

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011

SeaKem® ME

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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : SeaKem® ME Agarose

Material number : 50014

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Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Scientific research and development

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

GHS label elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

May form combustible dust concentrations in air.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Hazardous components

No hazardous ingredients

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No hazardous ingredients



SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If inhaled : No special precautions required.

In case of skin contact After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of soap

and water.

If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

In case of eye contact Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water.

If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.

If swallowed : If swallowed, do not induce vomiting - seek medical advice.

Immediately give large quantities of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

No information available. Notes to physician

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media Dry powder

Water spray

Foam

Hazardous combustion products : Carbon oxides (Cox)

Specific extinguishing methods Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

Special protective equipment for

firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency proce-

dures

Environmental precautions

: Use personal protective equipment.

Avoid dust formation.

: Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and materials for contain-

ment and cleaning up

Dust deposits should not be allowed to accumulate on surfaces, as these may form an explosive mixture if they are re-

leased into the atmosphere in sufficient concentration. Avoid dispersal of dust in the air (i.e., clearing dust surfaces

with compressed air).

Non-sparking tools should be used.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on protection against fire and :

explosion

Avoid dust formation.

During processing, dust may form explosive mixture in air.



Advice on safe handling : Minimize dust generation and accumulation.

Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that

dusts do not accumulate on surfaces.

Dry powders can build static electricity charges when subject-

ed to the friction of transfer and mixing operations.

Provide adequate precautions, such as electrical grounding

and bonding, or inert atmospheres.

Hygiene measures : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

Conditions for safe storage : Keep container tightly closed.

Keep in a well-ventilated place.

Electrical installations / working materials must comply with

the technological safety standards.

To maintain product quality, do not store in heat or direct sun-

light.

Materials to avoid : No special restrictions on storage with other products.

Further information on storage sta-

bility

Store dry.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Engineering measures : It is recommended that all dust control equipment such as

local exhaust ventilation and material transport systems involved in handling of this product contain explosion relief vents or an explosion suppression system or an oxygen defi-

cient environment.

Ensure that dust-handling systems (such as exhaust ducts, dust collectors, vessels, and processing equipment) are designed in a manner to prevent the escape of dust into the work area (i.e., there is no leakage from the equipment). Use only appropriately classified electrical equipment and

powered industrial trucks.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : Respirator must be worn if exposed to dust.

Hand protection

Material : Nitrile rubber Rate of permeability : > 480 min

Eye protection : Safety glasses with side-shields

Skin and body protection : No special protective equipment required.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES



Appearance : powder

Colour : white

Odour : odourless

Odour Threshold : no data available

pH : no data available

Melting point/freezing point : no data available

Initial boiling point and boiling range : no data available

Flash point : no data available

Evaporation rate : no data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : no data available

Flammability (liquids) : no data available

Upper explosion limit / upper flam-

mability limit

Lower explosion limit / Lower flam-

mability limit

Vapour pressure : no data available

Relative vapour density : no data available

Relative density : no data available

Density : 1,49 g/cm3

Water solubility : 10 g/l (80 °C)

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : no data available

Auto-ignition temperature : no data available

Decomposition temperature : no data available

Viscosity, dynamic : no data available

Viscosity, kinematic : no data available

Dust explosion class : St1

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

no data available

no data available

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : None known.

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

No hazards to be specially mentioned.



Conditions to avoid : Avoid dust formation.

Heat

Incompatible materials : Strong acids and strong bases

Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products : No decomposition if stored normally.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aspiration toxicity

No aspiration toxicity classification

Further information

Remarks : There is no data available for this product.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Toxicity to fish

Remarks: no data available

Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability : Remarks: no data available

Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: no data available

Mobility in soil

Distribution among environmental

compartments

Remarks: no data available

Other adverse effects

Additional ecological information : There is no data available for this product.

no data available

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Waste from residues : In accordance with local and national regulations.

Contact waste disposal services.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regula-

tion.

Contact waste disposal services.



Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste han-

dling site for recycling or disposal.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA Not dangerous goods

UN number : Not applicable
Proper shipping name : Not applicable
Transport hazard class : Not applicable
Packing group : Not applicable

Environmental hazards : no

IMDG Not dangerous goods

UN number : Not applicable
Proper shipping name : Not applicable
Transport hazard class : Not applicable
Packing group : Not applicable
Environmental hazards : Marine pollutant: no

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ADR Not dangerous goods

UN number: Not applicableProper shipping name: Not applicableTransport hazard class: Not applicablePacking group: Not applicable

Environmental hazards : no

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RID Not dangerous goods

UN number : Not applicable
Proper shipping name : Not applicable
Transport hazard class : Not applicable
Packing group : Not applicable

Environmental hazards : no

Special precautions for user : none

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC

Code

: Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons

Not applicable

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information



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Other information : SeaKem is a registered trademark of DuPont Nutrition USA,

Inc.

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Full text of other abbreviations

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL -Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC -New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT -Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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