

Allergy to IPPD

What am I allergic to?

You have been found to be allergic to **IPPD**.

What is IPPD?

IPPD is known technically as **n-isopropyl-n-phenyl-4-phenylenediamine**. It is used in black rubber compounds to prevent weathering or perishing.

What must I avoid?

The reaction to this substance is usually localised to the area of skin contact, but may be more widespread. You should avoid coming into contact with any product that contains this chemical in its list of ingredients, such as those below.

Where can IPPD be found?

IPPD can be found in:

- Tyres
- Conveyor belts
- Hoses and tubes
- Car bumpers
- Rubber boots
- Tool, machine and motorcycle handles
- Black rubber gloves
- Elastic in clothes and underwear
- Diving suits and scuba face masks
- Leg dressings and orthopaedic bandages
- Braziers
- Squash balls
- Watch straps
- Spectacle chains

This list is not exhaustive.

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