

Safety Data Sheet

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name Tetrodotoxin

UN/ID No 3462

Recommended use For research use only

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS - Classification

Acute oral toxicity	Category 1
Acute dermal toxicity	Category 1
Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist	Category 2

GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard statements

H300 - Fatal if swallowed
H310 - Fatal in contact with skin
H330 - Fatal if inhaled

Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician
 P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
 P302 + P350 - IF ON SKIN: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water
 P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
 P262 - Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing
 P280 - Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection
 P284 - Wear respiratory protection
 P361 - Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing
 P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
 P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
 P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
 P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
 P330 - Rinse mouth
 P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant
 P405 - Store locked up
 P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

Other information

Caution - substance not yet tested completely

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**3.1 Substances**

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Weight %	Classification (Reg. 1272/2008)
Tetrodotoxin	4368-28-9	60-100	Acute Tox. 1 (H300) Acute Tox. 1 (H310) Acute Tox. 2 (H330)

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice	Immediate medical attention is required.
Eye contact	Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes.
Skin contact	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Call a physician immediately.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.
Notes to physician	Treat symptomatically.
Protection of first-aiders	Use personal protective equipment. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties	Not flammable.
Flash point	not determined
Suitable extinguishing media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Explosion Data	
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	none.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge	none.
Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions	Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Avoid contact with the skin and the eyes. Avoid dust formation. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.
Environmental precautions	Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.
Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading. Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.
Methods for cleaning up	Use personal protective equipment. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading and keep powder dry. Take up mechanically and collect in suitable container for disposal. Avoid dust formation. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.
Other information	Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling	Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid dust formation. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use.
Technical measures/Storage conditions	Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep in properly labeled containers.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines	This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.
Engineering measures	Showers Eyewash stations Ventilation systems
Personal protective equipment	
Eye/face protection	Tightly fitting safety goggles.
Skin and body protection	No special protective equipment required.
Respiratory protection	If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.
Hygiene measures	When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Provide regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	White.	Odor	No information available.
Odor Threshold	No information available	Physical State @20°C	Solid
pH	No information available	Autoignition temperature	No information available
Flash point	No information available	Boiling point/boiling range	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available	Flammability Limits in Air	No information available
Melting point/range	No information available		
Explosion limits	No information available		
Specific Gravity	no data available	solubility	No information available.
Evaporation rate	No information available	Vapor density	no data available
VOC Content(%)	not applicable		

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Incompatible products	None known based on information supplied.
Conditions to avoid	None known based on information supplied.
Hazardous decomposition products	Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO ₂). Nitrogen oxides (NO _x).
Hazardous polymerization	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Product Information	This material should only be handled by, or under the close supervision of, those properly qualified in the handling and use of potentially hazardous chemicals. It should be borne in mind that the toxicological and physiological properties of this compound are not well defined. Very toxic in contact with skin and if swallowed.
Inhalation	Very toxic by inhalation
Skin contact	May be fatal if absorbed through skin
Ingestion	May be fatal if swallowed

Chronic toxicity

Chronic toxicity	Prolonged or repeated exposure increases the risk Possible risks of irreversible effects
Carcinogenicity	Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.
Target Organ Effects	None known.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

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

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal methods	Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. 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 laws. The use of licensed waste hauler and disposal contractors is advised.
Contaminated packaging	Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT	Excepted Quantity
Proper shipping name	Toxins, extracted from living sources, solid, n.o.s. (Tetrodotoxin)
Hazard class	6.1
UN/ID No	3462
Packing group	I
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UN/ID No	3462
Packing group	I

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	yes
Chronic Health Hazard	yes
Fire Hazard	no
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	no
Reactive Hazard	no

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

International Regulations

Mexico - Grade Severe risk, Grade 4

WHMIS Note:

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

16. OTHER INFORMATION**Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3**

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Disclaimer

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End of MSDS