

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

Australian statement of hazardous nature: Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

### Section 1 - Identification

Product Name <u>Ferrocene</u>

**CAS No** 102-54-5

Synonyms Dicyclopentadienyliron

Product Code B25007

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Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction. This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National

Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern.

## Section 2 - Hazard(s) Identification

#### Classification under Safe Work Australia

Classified as hazardous according to criteria of Safe Work Australia

Physical hazards

Flammable solids Category 2

**Health hazards** 

Acute Oral Toxicity Category 4

**Environmental hazards** 

Chronic aquatic toxicity Category 2

**Label Elements** 

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Flame

**Exclamation Mark** 

#### Signal Word Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

H228 - Flammable solid

H302 - Harmful if swallowed

H411 - Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

P240 - Ground and bond container and receiving equipment

P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P301 + P312 - IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

P330 - Rinse mouth

P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other information

Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates

# Section 3 - Composition and Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %	
Dicyclopentadienyl iron	102-54-5	98	

### Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Inhalation Remove from exposure, lie down. Remove to fresh air. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method

if victim ingested or inhaled the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Get

medical attention. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact**Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Get medical attention.

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

Self-Protection of the First Aider Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

First Aid Facilities Eyewash, safety shower and washroom.

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Most important symptoms and

effects

No information available.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

# Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

#### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>).

#### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Flammable. Combustible material.

#### Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

#### **Emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

#### Methods for Containment and Clean Up

#### Clean-up methods - small spillage

Remove all sources of ignition. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Do not let this chemical enter the environment.

#### Clean-up methods - large spillage

Typically only supplied is small quantiites as packaged goods.

If extremely toxic or used in larger quantities ensure a spillage action plan is in place. Evacuate area. Control the source and/or contain the spill if safe and able to do so. Use temporary diking, sand bags, dry sand, earth or proprietary booms/absorbent pads if available. Obtain advice on containment, neutralisation and clean-up from local emergency responders.

#### **Reference to Other Sections**

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## Section 7 - Handling and Storage

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe dust. Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Use only non-sparking tools.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. Flammables area.

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AS/NZS 2243.10:2004, Safety in laboratories - Storage of chemicals

## Section 8 - Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### Exposure limits

**AUS** - Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment - Guidance Note on the Interpretation of Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:3008(1995)] Adopted National Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants in the Occupational Environment [NOHSC:1003(1995)] updated in August, 2005. Safe Work Australia **ACGIH** - Threshold Limit Values - Ceiling (TLV-C) guidelines by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) for controlling worker exposure to airborne chemical concentrations in the workplace. **UK** - EH40/2005 Work Exposure Limits, Fourth edition. Published 2020.

Component	Australia	New Zealand WEL	ACGIH TLV	The United Kingdom	Germany
Dicyclopentadienyl	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 1	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 1	STEL: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min	
iron	mg/m³		mg/m³	TWA: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr	

#### **Biological limit values**

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

#### **Exposure Controls**

#### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

#### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** 

Goggles (Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 - Eye protectors for Industrial

applications)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	AUS/NZ Standard	Glove comments
Nitrile rubber	See manufacturers	-	AS/NZS 2161	(minimum requirement)
Neoprene	recommendations			
Natural rubber				
PVC				

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Repiratory Protection Use an AS/NZS 1716 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or

other symptoms are experienced. To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used and maintained in line with AS/NZS 1715 on the use

and maintenance of repiratory protective devices

Recommended Filter type: Particulates filter conforming to EN 143 (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

Recommended half mask:- Particle filtering: EN149:2001 (or AUS/NZ equivalent)

When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Environmental exposure controls Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water

system.

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# Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

#### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Amber
Physical State Powder Solid

**Odor** Strong

Odor Threshold No data available PH No information available

Melting Point/Range 173 - 176 °C / 343.4 - 348.8 °F

Softening Point No data available

Boiling Point/Range 249 °C / 480.2 °F @ 760 mmHg

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable Solid

Flammability (solid,gas)

No information available

Explosion Limits No data available

Vapor Pressure No data available

Vapor Density Not applicable Solid

Specific Gravity / Density

Bulk Density

Water Solubility

Solubility in other solvents

No data available
No data available
practically insoluble
No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

Componentlog PowDicyclopentadienyl iron3.711

Autoignition Temperature

Decomposition Temperature

Not applicable

No data available

Viscosity Not applicable Solid

Explosive Properties No information available Oxidizing Properties No information available

Other information

Molecular Formula C10 H10 Fe
Molecular Weight 186.04

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions. heat sensitive.

Conditions to Avoid Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition, Excess heat,

Incompatible products.

Incompatible Materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

**Hazardous Polymerization**No information available.

### Section 11 - Toxicological Information

Information on Toxicological Effects

**Product Information** 

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(a) acute toxicity;

OralCategory 4DermalNo data availableInhalationNo data available

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Dicyclopentadienyl iron	LD50 = 1320 mg/kg (Rat)	LD50 > 3000 mg/kg (Rat)	

(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

(c) serious eye damage/irritation; No data available

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

**Respiratory**Skin
No data available
No data available

(e) germ cell mutagenicity; No data available

(f) carcinogenicity; No data available

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

(g) reproductive toxicity; No data available

(h) STOT-single exposure; No data available

(i) STOT-repeated exposure; No data available

Target Organs No information available.

(j) aspiration hazard; Not applicable

Solid

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity effects**Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic

environment. The product contains following substances which are hazardous for the

environment.

Persistence and Degradability

**Persistence** Soluble in water, Persistence is unlikely, based on information available.

**Degradation in sewage treatment plant**Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

Bioaccumulative Potential Bioaccumulation is unlikely

Component	log Pow	Bioconcentration factor (BCF)			
Dicyclopentadienyl iron	3.711	No data available			
Mobility	The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems. Will likely be m				
	environment due to its water solubility Highly mobile in soils				
<b>Endocrine Disruptor Information</b>	This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors				
Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance					
Ozone Depletion Potential	This product does not contain any known or si	wn or suspected substance			

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## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Waste from Residues/Unused

**Products** 

Do not allow into drains or watercourses or dispose of where ground or surface waters may be affected. Wastes, including emptied containers, are controlled wastes and should be disposed of in accordance with all federal, E.P.A., state and local regulations. Assure

conformity with all applicable regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

Other Information Chemical wastes should be disposed through a licensed commercial waste collection

> service. Do not flush to sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this

chemical enter the environment.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

#### IMDG/IMO

**UN-No** UN1325

FLAMMABLE SOLIDS, ORGANIC, N.O.S. **Proper Shipping Name** 

**Technical Shipping Name** (FERROCENE)

**Hazard Class** 4.1 **Packing Group** Ш

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**UN-No** UN1325

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**Environmental hazards** Dangerous for the environment

Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

**Special Precautions** No special precautions required

**Additional information** None known

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

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

**National Regulations** Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters.

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#### Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

Classified as a scheduled poison according to the Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons.

Component	Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons
Dicyclopentadienyl iron - 102-54-5	Schedule 2 listed
	Schedule 4 listed - in injectable preparations for human use
	Schedule 5 listed - for the treatment of animals except up to 1% of Iron oxides when present as an
	excipient;in preparations for injection except in preparations containing <=0.1% of Iron
	Schedule 5 listed - for the treatment of animals except up to 1% of Iron oxides when present as an
	excipient;in other preparations except in liquid or gel preparations containing <=0.1% of Iron, or in
	animal feeds or feed premixes
	Schedule 5 listed - for use as agricultural chemicals except in preparations containing <=4% of Iron
	Schedule 6 listed - except up to 1% of Iron oxides when present as an excipient. For the treatment of
	animals except: when included in Schedule 5, in liquid or gel preparations containing <=0.1% of Iron,
	or in animal feeds or feed premixes

#### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

	Component	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
Dicy	yclopentadienyl iron - 102-54-5	Present	-

#### Australian - Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents Substance List

This product does not contain any substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list.

#### **Chemicals of Security Concern**

This product does not contain any substance(s) listed on the voluntary National Code of Practice for Chemicals of Security Concern

National pollutant inventory Not applicable

#### Prohibition or notification/licensing requirements

Shown below are details of specific prohibition/notifications or licencing requirements when they apply.

This product does not contain any substance(s) subject to Prohibition, Authorization or Restriction.

#### **International Inventories**

Component	AICS	NZIoC	EINECS	ELINCS	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	<b>ENCS</b>	ISHL	IECSC	KECL
Dicyclopentadienyl	Х	Х	203-039-3	-	X	Х	-	Х	Х	Х	Х	99-3-1231
iron												

Legend: X - Listed. '-' - Not Listed. KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

#### International Regulations

Ozone Depletion Potential This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Persistent Organic Pollutant This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

Rotterdam Convention (PIC) Not applicable

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Basel convention on the control of transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and their dispoal Not applicable.

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements
Dicyclopentadienyl iron	102-54-5	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

Not applicable

### Section 16 - Other Information

#### Legend

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

NZS 5433:2012 - Transport of Dangerous Goods on Land

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50% WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit DNEL - Derived No Effect Level

**POW** - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water **vPvB** - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

VOC - (Volatile Organic Compound)

NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical

Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances ENCS - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime

Dangerous Goods Code

ADG Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%
ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

#### Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

#### **Training Advice**

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hygiene

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

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This Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is prepared in accordance to and complies with the requirements of Safe Work Australia - Work Health and Safety Regulations (WHS Regulations).

#### Disclaimer

The information provided in this Safety Data Sheet is correct to the best of our knowledge, information and belief at the

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