

SAFETY DATA SHEET

AGAR

SECTION 1: CHEMICAL AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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Emergency Telephone No.: 1-905-466-3832
Chemical Name: Agar
Catalog Number: AGR001,AGR002,AGR003,AGR004
Recommended use: for research purposes

SECTION 2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency overview:

WHMIS: not controlled
GHS Classification:
Not a hazardous substance according to GHS

SECTION 3 COMPOSITION/ INGREDIENTS

	CAS #	%
AGAR	9002-18-0	99+

Molecular Formula: N/A
Molecular Weight: N/A

SECTION 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation persists get medical attention.
Skin: Flush area immediately with plenty of soap and water .
Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing give artificial respiration .Get medical attention if symptoms persist.
Ingestion: Wash mouth with water.

SECTION 5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

General Information: Always wear full protective gear in the event of a fire. Toxic gas and vapors may be generated by decomposition or combustion. Excessive dust in combination with air can create an explosive mixture.
Flammable: No
Flash Point: N/A
Autoignition Temperature: N/A
Extinguishing Media: Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
Explosion Data: Not available

SECTION 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Ventilate the area. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Sweep and place in a closed container. In the event of a fire always wear self-contained

breathing apparatus, NIOSH/MSHA approved or equivalent.

Leak and Spill Procedures: Ventilate the area. Wear appropriate protective equipment. Cover with dry lime or soda. Sweep and place in a closed container. Avoid generating dust.

SECTION 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Avoid contact. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Minimize dust generation.
Storage Conditions: Room temperature.

SECTION 8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure limits: none listed
Use adequate ventilation. Avoid dust generation..
Wear appropriate protective equipment to prevent eye and skin exposure. Wear appropriate respirator to prevent lung irritation.
Personal Protection: Lab coat, safety goggles, rubber gloves.
Ventilation: Use appropriate exhaust ventilation .
Respiratory protection: use OSHA/MSHA approved dust masks.

SECTION 9 PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Solid
Appearance and Odor: beige powder, slight odor
Freezing/Melting Point: N/A
Boiling Point: N/A
Specific Gravity: N/A
Vapor Density: N/A
Solubility: soluble
pH: N/A

SECTION 10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY:

Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressure
Conditions to avoid: dust generation. Excess heat
Incompatibility: Strong oxidizing agents
Hazardous Decomposition Products: Nitrogen oxides, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide,
Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur

SECTION 11 TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

Exposure Limits:

LD50 / LC50:
No data available

Epidemiology: No data available
Teratogenicity: No data available
Reproductive Effects: No data available

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Neurotoxicity: No data available

Mutagenicity: No data available

Carcinogenicity: Not listed by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or OSHA

SECTION 12	ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION
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Toxicity:

No information found.

SECTION 13	DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION
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Waste Disposal: Burn in chemical incinerator. Observe all Federal, provincial and local regulations.

SECTION 14	TRANSPORT INFORMATION
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Shipping Information:

DOT (US): not dangerous

IMDG: not dangerous

IATA: not dangerous

SECTION 15	REGULATORY INFORMATION
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US : TSCA: not listed

Canada: WHMIS: not controlled

SECTION 16	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
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