

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1 - Product and Company Information

Product Name SUCCINIC ACID, 99+%, A.C.S. REAGENT
Product Number 398055
Brand SIAL

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Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient

| Substance Name | CAS # | SARA 313 No |
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| SUCCINIC ACID | 110-15-6 | No |

Formula C4H6O4
Synonyms Amber acid * Asuccin * Bernsteinsaure (German) *
Butanedioic acid * 1,2-Ethanedicarboxylic acid *
Ethylenesuccinic acid * Kyselina jantarova
(Czech) * Wormwood * Wormwood acid

RTECS Number: WM4900000

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Irritant.

Irritating to respiratory system and skin. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

HMIS RATING

HEALTH: 2

FLAMMABILITY: 0

REACTIVITY: 0

NFPA RATING

HEALTH: 2

FLAMMABILITY: 0

REACTIVITY: 0

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

ORAL EXPOSURE

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

INHALATION EXPOSURE

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

DERMAL EXPOSURE

In case of contact, immediately wash skin with soap and copious amounts of water.

EYE EXPOSURE

In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

FLASH POINT

N/A

AUTOIGNITION TEMP

N/A

FLAMMABILITY

N/A

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

Suitable: Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

FIREFIGHTING

Protective Equipment: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.
Specific Hazard(s): Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)

Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

HANDLING

User Exposure: Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

STORAGE

Suitable: Keep tightly closed.

Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

Safety shower and eye bath. Mechanical exhaust required.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

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

Hand: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Eye: Chemical safety goggles.

GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES
Wash thoroughly after handling.

Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

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| Appearance | Physical State: Solid Color: White Form: Fine crystals | |
| Property | Value | At Temperature or Pressure |
| Molecular Weight | 118.09 AMU | |
| pH | N/A | |
| BP/BP Range | N/A | |
| MP/MP Range | 185.0 - 188.0 °C | |
| Freezing Point | N/A | |
| Vapor Pressure | N/A | |
| Vapor Density | N/A | |
| Saturated Vapor Conc. | N/A | |
| SG/Density | N/A | |
| Bulk Density | N/A | |
| Odor Threshold | N/A | |
| Volatile% | N/A | |
| VOC Content | N/A | |
| Water Content | N/A | |
| Solvent Content | N/A | |
| Evaporation Rate | N/A | |
| Viscosity | N/A | |
| Surface Tension | N/A | |
| Partition Coefficient | N/A | |
| Decomposition Temp. | N/A | |
| Flash Point | N/A | |
| Explosion Limits | N/A | |
| Flammability | N/A | |
| Autoignition Temp | N/A | |
| Refractive Index | N/A | |
| Optical Rotation | N/A | |
| Miscellaneous Data | N/A | |
| Solubility | N/A | |

N/A = not available

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

STABILITY

Stable: Stable.

Materials to Avoid: Bases, Oxidizing agents, Reducing agents.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

ROUTE OF EXPOSURE

Skin Contact: Causes skin irritation.

Skin Absorption: May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.

Eye Contact: Causes severe eye irritation.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material is irritating to

mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

TOXICITY DATA

Oral
Rat
2260 mg/kg
LD50

Intraperitoneal
Mouse
2702 MG/KG
LD50

Intravenous
Mouse
1400 MG/KG
LD50

IRRITATION DATA

Eyes
Rabbit
0.75 mg
Remarks: Severe irritation effect

CHRONIC EXPOSURE - MUTAGEN

Species: Human
Dose: 20 MMOL/L
Cell Type: fibroblast
Mutation test: DNA inhibition

Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material. 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 environmental regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT

Proper Shipping Name: None
Non-Hazardous for Transport: This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

IATA

Non-Hazardous for Air Transport: Non-hazardous for air transport.

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION

Symbol of Danger: Xi

Indication of Danger: Irritant.

R: 37/38-41

Risk Statements: Irritating to respiratory system and skin. Risk of serious damage to eyes.

S: 26-36/37/39

Safety Statements: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eye/face protection.

US CLASSIFICATION AND LABEL TEXT

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UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION

SARA LISTED: No

TSCA INVENTORY ITEM: Yes

CANADA REGULATORY INFORMATION

WHMIS Classification: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

DSL: Yes

NDSL: No

Section 16 - Other Information

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WARRANTY

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