



SAFETY DATA SHEET

This safety data sheet was created pursuant to the requirements of:
Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 and Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

| | |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Product Name | Agarose, Pulse-field Certified |
| Catalogue Number(s) | 1620137, 1620138, 1620139, 1620138EDU |
| Form | Not applicable |
| EC No (EU Index No) | 232-731-8 |
| CAS No. | 9012-36-6 |
| Pure substance/mixture | Substance |

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

| | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Recommended use | Laboratory chemicals |
| Uses advised against | No information available |

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to
Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

2.2. Label elements

This mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard statements

This mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

| Chemical name | Weight-% | REACH registration number | EC No (EU Index No) | Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP] | Specific concentration limit (SCL) | M-Factor | M-Factor (long-term) |
|-------------------|----------|---------------------------|---------------------|---|------------------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| Agarose 9012-36-6 | 50 - 100 | Not available | 232-731-8 | Not classified | - | - | - |

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16

Acute Toxicity Estimate

No information available

This product does not contain candidate substances of very high concern at a concentration $\geq 0.1\%$ (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 59)

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| Inhalation | Remove to fresh air. |
| Eye contact | Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a doctor. |
| Skin contact | Wash skin with soap and water. In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a doctor. |
| Ingestion | Rinse mouth. |

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1. Extinguishing media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards arising from the chemical No information available.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation.

For emergency responders Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal.

Prevention of secondary hazards Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

Advice on safe handling Ensure adequate ventilation.

General hygiene considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Store according to product and label instructions.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Risk Management Methods (RMM) The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure Limits This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Biological occupational exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) No information available.

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC) No information available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection No special protective equipment required.

Skin and body protection No special protective equipment required.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Solid

Appearance Powder

Colour white

Odour Odourless.

Odour threshold No information available

| <u>Property</u> | <u>Values</u> | <u>Remarks • Method</u> |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Melting point / freezing point | No data available | None known |
| Initial boiling point and boiling range | No data available | None known |
| Flammability | No data available | None known |
| Flammability Limit in Air | | None known |
| Upper flammability or explosive limits | No data available | |
| Lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available | |
| Flash point | No data available | None known |
| Autoignition temperature | No data available | None known |
| Decomposition temperature | | None known |
| pH | | None known |
| pH (as aqueous solution) | No data available | None known |
| Kinematic viscosity | No data available | None known |
| Dynamic viscosity | No data available | None known |
| Water solubility | Insoluble in water | |
| Solubility(ies) | No data available | None known |
| Partition coefficient | No data available | None known |
| Vapour pressure | No data available | None known |
| Relative density | No data available | None known |
| Bulk density | No data available | |
| Liquid Density | No data available | |
| Relative vapour density | No data available | None known |
| Particle characteristics | | |
| Particle Size | No information available | |
| Particle Size Distribution | No information available | |

9.2. Other information**9.2.1. Information with regards to physical hazard classes**

Not applicable

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

No information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**10.1. Reactivity**

| | |
|------------|---------------------------|
| Reactivity | No information available. |
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10.2. Chemical stability

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| Stability | Stable under normal conditions. |
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Explosion data

| | |
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| Sensitivity to mechanical impact | None. |
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| Sensitivity to static discharge | None. |
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10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

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|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Possibility of hazardous reactions | None under normal processing. |
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10.4. Conditions to avoid

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|---------------------|---|
| Conditions to avoid | None known based on information supplied. |
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10.5. Incompatible materials

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|------------------------|---|
| Incompatible materials | None known based on information supplied. |
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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008****Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| Inhalation | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. |
| Eye contact | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. |
| Skin contact | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. |
| Ingestion | Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. |

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Symptoms No information available.

Acute toxicity

Numerical measures of toxicity
No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

| | |
|--|---------------------------|
| Skin corrosion/irritation | No information available. |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | No information available. |
| Respiratory or skin sensitisation | No information available. |
| Germ cell mutagenicity | No information available. |
| Carcinogenicity | No information available. |
| Reproductive toxicity | No information available. |
| STOT - single exposure | No information available. |
| STOT - repeated exposure | No information available. |
| Aspiration hazard | No information available. |

11.2. Information on other hazards**11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties**

Endocrine disrupting properties Not applicable.

11.2.2. Other information

Other adverse effects No information available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information**12.1. Toxicity**

Ecotoxicity The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation There is no data for this product.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil No information available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment No information available.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties**12.7. Other adverse effects**

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1. Waste treatment methods**

Waste from residues/unused products Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

SECTION 14: Transport information**IATA**

14.1 UN number or ID number Not regulated

14.2 UN proper shipping name Not regulated

14.3 Transport hazard class(es) Not regulated

| | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 14.4 Packing group | Not regulated |
| 14.5 Environmental hazards | Not applicable |
| 14.6 Special precautions for user | |
| Special Provisions | None |
| IMDG | |
| 14.1 UN number or ID number | Not regulated |
| 14.2 UN proper shipping name | Not regulated |
| 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | Not regulated |
| 14.4 Packing group | Not regulated |
| 14.5 Environmental hazards | Not applicable |
| 14.6 Special precautions for user | |
| Special Provisions | None |
| 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments | No information available |

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| RID | |
| 14.1 UN number or ID number | Not regulated |
| 14.2 UN proper shipping name | Not regulated |
| 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | Not regulated |
| 14.4 Packing group | Not regulated |
| 14.5 Environmental hazards | Not applicable |
| 14.6 Special precautions for user | |
| Special Provisions | None |

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|--|----------------|
| ADR | |
| 14.1 UN number or ID number | Not regulated |
| 14.2 UN proper shipping name | Not regulated |
| 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) | Not regulated |
| 14.4 Packing group | Not regulated |
| 14.5 Environmental hazards | Not applicable |
| 14.6 Special precautions for user | |
| Special Provisions | None |

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

National regulations

Germany

Water hazard class (WGK) non-hazardous to water (nwg)

European Union

Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work.

Authorisations and/or restrictions on use:

This product does not contain substances subject to authorisation (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex XIV) This product does not contain substances subject to restriction (Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), Annex XVII)

Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not applicable

Ozone-depleting substances (ODS) Regulation (EU) 2024/590

Not applicable

International Inventories

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

15.2. Chemical safety assessment**Chemical Safety Report**

No information available

SECTION 16: Other information**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Legend**

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average)

STEL

STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

Sk*

Skin designation

| Classification procedure | |
|---|--------------------|
| Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP] | Method Used |
| Acute oral toxicity | Calculation method |
| Acute dermal toxicity | Calculation method |
| Acute inhalation toxicity - gas | Calculation method |
| Acute inhalation toxicity - vapour | Calculation method |
| Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist | Calculation method |
| Skin corrosion/irritation | Calculation method |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | Calculation method |
| Respiratory sensitisation | Calculation method |
| Skin sensitisation | Calculation method |
| Mutagenicity | Calculation method |
| Carcinogenicity | Calculation method |
| Reproductive toxicity | Calculation method |
| STOT - single exposure | Calculation method |
| STOT - repeated exposure | Calculation method |
| Acute aquatic toxicity | Calculation method |
| Chronic aquatic toxicity | Calculation method |
| Aspiration hazard | Calculation method |
| Ozone | Calculation method |

Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) Committee for Risk Assessment (ECHA_RAC)

European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) (ECHA_API)

Environmental Protection Agency

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)

Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)
U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme
Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set
World Health Organization

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