

Material Safety Data Sheet

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Section 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name Product Number

Brand

L-Cysteine hydrochloride monohydrate, minimum 98% TLC C7880

Sigma Chemical

Company

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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

Substance Name

CAS#

SARA 313

EC no

Annex I Index Number

L-CYSTEINE HYDROCHLORIDE HYDRATE

345909-32-2

No

Formula Synonyms C3H7NO2S.HCI.xH2O

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

Emergency Overview

Irritant.

Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

HMIS Rating

Health: 2

Flammability: 0

Reactivity: 1

NFPA Rating

Flammability: 0 Health: 2

Reactivity: 1

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.

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 contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

Eve Exposure

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

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(s) of Personal Precaution(s)

Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, 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

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Handling

User Exposure

Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

Storage

Suitable

Keep tightly closed.

Special Requirements

Air and light sensitive.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

Engineering Controls

Safety shower and eye bath. Mechanical exhaust required.

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory

Government approved respirator.

Hand

Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Chemical safety goggles.

General Hygiene Measures

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

Appearance

Physical State

Solid

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Molecular Weight: 175.6 AMU 1.0 - 2.0 BP/BP Range N/A N/A MP/MP Range 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 N/A Volatile% N/A **VOC Content** N/A Water Content N/A Solvent Content N/A **Evaporation Rate** N/A Viscosity N/A **Partition Coefficient** Decomposition Temp. N/A Flash Point °F N/A Flash Point °C N/A Explosion Limits N/A Flammability NI/A Autoignition Temp N/A

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Solubility in Water: 10% in H2O, 25°C

Stability

Solubility

Stable

Stable.

N/A = not available

Conditions to Avoid

Protect from moisture. May discolor on exposure to air and light.

Materials to Avoid

Strong oxidizing agents, Avoid contact with metals.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

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Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Nitrogen oxides, Sulfur oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas.

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 harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact

Causes eye irritation.

Inhalation

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Material is irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. May be harmful if inhaled.

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Ingestion

Concentration: 25 g/l 100 g/l

May be harmful if swallowed.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

RTECS Number: N/A

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: None

Non-Hazardous for Transport: This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

IATA

Non-Hazardous for Air Transport: Non-hazardous for air transport.

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EU Additional Classification

Symbol of Danger: Xi

Indication of Danger

Irritant.

Risk Statements R: 36/37/38

Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Safety Statements

S: 26

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

US Classification and Label Text

Indication of Danger

Irritant.

Risk Statements

Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Safety Statements

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United States Regulatory Information

SARA Listed: No

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

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Section 16 - Other Information

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Warranty

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