

SAFETY DATA SHEET
ASCORBIC ACID POWDER (AA)

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

Product name: ASCORBIC ACID POWDER (AA)

CAS number: 50-81-7

EINECS number: 2000662

Product code: RC6201

Synonyms: REAGENT AA

VITAMIN C

Use / description of product: No significant hazard.

2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredient 1: RAW ASCORBIC ACID >90%

CAS: 50-81-7

EINECS: 200-066-2

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Main hazards: No significant hazard.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (SYMPTOMS)

Skin contact: No symptoms.

Eye contact: No symptoms.

Ingestion: No symptoms.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (ACTION)

Skin contact: Wash off thoroughly with soap and water.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes.

Ingestion: wash out mouth with water

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media: Carbon dioxide.

Protection of fire-fighters: Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details.

Clean-up procedures: Wash the spillage site with large amounts of water.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage conditions: Store in cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

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ASCORBIC ACID POWDER (AA)**Eye protection:** Safety goggles.**Skin protection:** Protective clothing with elasticated cuffs and closed neck.**9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES****State:** Solid**Colour:** White**Odour:** Odourless**Oxidising:** Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)**Solubility in water:** Soluble**Melting point/range°C:** 192**pH:** 1-2.5**10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY****Stability:** Stable under normal conditions.**Conditions to avoid:** Direct sunlight. Heat.**Haz. decomp. products:** In combustion emits toxic fumes.**11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION****Toxicity:** APP-CHEM ASCORBIC ACID POWDER

ORL RAT LD50 11900mg/kg

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Mobility:** Soluble in water.**Persistence and degradability:** Biodegradable.**Bioaccumulative potential:** No bioaccumulation potential.**Other adverse effects:** Negligible ecotoxicity.**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS****Waste disposal:** Dispose of as normal industrial waste.**Disposal of packaging:** Dispose of as normal industrial waste.**NB:** The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION****ADR / RID****UN no:** : none**IMDG / IMO****IATA / ICAO****15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****Hazard symbols:** No significant hazard.**Safety phrases:** S2: Keep out of the reach of children.

S24/25: Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

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Note: The regulatory information given above only indicates the principal regulations specifically applicable to the product described in the safety data sheet. The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of additional provisions which complete these regulations. Refer to all applicable national, international and local regulations or provisions.

16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information: The information contained within this MSDS is based on bulk quantities. The user should bear in mind the reduced hazard associated with the small quantities normally associated with test kit reagents, and adjust their responses accordingly.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.