOS		3 (7%)	2 (42)
#DANCRFAS	(10)	(45)	(47)
PERIARTERITI S	1 (10%)	2 (4%)	(-))
#PANCREATTC ACTNUS	(10)	(45)	(47)
ATROPHY, NOS	1.07	1 (2%)	
#STOMACH	(10)	(84)	(46)
ULCER, NOS	(10)	(44)	1 (2%)
CALCIFICATION, DYSTROPHIC		1 (2%)	
#GASTRIC MUCOSA	(10)	(44)	(46)
EROSION	• •		3 (7%)
CALCIFICATION, DYSTROPHIC		1 (2%)	
#CECUM	(4)	(16)	(21)
INFLAMMATION, ACUTE		1 (6%)	
URINARY SYSTEM			
#KT DNRY	(10)	(46)	(47)
PYELONEPHRITIS SUPPURATIVE	(10)	(~~)	1 (2%)
PYELONGPHRITIS, ACUTE/CHRONIC	4 40 <b>0</b> 7 1	0.0 ( <b>F.0.5</b> )	1 (2%)
INFLAMMATION, CHRONIC	4 (40%)	23 (50%)	22 (4/%)
#URINARY BLADDER	(8)	(42)	(41)
INFLAMMATION, NOS INFLAMMATION ACHTE AND CHRONIC		1 (2%)	1 (2%)
HYPERPLASIA, EPITHELIAL		1 (2%)	<u> </u>

#### TABLE C1. MALE RATS: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY # NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
#U, BLADDER/MUCOSA HYPERPLASIA, PAPILLARY METAPLASIA, SQUAMOUS	(8)	(42) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(41)
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			
#PITUITARY CYST, NOS DEGENERATION, CYSTIC NECROSIS, HEMORRHAGIC HYPERPLASIA, CHROMOPHOBE-CELL	(10)	(43) 2 (5%) 1 (2%) 2 (5%)	(41) 5 (12 <b>%</b> )
#ADRENAL DEGENERATION, CYSTIC FOCAL CELLULAR CHANGE	(9)	(46)	(44) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)
#ADRENAL CORTEX Metamorphosis fatty	(9)	(46)	(44) 3 ( <b>7%</b> )
*THYROID CYSTIC FOLLICLES FOLLICULAR CYST, NOS ATROPHY, NOS HYPERPLASIA, FOLLICULAR-CELL	(9) 1 (11%)	(42) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(43) 5 (12 <b>%</b> )
*PARATHIROID HYPERPLASIA, NOS	(8)	(23) 2 (9%)	(26)
REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM #PROSTATE INFLAMMATION, NOS INFLAMMATION, ACUTE SUPPURATIVE INFLAMMATION, CHRONIC	(10)	(40) 1 (3%) 1 (3%)	(44) 1 (2%)
*SEMINAL VESICLE Abscess, Nos	(10)	(46)	(47) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
#TESTIS PERIARTERITIS ATBOPHY, NOS	(10)	(42) 2 (5%) 8 (19%)	(45) 14 (31%)
NBRVOUS SYSTEM			

#### TABLE C1. MALE RATS: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY \* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
SPECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
NONE			
****			
MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
NONE			
BODY CAVITIES			
*MESENTERY	(10)	(46)	(47)
PERIARTERITIS	• •	1 (2%)	
ALL OTHER SYSTEMS			
NONE			
SPECIAL MORPHOLOGY SUMMARY			
NO LESION REPORTED	3	4	3
AUTOLYSIS/NO NECROPSY	-	4	3
	EVANTNED MICBOSCO	DTCALLY	
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# TABLE C1. MALE RATS: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

#### TABLE C2.

#### SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS IN FEMALE RATS FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY	10	50	50
ANIMALS NECROPSIED	10	49	50
ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10	49	50
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM			
*SKIN	(10)	(49)	(50)
ULCER, NOS		1 (2%)	
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
#LUNG/BRONCHUS	(10)	(49)	(50)
INFLAMMATION, ACUTE/CHRONIC			1 (2%
#LUNG	(10)	(49)	(50)
AT ELECTASIS		1 (2%)	
INFLAMMATION, FOCAL		1 (2%)	
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
*BONE NARROW	(9)	(49)	(50)
HYPERPLASIA, HEMATOPOIETIC	1 (11%)		
#SPLEEN	(9)	(48)	(50)
HEMORRHAGE			2 (4%
HEMATOPOIESIS	1 (11%)		
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM			
#NYOCARDIUM	(9)	(49)	(50)
INFLAMMATION, INTERSTITIAL			1 (2%
#ENDOCARDIUM	(9)	(49)	(50)
INFLAMMATION, NOS		1 (2%)	*******
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
#LIVER	(10)	(49)	(50)
METAMORPHOSIS FATTY	1 (10%)	2 (4%)	2_14%

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
BASOPHILIC CYTO CHANGE CLEAR-CELL CHANGE		2 (4%)	1 (2%) 3 (6%)
*BILE DUCT HYPERPLASIA, NOS	(10) 2 (20%)	(49) 1 (2%)	(50) 5 (10 <b>%</b> )
#STONACH ULCER, NOS	(9)	(49) 1 (2%)	(50)
URINARY SYSTEM			
<pre>#KIDNEY INFLAMMATION, CHRONIC NEPHROSIS, TOXIC</pre>	(10)	(49) 3 (6%) 1 (2%)	(49) 5 (10 <b>%</b> )
#U. BLADDER/MUCOSA ULCER, NOS	(8)	(47)	(43) 1 (2%)
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			
#ADRENAL NECROSIS, HEMORRHAGIC METAMORPHOSIS FATTY ANGIECTASIS	<b>(9)</b>	(49) 1 (2%) 3 (6%) 3 (6%)	(47) 4 (9%)
#ADRENAL CORTEX METAMORPHOSIS FATTY ATROPHY, NOS ANGIECTASIS	(9) 1 (11 <b>%</b> )	(49)	(47) 2 (4%) 1 (2%) 1 (2%)
#THYROID CYSTIC FOLLICLES FOLLICULAR CYST, NOS HYPERPLASIA, C-CELL	(8)	(46) 1 (2%) 1 (2%) 7 (15%)	(49) 1 (2%) 9 (18%)
REPRODUCTIVE SYSTEM			
*CERVIX UTERI Hyperplasia, stromai	(8)	(48)	(45) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
#UTERUS/ENDOMETRIUM HYPERPLASIA, CYSTIC	(8)	(48)	(45) <u>1 (25)</u>

# TABLE C2. FEMALE RATS: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY

\* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
(10)	(47) 1 (2%)	(4 7)
1	4	8
	1	1
	<b>CONTROL</b> (10)	CONTROL LOW DOSE (10) (47) 1 (2%)

# TABLE C2. FEMALE RATS: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

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APPENDIX D

# SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS IN MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

#### TABLE D1.

# SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS IN MALE MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
ANIMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10 10 10	50 42 42	50 49 49
INTEGUMENTARY SYSTEM			
NON E			
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
NONE			
HEMATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
NONE			
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM			
NONE			
CIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
#LIV3R	(10)	(38)	(45)
INFLAMMATION, FOCAL NECROSIS, FOCAL	1 (10%)	1 (3%)	1 (2%)
URINARY SYSTEM			
NONE			
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			
NONE	****		
REFRODUCTI VE SYSTEM			
<u>NONE</u>			
# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAM * NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED	INED MICROSCO	PICALLY	

# TABLE D1. MALE MICE: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
NERVOUS SYSTEM	*****		
NERVOUS SISTER			
NONE			
SPECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
NONE			
MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
NONE			
BODY CAVITIES			
*MESENTERY EPIDERMAL INCLUSION CYST	(10)	(42)	(49) 1 (2 <b>%</b> )
ALL OTHER SYSTEMS			
NONE			
SPECIAL MORPHOLOGY SUMMARY			
NO LESION REPORTED	8	34	32
AUTO/NECROPSY/HISTO PERF AUTOLYSIS/NO NECROPSY		4 8	1 1
* NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EX * NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED	ANINED MICROSCO	PICALLY	

#### TABLE D2.

# SUMMARY OF THE INCIDENCE OF NONNOEPLASTIC LESIONS IN FEMALE MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
AN IMALS INITIALLY IN STUDY ANIMALS NECROPSIED ANIMALS EXAMINED HISTOPATHOLOGICALLY	10 10 10	50 50 50 50	50 48 48
INTEGUNENTARY SYSTEM			
NONB			
RESPIRATORY SYSTEM			
NONE	****		
IENATOPOIETIC SYSTEM			
#SPLEEN CONGESTION, NOS	(10) 1 (10%)	(49)	(47)
HYPERPLASIA, RETICULUM CELL HYPERPLASIA, LYMPHOID	1 (10%)	1 (2%) 1 (2%)	(28)
#LYNPH WODE           HYPERPLASIA, NOS	(9)	(48)	(42) 1 (2%)
CIRCULATORY SYSTEM			
NONE			
DIGESTIVE SYSTEM			
<pre>#LIVER INFLAGMATION, ACUTE ABSCESS, NOS</pre>	(10) 1 (10%)	(50)	(47) 1 (2 <b>5</b> )
*BILE DUCT	(10)	(50)	(4 8)

# NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE EXAMINED MICROSCOPICALLY \* NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
*PANCREAS DILATATION/DUCTS	(10)	(46)	(45) 1 (2%)
UPINARY SYSTEM			
*KIDNEY HYDRONEPHROSIS DEGENFRATION, CYSTIC	(10)	(50)	{48} 1 (2%) 1 (2%)
<pre>#KIDNEY/CORTEX ATROPHY, NOS</pre>	(10)	(50)	(48) 1 (2%)
ENDOCRINE SYSTEM			
NONE			
REFRODUCTIVE SYSTEM			
*UTERUS/ENDOMETRIUM Hyperplasia, cystic	(10) 3 (30%)	(48)	(43) 6 (14%)
*OVARY CYST, NOS FOLLICULAR CYST, NOS INFLAMMATION, NOS INFLAMMATION, SUPPURATIVE	(9) 1 (11%)	(45) 1 (2%) 2 (4%) 4 (9%)	(46) 2 (4%) 2 (4%) 4 (9%)
NERVOUS SYSTEM			
NONE			
SPECIAL SENSE ORGANS			
NONE			
MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM			
NONE			
BODY CAVITIES			
<u>NONE</u>	- 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10		
<pre># NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE E) # NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED</pre>	AMINED MICROSCOP	ICALLY	

# TABLE D2. FEMALE MICE: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

	CONTROL	LOW DOSE	HIGH DOSE
ALL OTHER SYSTEMS			
*MULTIPLE ORGANS BACTERIAL SEPTICEMIA	(10)	(50) 1 (2%)	(48)
SPECIAL MORPHOLOGY SUMMARY			
NO LESION REFORTED	3	35	25
AUTOLYSIS/NO NECROPSY		•	2
<pre># NUMBER OF ANIMALS WITH TISSUE * NUMBER OF ANIMALS NECROPSIED</pre>	EXAMINED MICROSCO	PICALLY	

### TABLE D2. FEMALE MICE: NONNEOPLASTIC LESIONS (CONTINUED)

APPENDIX E

### ANALYSES OF THE INCIDENCE OF PRIMARY TUMORS

IN RATS FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

Topography: Morphology	Pooled Control	Matched Control	Low Dose	High Dose
All Sites: Hemangioma (b)	0/49 (0)	0/10 (0)	5/46 (11)	3/47 (6)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	P = 0.024 **	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			Infinite 1.345 Infinite	Infinite 0.628 Infinite
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			Infinite 0.306 Infinite	Infinite 0.142 Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			91	114
Pituitary: Adenoma, NOS (b)	6/42 (14)	4/10 (40)	8/43 (19)	12/41 (29)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			1.302 0.435 4.171	2.049 0.792 6.005
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.465 0.176 1.826	0.732 0.315 2.660
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		91	87	58

(continued)				
Topography: Morphology	Pooled Control	Matched Control	Low Dose	High Dose
Pituitary: Chromophobe Adenoma (b)	10/42 (24)	0/10 (0)	6/43 (14)	1/41 (2)
P Values (c,d)	P = 0.004 (N)	N.S.	N.S.	P = 0.004** (N)
Departure from Linear Trend (e)		P = 0.037		
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.586 0.192 1.612	0.102 0.002 0.669
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			Infinite 0.416 Infinite	Infinite 0.014 Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			111	93
Pituitary: Chromophobe Adenoma or Adenoma, NOS (b)	15/42 (36)	4/10 (40)	14/43 (33)	13/41 (32)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.912 0.470 1.761	0.888 0.448 1.736
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.814 0.362 2.899	0.793 0.347 2.844
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		91	87	58

(continued)				
Topography: Morphology	Pooled Control	Matched Control	Low Dose	High Dose
Adrenal: Adenoma, NOS (b)	2/44 (5)	2/9 (22)	2/46 (4)	8/44 (18)
P Values (c,d)	P = 0.020	N.S.	N.S.	P = 0.045 **
Departure from Linear Trend (e)		P = 0.038		
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.957 0.072 12.702	4.000 0.858 36.904
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.196 0.018 2.519	0.818 0.219 7.302
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	95	108
Adrenal: Adenoma or Carcinoma, NOS (b)	2/44 (5)	2/9 (22)	4/46 (9)	8/44 (18)
P Values (c,d)	P = 0.028	N.S.	N.S.	P = 0.045**
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			1.913 0.290 20.310	4.000 0.858 36.904
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.391 0.073 4.022	0.818 0.219 7.302
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	95	108

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Topography: Morphology	Pooled Control	Matched Control	Low Dose	High Dose
Thyroid: Follicular-cell Adenoma or Carcinoma (b)	2/46 (4)	1/9 (11).	3/42 (7)	1/43 (2)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			1.643 0.198 18.855	0.535 0.009 9.888
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.643 0.064 32.958	0.209 0.003 16.081
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	95	100
Thyroid: C-cell Adenoma (b)	1/46 (2)	0/9 (0)	1/42 (2)	2/43 (5)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			1.095 0.014 83.964	2.140 0.116 123.245
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			Infinite 0.013 Infinite	Infinite 0.069 Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			111	112

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	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphology	Control	Control	Dose	Dose
Pancreatic Islets: Islet-cell				
Carcinoma (b)	0/46 (0)	0/10 (0)	0/45 (0)	3/47 (6)
P Values (c,d)	P = 0.039	N.S.		N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)				Infinite
Lower Limit				0.590
Upper Limit				Infinite
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)				Infinite
Lower Limit				0.142
Upper Limit				Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor				100
Pancreatic Islets: Islet-cell		<u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u>		·····································
Adenoma or Carcinoma (b)	1/46 (2)	0/10 (0)	1/45 (2)	4/47 (9)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			1.022	3.915
Lower Limit			0.013	0.407
Upper Limit			78.492	188.455
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			Infinite	Infinite
Lower Limit			0.013	0.220
Upper Limit			Infinite	Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			111	100

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- (a) Dosed groups received time-weighted average doses of 2.5 or 5 ppm.
- (b) Number of tumor-bearing animals/number of animals examined at site (percent).
- (c) Beneath the incidence of tumors in a control group is the probability level for the Cochran-Armitage test when P less than 0.05; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated. Beneath the incidence of tumors in a dosed group is the probability level for the Fisher exact test for the comparison of that dosed group with the matched-control group (\*) or with the pooledcontrol group (\*\*) when P less than 0.05 for either control group; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated.
- (d) A negative trend (N) indicates a lower incidence in a dosed group than in a control group.
- (e) The probability level for departure from linear trend is given when P less than 0.05 for any comparison.
- (f) The 95% confidence interval of the relative risk between each dosed group and the specified control group.

Control	Control	Dose	Dose
1/47 (2)	1/10 (10)	3/49 (6)	2/49 (4)
N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
		2.878 0.241 147.907	1.918 0.103 110.851
		0.612 0.059 31.507	0.408 0.025 23.619
	110	111	114
4/44 (9)	2/7 (29)	11/47 (23)	13/45 (29)
P = 0.015	N.S.	N.S.	P = 0.016**
		2.574 0.833 10.320	3.178 1.078 12.369
		0.819 0.264 6.928	1.011 0.338 8.364
	110	83	89
	<u>Control</u> 1/47 (2) N.S.  4/44 (9) P = 0.015	Control       Control         1/47 (2)       1/10 (10)         N.S.       N.S.          110         4/44 (9)       2/7 (29)         P = 0.015       N.S.          110	ControlControlDose $1/47$ (2) $1/10$ (10) $3/49$ (6)N.S.N.S.N.S. $2.878$ $0.241$ $147.907$ $0.612$ $0.059$ $31.507$ 110111 $4/44$ (9) $2/7$ (29) $11/47$ (23)P = 0.015N.S.N.S. $2.574$ $0.833$ $10.320$ $0.819$ $0.264$ $6.928$ 11083

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	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphology	Control	Control	Dose	Dose
Pituitary: Adenoma or				
Carcinoma, NOS (b)	7/44 (16)	2/7 (29)	12/47 (26)	13/45 (29)
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P values (c,d)	N•5•	N•5•	N•5•	N•5•
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			1.605	1.816
Lower Limit			0.645	0.749
Upper Limit			4.376	4.858
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			0.894	1.011
Lower Limit			0.294	0.338
Upper Limit			7.479	8.364
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	83	89
Pituitary: Chromophobe		_ / _ / _ \		
Adenoma (B)	6/44 (14)	0/7 (0)	9/47 (19)	7/45 (16)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			1.404	1.141
Lower Limit			0.489	0.357
Upper Limit			4.414	3.789
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Weeks to First Observed Tumor			89	99

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en and an	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphology	Control	<u>Control</u>	Dose	Dose
Pituitary: Chromophobe Adenoma,				
Adenoma, NOS, Carcinoma, NOS, or Adenocarcinoma, NOS (b)	13/44 (30)	2/7 (29)	21/47 (45)	20/45 (44)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			1.512	1.504
Lower Limit			0.833	0.821
Upper Limit			2.843	2.838
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			1.564	1.556
Lower Limit			0.565	0.559
Upper Limit			12.338	12.286
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	83	89
Adrenal: Carcinoma, NOS (b)	2/46 (4)	1/9 (11)	7/49 (14)	3/47 (6)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			3.286	1.468
Lower Limit			0.668	0.176
Upper Limit			31.129	16.917
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			1.286	0.574
Lower Limit			0.211	0.057
Upper Limit			56.687	29.541
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	. 106	114

	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphology	Control	Control	Dose	Dose
Adrenal: Adenoma or				
Carcinoma, NOS (b)	4/46 (9)	3/9 (33)	16/49 (33)	7/47 (15)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	P = 0.041 (	N) $P = 0.004 * *$	N.S.
Departure from Linear Trend (e)	P = 0.003			
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			3.755	1.713
Lower Limit			1.330	0.469
Upper Limit			14.298	7.483
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			0.980	0.447
Lower Limit			0.396	0.143
Upper Limit			4.617	2.384
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	67	114
Thyroid: C-cell Adenoma (b)	1/45 (2)	0/8 (0)	4/46 (9)	3/49 (6)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			3.913	2.755
Lower Limit			0.408	0.231
Upper Limit			188.275	141.569
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			Infinite	Infinite
Lower Limit			0.186	0.113
Upper Limit			Infinite	Infinite
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Tanagrashy: Norshalagy	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphorogy	CONCION	Control	DOSE	Dose
Mammary Gland: Fibroma (b)	1/48 (2)	0/10 (0)	3/49 (6)	0/50 (0)
P Values (c, d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			2.939	0.000
Lower Limit			0.246	0.000
Upper Limit			151.057	17.913
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			Infinite	
Lower Limit			0.136	
Upper Limit			Infinite	
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			70	
Mammary Gland: Fibroadenoma (b)	6/48 (13)	1/10 (10)	3/49 (6)	2/50 (4)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			0.490	0.320
Lower Limit			0.083	0.033
Upper Limit			2.152	1.687
Relative Risk (Mached Control) (f)			0.612	0.400
Lower Limit			0.059	0.025
Upper Limit			31.507	23.156
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		100	106	109

	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphology	Control	Control	Dose	Dose
Uterus: Endometrial Stromal Polyp (b)	5/42 (12)	1/8 (13)	5/48 (10)	2/45 (4)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			0.875	0.373
Lower Limit			0.217	0.037
Upper Limit			3.551	2.142
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			0.833	0.356
Lower Limit			0.122	0.023
Upper Limit			38.589	20.543
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		110	67	47

(a) Dosed groups received time-weighted average doses of 3 or 6 ppm.

- (b) Number of tumor-bearing animals/number of animals examined at site (percent).
- (c) Beneath the incidence of tumors in a control group is the probability level for the Cochran-Armitage test when P less than 0.05; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated. Beneath the incidence of tumors in a dosed group is the probability level for the Fisher exact test for the comparison of that dosed group with the matched-control group (\*) or with the pooledcontrol group (\*\*) when P less than 0.05 for either control group; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated.
#### Table E2. Analyses of the Incidence of Primary Tumors in Female Rats Fed Endrin in the Diet (a)

### (continued)

- (d) A negative trend (N) indicates a lower incidence in a dosed group than in a control group.
- (e) The probability level for departure from linear trend is given when P less than 0.05 for any comparison.
- (f) The 95% confidence interval of the relative risk between each dosed group and the specified control group.

APPENDIX F

# ANALYSES OF THE INCIDENCE OF PRIMARY TUMORS

IN MICE FED ENDRIN IN THE DIET

Topography: Morphology	Pooled Control	Matched Control	Low Dose	High Dose
Lung: Alveolar/Bronchiolar Adenoma (b)	4/58 (7)	0/10 (0)	1/40 (3)	5/44 (11)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.362 0.007 3.472	1.648 0.357 7.817
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			Infinite 0.015 Infinite	Infinite 0.320 Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			90	87
Liver: Neoplastic Nodule (b)	1/58 (2)	0/10 (0)	2/38 (5)	3/45 (7)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			3.053 0.164 175.234	3.867 0.323 198.299
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			Infinite 0.086 Infinite	Infinite 0.149 Infinite
Weeks to First Observed Tumor			90	91

### Table Fl. Analyses of the Incidence of Primary Tumors in Male Mice Fed Endrin in the Diet (a)

(continued)				
Topography: Morphology	Pooled Control	Matched Control	Low Dose	High Dose
Liver: Hepatocellular Carcinoma (b)	12/58 (21)	1/10 (10)	1/38 (3)	7/45 (16)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	P = 0.009(N)**	N.S.
Departure from Linear Trend (e)	P = 0.020			
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.127 0.003 0.800	0.752 0.272 1.887
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.263 0.004 20.149	1.556 0.249 68.402
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		90	90	82
Liver: Neoplastic Nodule or Hepatocellular Carcinoma (b)	13/58 (22)	1/10 (10)	3/38 (8)	10/45 (22)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Poo!ed Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.352 0.068 1.173	0.991 0.427 2.204
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f) Lower Limit Upper Limit			0.789 0.077 40.346	2.222 0.397 93.874
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		90	90	82

### Table Fl. Analyses of the Incidence of Primary Tumors in Male Mice Fed Endrin in the Diet (a)

#### (continued)

- (a) Dosed groups received time-weighted average doses of 1.6 or 3.2 ppm.
- (b) Number of tumor-bearing animals/number of animals examined at site (percent).
- (c) Beneath the incidence of tumors in a control group is the probability level for the Cochran-Armitage test when P less than 0.05; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated. Beneath the incidence of tumors in a dosed group is the probability level for the Fisher exact test for the comparison of that dosed group with the matched-control group (\*) or with the pooled-control group (\*\*) when P less than 0.05 for either control group; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated.
- (d) A negative trend (N) indicates a lower incidence in a dosed group than in a control group.
- (e) The probability level for departure from linear trend is given when P less than 0.05 for any comparison.
  - (f) The 95% confidence interval of the relative risk between each dosed group and the specified control group.

	Pooled	Matched	Low	High
Topography: Morphology	<u>Control</u>	Control	Dose	Dose
Liver: Hepatocellular				
Carcinoma (b)	2/59 (3)	2/10 (20)	1/50 (2)	0/47 (0)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	P = 0.011(N)	N.S.	P = 0.028*(N)
Departure from Linear Trend (e)		P = 0.029		
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			0.590	0.000
Lower Limit			0.010	0.000
Upper Limit			10.973	4.239
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			0.100	0.000
Lower Limit			0.002	0.000
Upper Limit			1.810	0.708
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		90	90	
Liver: Neoplastic Nodule or	₩ <u>₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩</u> ₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩₩	,,,,, <u>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u>		
Hepatocellular Carcinoma (b)	3/59 (5)	2/10 (20)	3/50 (6)	1/47 (2)
P Values (c,d)	N.S.	P = 0.047 (N)	N.S.	N.S.
Relative Risk (Pooled Control) (f)			1.180	0.418
Lower Limit			0.165	0.008
Upper Limit			8.432	4.998
Relative Risk (Matched Control) (f)			0.300	0.106
Lower Limit			0.043	0.002
Upper Limit			3.368	1.922
Weeks to First Observed Tumor		90	90	91

### Table F2. Analyses of the Incidence of Primary Tumors in Female Mice Fed Endrin in the Diet (a)

#### Table F2. Analyses of the Incidence of Primary Tumors in Female Mice Fed Endrin in the Diet (a)

#### (continued)

- (a) Dosed groups received time-weighted average doses of 2.5 or 5 ppm.
- (b) Number of tumor-bearing animals/number of animals examined at site (percent).
- (c) Beneath the incidence of tumors in a control group is the probability level for the Cochran-Armitage test when P less than 0.05; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated. Beneath the incidence of tumors in a dosed group is the probability level for the Fisher exact test for the comparison of that dosed group with the matched-control group (\*) or with the pooledcontrol group (\*\*) when P less than 0.05 for either control group; otherwise, not significant (N.S.) is indicated.
- (d) A negative trend (N) indicates a lower incidence in a dosed group than in a control group.
- (e) The probability level for departure from linear trend is given when P less than 0.05 for any comparison.
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- (f) The 95% confidence interval of the relative risk between each dosed group and the specified control group.

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APPENDIX G

### ANALYSIS OF FORMULATED DIETS

FOR CONCENTRATIONS OF ENDRIN

### APPENDIX G

## Analysis of Formulated Diets for Concentrations of Endrin

A 100-g sample of the formulated diet was shaken with 125 ml hexane for 16 hours at room temperature. The extract was filtered through Celite with hexane washes and reduced in volume to 10 ml. After appropriate dilutions, the solution was analyzed quantitatively for endrin by gas-liquid chromatography (electron capture detector, 10% DC-200 on Gas Chrom Q). Recoveries were determined from spiked samples, and external standards were used for calibrations.

Theoretical Concentrations in Diet (ppm)	ical No. of Sample Coefficients Samples Analytical Variat (ppm) Mean (ppm)		Coefficient of Variation (%)	Range (ppm)
1.25	13	1.29	3.6%	1.18-1.33
2.50	22	2.53	2.9%	2.40-2.65
5.00	21	5.04	3.6%	4.75-5.40
10.00	3	10.0	0.6%	9.90-10.0

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Review of the Bioassay of Endrin\* for Carcinogenicity by the Data Evaluation/Risk Assessment Subgroup of the Clearinghouse on Environmental Carcinogens

August 31, 1978

The Clearinghouse on Environmental Carcinogens was established in May, 1976, in compliance with DHEW Committee Regulations and the Provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The purpose of the Clearinghouse is to advise the Director of the National Cancer Institute (NCI) on its bioassay program to identify and to evaluate chemical carcinogens in the environment to which humans may be exposed. The members of the Clearinghouse have been drawn from academia, industry, organized labor, public interest groups, State health officials, and quasi-public health and research organizations. Members have been selected on the basis of their experience in carcinogenesis or related fields and, collectively, provide expertise in chemistry, biochemistry, biostatistics, toxicology, pathology, and epidemiology. Representatives of various Governmental agencies participate as ad hoc members. The Data Evaluation/Risk Assessment Subgroup of the Clearinghouse is charged with the responsibility of providing a peer review of reports prepared on NCI-sponsored bioassays of chemicals studied for carcinogenicity. It is in this context that the below critique is given on the bioassay of Endrin for carcinogenicity.

The primary reviewer said that Endrin was not carcinogenic in rats or mice, under the conditions of test. He added that the negative findings could be a reflection of the high toxicity of Endrin, which permitted the administration of relatively low chronic dosages. The primary reviewer pointed out that an accidental overdose among low dose male mice resulted in the early death of a number of animals in this treatment group. He also indicated that the study was marred by the small number of matched control animals. However, this deficiency was compensated for by the use of pooled controls in the statistical analysis of the study. The primary reviewer said that the study provided little or no information on the potential risk to man of Endrin, particularly since there is no information on how chloro-cyclic alkanes act in humans.

The secondary reviewer said that the shortcomings of the study did not invalidate the conclusion that, under the conditions of test, Endrin was not carcinogenic.

A motion was as approved unanimously that the report on the bioassay of Endrin be accepted as written.

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<sup>\*</sup> Subsequent to this review, changes may have been made in the bioassay report either as a result of the review or other reasons. Thus, certain comments and criticisms reflected in the review may no longer be appropriate.

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