

Material Safety Data Sheet

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Section 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name Product Number Brand

Hygromycin B, From Streptomyces hygroscopicus H9773

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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

Substance Name

CAS# 31282-04-9 **SARA 313** EC no Annex I Index Number

250-545-5 No

HYGROMYCIN B

Formula

Synonyms

C20H37N3O13

Antihelmycin, Hydromycin B, Hygromix 2.4, Hygromix-8, Hygromycin B, Hygrovetine

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

Emergency Overview

Highly Toxic (USA) Very Toxic (EU).

Very toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Risk of serious damage to eyes

Lachrymator, Target organ(s): Ears.

HMIS Rating

Flammability: 0 Health: 4*

Reactivity: 0

NFPA Rating

Health: 4

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 0

*additional chronic hazards present

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Oral Exposure

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician immediately.

Inhalation Exposure

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

Dermal Exposure

In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Call a physician.

Eye Exposure

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the evelids with fingers. Call a physician.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

Autoignition Temp:

N/A

Extinguishing Media

Suitable

Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

Firefighting

Protective Equipment

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

Specific Hazard(s)

Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

Procedure to be Followed in Case of Leak or Spill

Evacuate area.

Procedure(s) of Personal Precaution(s)

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

Methods for Cleaning Up

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling

User Exposure

Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

Storage

Suitable

Keep tightly closed. Store at 2-8°C

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

Engineering Controls

Safety shower and eye bath. Use only in a chemical fume hood.

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory

Government approved respirator.

Hand

Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Chemical safety goggles.

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General Hygiene Measures

Appearance

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Wash thoroughly after handling.

Form

Powder

Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

Physical State Solid	Color Light beige
Molecular Weight:	527.5 AMU
pH	N/A
BP/BP Range	N/A
MP/MP Range	N/A
Freezing Point	N/A
Vapor Pressure	N/A
Vapor Density	N/A
Saturated Vapor Conc.	N/A
SG/Density	N/A
Bulk Density	N/A
Odor Threshold Volatile%	N/A N/A
VOC Content	N/A
Water Content	N/A
Solvent Content	N/A
Evaporation Rate	N/A
Viscosity	N/A
Partition Coefficient	N/A
Decomposition Temp.	N/A
Flash Point °F	N/A
Flash Point °C	N/A
Explosion Limits	N/A
Flammability	N/A
Autoignition Temp	N/A
Solubility	N/A

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Stability

Stable Stable.

N/A = not available

Materials to Avoid

Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

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Thermal decomposition may produce carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, and nitrogen oxides.

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Hazardous Polymerization

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Will not occur.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Route of Exposure

Skin Contact

Causes skin irritation.

Skin Absorption

May be fatal if absorbed through skin.

Eye Contact

Causes severe eye irritation.

Inhalation

May be fatal if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.

Ingestion

May be fatal if swallowed.

Sensitization

Respiratory

May cause allergic respiratory reaction.

May cause allergic skin reaction.

Target Organ(s) or System(s)

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Symptoms of exposure may include burning sensation, coughing, wheezing, laryngitis, shortness of breath, headache, nausea, and vomiting. Exposure can cause: Conjunctivitis. Dermatitis. Repeated exposure can cause hearing loss.

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Toxicity Data

Inhalation - Rat: 2.22 mg/m3 (LC50)

Remarks: Sense Organs and Special Senses (Nose, Eye, Ear, and Taste): Olfaction: Other changes.

Sense Organs and Special Senses (Nose, Eye, Ear, and Taste): Eye: Conjunctive irritation.

Behavioral: Aggression.

Intraperitoneal - Rat: 63 MG/KG (LD50)

Oral - Mouse: 46000 UNITS/KG (LD50)

Intravenous - Mouse: 6 MG/KG (LD50)

Intraperitoneal - Guinea pig: 13 MG/KG (LD50)

Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Appropriate Method of Disposal of Substance or Preparation

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT

Proper Shipping Name: Toxins, from living sources, solid, n.o.s.

UN#: 3172

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Class: 6.1

Packing Group: Packing Group I Hazard Label: Toxic substances.

Proper Shipping Name: Toxins, extracted from living sources, solid, n.o.s.

IATA UN Number: 3172 Hazard Class: 6.1 Packing Group: |

Not Allowed - Aircraft: Cargo aircraft only. Not permitted on passenger aircraft.

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EU Additional Classification

Symbol of Danger: T+

Indication of Danger Very toxic.

Risk Statements

R: 26/27/28 41 42/43

Very toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed. Risk of serious damage to eyes. May cause sensitization by

inhalation and skin contact.

Safety Statements

S: 22 26 28 36/37/39 45

Do not breathe dust. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of polyethylene glycol in ethanol. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eyel/face protection. In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

US Classification and Label Text

Indication of Danger

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US Statements

Lachrymator. Target organ(s): Ears.

United States Regulatory Information

SARA Listed: No

United States - State Regulatory Information

California Prop - 65

This product is or contains chemical(s) known to the state of California to cause developmental toxicity.

Canada Regulatory Information

WHMIS Classification

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

DSL: No

NDSL: No

Section 16 - Other Information

Disclaimer

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