# SIGMA-ALDRICH

# **Material Safety Data Sheet**

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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : Theobromine

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# 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Synonyms : 2,6-Dihydroxy-3,7-dimethylpurine

3,7-Dimethylxanthine

Formula :  $C_7H_8N_4O_2$ Molecular Weight : 180.16 g/mol

CAS-No.	EC-No.	Index-No.	Concentration
Theobromine			
83-67-0	201-494-2	-	-

# 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# **Emergency Overview**

### **OSHA Hazards**

Target Organ Effect, Harmful by ingestion.

### **Target Organs**

Male reproductive system., Kidney

### **HMIS Classification**

Health Hazard: 1
Chronic Health Hazard: \*
Flammability: 0
Physical hazards: 0

### **NFPA** Rating

Health Hazard: 1
Fire: 0
Reactivity Hazard: 0

#### **Potential Health Effects**

Inhalation May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.Skin May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes** May cause eye irritation. **Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

# Flammable properties

Flash point no data available Ignition temperature no data available

### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

# Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### **Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing dust. Ensure adequate ventilation.

### **Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

#### Methods for cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

#### Storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Store under inert gas. Air sensitive.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand protection

Handle with gloves. For prolonged or repeated contact use protective gloves.

# Eye protection

Safety glasses

### Skin and body protection

Choose body protection according to the amount and concentration of the dangerous substance at the work place.

### **Hygiene measures**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### **Appearance**

Form solid
Colour white

# Safety data

pH no data available

Melting point 345 - 350 °C (653 - 662 °F)

Boiling point no data available

Flash point no data available
Ignition temperature no data available
Lower explosion limit no data available
Upper explosion limit no data available
Water solubility no data available

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Storage stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Materials to avoid

Strong oxidizing agents

### Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx)

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - rat - 1,265 mg/kg

#### Irritation and corrosion

no data available

#### Sensitisation

no data available

#### Chronic exposure

This product is or contains a component that is not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity based on its IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or EPA classification.

IARC: Group 3 - Not classifiable as to carcinogenicity to humans (Theobromine)

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Nausea, Anorexia.

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Additional Information RTECS: XH2275000

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Elimination information (persistence and degradability)

no data available

# **Ecotoxicity effects**

no data available

### Further information on ecology

no data available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### **Product**

Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

#### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

#### IATA

Not dangerous goods

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **OSHA Hazards**

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#### **DSL Status**

All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL list.

### **SARA 302 Components**

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

### **SARA 313 Components**

SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard. Chronic Health Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

### Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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### **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

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#### California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Further information**

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