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Dibenz[a,h]acridine

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National Cancer Institute. <u>Dibenz[a,h]acridine</u>. NCI Thesaurus. Code C44367.

A aromatic hydrocarbon consisting of five fused rings formed during the incomplete burning of organic matter. Benz[a,h]acridine is primarily found in petroleum refinery incinerator emissions, coal combustion emissions, cigarette smoke and coal tar pitch. This substance is used only for research purposes. Benzo[a,h]acridine is reasonably anticipated to be a human carcinogen. (NCI05)