SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Identification of the substance
Agarose

Article number
K297

Registration number (REACH)
The substance does not require registration according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 [REACH]

EC number
232-731-8

CAS number
9012-36-6

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses:
laboratory chemical
laboratory and analytical use

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)
This substance does not meet the criteria for classification in accordance with Regulation No 1272/2008/EC.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)
not required
Signal word: not required

### 2.3 Other hazards
There is no additional information.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.1 Substances

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### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

**General notes**
Take off contaminated clothing.

**Following inhalation**
Provide fresh air.

**Following skin contact**
Rinse skin with water/shower.

**Following eye contact**
Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

**Following ingestion**
Rinse mouth. Call a doctor if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Diarrhoea

#### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- none

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media**
Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings
- water spray, foam, dry extinguishing powder, carbon dioxide (CO₂)
Unsuitable extinguishing media
water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
Combustible.

5.3 Advice for firefighters
Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel
Do not breathe dust.

6.2 Environmental precautions
Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up
Advice on how to contain a spill
Covering of drains.

Advice on how to clean up a spill
Take up mechanically.

Other information relating to spills and releases
Place in appropriate containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling
Avoid dust formation.

Advice on general occupational hygiene
Wash hands before breaks and after work.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Keep container tightly closed. Store in a dry place.

Incompatible substances or mixtures
Observe hints for combined storage.

Consideration of other advice
• Ventilation requirements
Use local and general ventilation.
• Specific designs for storage rooms or vessels
Recommended storage temperature: 15 – 25 °C.

7.3 Specific end use(s)
No information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters
National limit values
Occupational exposure limit values (Workplace Exposure Limits)
Data are not available.

8.2 Exposure controls
Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)

Eye/face protection

Use safety goggle with side protection.

Skin protection

• hand protection
Wear suitable gloves. Chemical protection gloves are suitable, which are tested according to EN 374.

• type of material
NBR (Nitrile rubber)

• material thickness
>0,11 mm

• breakthrough times of the glove material
>480 minutes (permeation: level 6)

• other protection measures
Take recovery periods for skin regeneration. Preventive skin protection (barrier creams/ointments) is recommended.

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection necessary at: Dust formation. Particulate filter device (EN 143). P1 (filters at least 80 % of airborne particles, colour code: White).

Environmental exposure controls
Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.
SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance
- Physical state: solid (powder)
- Colour: whitish yellow
- Odour: odourless
- Odour threshold: No data available

Other physical and chemical parameters
- pH (value): This information is not available.
- Melting point/freezing point: 80 – 95 °C
- Initial boiling point and boiling range: This information is not available.
- Flash point: not applicable
- Evaporation rate: no data available
- Flammability (solid, gas): These information are not available

Explosive limits
- lower explosion limit (LEL): this information is not available
- upper explosion limit (UEL): this information is not available

Explosion limits of dust clouds: these information are not available

Vapour pressure: This information is not available.
- Density: This information is not available.
- Vapour density: This information is not available.
- Relative density: Information on this property is not available.
- Solubility(ies)
  - Water solubility: ~ 10 g/l at 80 °C

Partition coefficient
- n-octanol/water (log KOW): This information is not available.

Auto-ignition temperature: Information on this property is not available.
- Decomposition temperature: no data available
- Viscosity: not relevant (solid matter)
- Explosive properties: Shall not be classified as explosive
- Oxidising properties: none

9.2 Other information
There is no additional information.
SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity
Dust explosibility.

10.2 Chemical stability
The material is stable under normal ambient and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
No known hazardous reactions

10.4 Conditions to avoid
There are no specific conditions known which have to be avoided.

10.5 Incompatible materials
There is no additional information.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
Hazardous combustion products: see section 5.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects
Acute toxicity
Shall not be classified as acutely toxic.

Skin corrosion/irritation
Shall not be classified as corrosive/irritant to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Shall not be classified as seriously damaging to the eye or eye irritant.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation
Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitiser.

Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties
Shall not be classified as germ cell mutagenic, carcinogenic nor as a reproductive toxicant

• Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure
Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

• Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure
Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

Aspiration hazard
Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics
• If swallowed
diarrhoea
• If in eyes
data are not available
• If inhaled
  Inhalation of dust may cause irritation of the respiratory system

• If on skin
  Frequently or prolonged contact with skin may cause dermal irritation

Other information
None

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity
  acc. to 1272/2008/EC: Shall not be classified as hazardous to the aquatic environment.

12.2 Process of degradability
  Data are not available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
  Data are not available.

12.4 Mobility in soil
  Data are not available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
  Data are not available.

12.6 Other adverse effects
  Data are not available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal.

Sewage disposal-relevant information
  Do not empty into drains.

13.2 Relevant provisions relating to waste
  The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

13.3 Remarks
  Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities. Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions.
**SECTION 14: Transport information**

14.1 UN number (not subject to transport regulations)

14.2 UN proper shipping name not relevant

14.3 Transport hazard class(es) not relevant

14.4 Packing group not relevant not assigned to a packing group

14.5 Environmental hazards none (non-environmentally hazardous acc. to the dangerous goods regulations)

14.6 Special precautions for user

There is no additional information.

14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

The cargo is not intended to be carried in bulk.

14.8 Information for each of the UN Model Regulations

• Transport of dangerous goods by road, rail and inland waterway (ADR/RID/ADN)
  Not subject to ADR, RID and ADN.

• International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)
  Not subject to IMDG.

• International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO-IATA/DGR)
  Not subject to ICAO-IATA.

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

Relevant provisions of the European Union (EU)

• Regulation 649/2012/EU concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)
  Not listed.

• Regulation 1005/2009/EC on substances that deplete the ozone layer (ODS)
  Not listed.

• Regulation 850/2004/EC on persistent organic pollutants (POP)
  Not listed.

• Restrictions according to REACH, Annex XVII
  not listed

• Restrictions according to REACH, Title VIII
  None.

• List of substances subject to authorisation (REACH, Annex XIV)/SVHC - candidate list
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**Directive 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS) - Annex II**

not listed

**Regulation 166/2006/EC concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer Register (PRTR)**

not listed

**Directive 2000/60/EC establishing a framework for Community action in the field of water policy (WFD)**

not listed

**Regulation 98/2013/EU on the marketing and use of explosives precursors**

not listed

**Regulation 111/2005/EC laying down rules for the monitoring of trade between the Community and third countries in drug precursors**

not listed

### National inventories

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**Legend**

AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

DSL Domestic Substances List (DSL)
15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance.

**SECTION 16: Other information**

**Indication of changes (revised safety data sheet)**

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<td>CAS</td>
<td>Chemical Abstracts Service (service that maintains the most comprehensive list of chemical substances)</td>
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### Key literature references and sources for data

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### List of relevant phrases (code and full text as stated in chapter 2 and 3)

not relevant.

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<td>No-Longer Polymer</td>
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<td>REACH</td>
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