

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Dextran Powder

SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product identifier

Trade name

Dextran Powder

Other means of identification

CAS No.: 9004-54-0

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

▼ Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

Active pharmaceutical ingredient for pharmaceutical preparations and other industrial uses.
Restricted to professional and industrial use.

Uses advised against

None known.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Contact the poison control at 1-800-222-1222 (24/7) or use the webPOISONCONTROL® ([triage.webpoisoncontrol.org](https://www.webpoisoncontrol.org)) to get specific guidance for your case
See also section 4 "First aid measures".

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Not classified according to HCS (29 CFR 1910.1200)

2.2. Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)

Not applicable.

Signal word

Not applicable.

▼ Hazard statement(s)

Precautionary statement(s)

▼ General

Not applicable.

▼ Prevention

Not applicable.

▼ Response

Not applicable.

▼ Storage

Not applicable.

▼ Disposal

Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

3.1. Substances

Product/substance	Identifiers	% w/w	Classification	Note
Dextran	CAS No.: 9004-54-0	95-100%		

3.2. ▼ Mixtures

Not applicable. This product is a substance.

Where the concentration of an ingredient is expressed as a range the exact concentration has been withheld as a trade secret.

See full text of H-phrases in section 16. Occupational exposure limits are listed in section 8, if these are available.

▼ Other information

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SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. ▼ Description of first aid measures

General information

If breathing is irregular, drowsiness, loss of consciousness or cramps: Call 911 and give immediate treatment (first aid).

Contact a doctor if in doubt about the injured person's condition or if the symptoms persist. Never give an unconscious person water or other drink.

Inhalation

Upon breathing difficulties or irritation of the respiratory tract: Bring the person into fresh air and stay with him/her.

▼ Skin contact

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Ensure to wash exposed skin thoroughly with water and soap. Skin cleanser can be used. DO NOT use solvents or thinners.

▼ Eye contact

If in eyes: Flush eyes with water or saline water (20-30 °C) for at least 5 minutes. Remove contact lenses. Seek medical assistance and continue flushing during transport.

▼ Ingestion

If the person is conscious, rinse the mouth with water and stay with the person. Never give the person anything to drink.

In case of malaise, seek medical advice immediately and bring the safety data sheet or label from the product. Do not induce vomiting, unless recommended by the doctor. Have the person lean forward with head down to avoid inhalation of or choking on vomited material.

Burns

Not applicable.

4.2. ▼ Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

High amounts of dust can cause coughing and general irritation of the respiratory airways.

4.3. ▼ Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

Information to medics

Bring this safety data sheet or the label from this product.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. ▼ Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media: Alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, powder, water mist.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Waterjets should not be used, since they can spread the fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire will result in dense smoke. Exposure to combustion products may harm your health. Closed containers, which are exposed to fire, should be cooled with water. Do not allow fire-extinguishing water to enter the sewage system and nearby surface waters.

5.3. ▼ Advice for firefighters

No specific requirements.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. ▼ Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Contaminated areas may be slippery.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid discharge to lakes, streams, sewers, etc.

Keep unauthorized persons away from the spill

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Collect spills carefully. Moist the material with water in order to prevent the formation and propagation of dust.

Wherever possible cleaning should be performed with normal cleaning agents. Avoid use of solvents.

6.4. Reference to other sections

See section 13 "Disposal considerations" on handling of waste.

See section 8 "Exposure controls/personal protection" for protective measures.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Smoking, drinking and consumption of food is not allowed in the work area.

See section 8 "Exposure controls/personal protection" for information on personal protection.

7.2. ▼ Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Recommended storage material

Always store in containers of the same material as the original container.

Storage conditions

Should be stored according to conditions described on the label.

Incompatible materials

Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, and strong reducing agents.

7.3. ▼ Specific end use(s)

This product should only be used for applications quoted in section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No substances are listed with a permissible exposure limit (ref: 29 CFR 1910.1000 TABLE Z-1)

No substances are listed with a permissible exposure limit CIB 66 [NIOSH 2014-100]

8.2. ▼ Exposure controls

Apply general control to prevent unnecessary exposure

General recommendations

Smoking, drinking and consumption of food is not allowed in the work area.

Exposure scenarios

There are no exposure scenarios implemented for this product.

Exposure limits

Occupational exposure limits have not been defined for the substances in this product.

▼ Appropriate technical measures

Apply standard precautions during use of the product. Avoid inhalation of gas or dust.

Airborne gas and dust concentrations must be kept at a minimum. Provide efficient mechanical ventilation. If not possible use suitable respiratory equipment.

▼ Hygiene measures

In between use of the product and at the end of the working day all exposed areas of the body must be washed thoroughly. Pay special attention to hands, forearms and face.

Measures to avoid environmental exposure

No specific requirements.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Generally

Use only protective equipment with a recognized certification mark, e.g. the UL mark.

Respiratory Equipment

Work situation	Type	Class	Colour	Standards	
If ventilation at the work place is insufficient, use a half- or full mask with a appropriate particle filter.	S/SL	-	White	EN149	


Skin protection

No specific requirements.

Hand protection

No specific requirements.

Eye protection

Type	Standards	
Wear face shield alternatively safety glasses with side shields.	EN166	

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state

Powder

Color

White

Odor

None

▼ Odor threshold (ppm)

No data available.

pH

5.5-7.0

Density (g/cm³)

No data available

Relative density

No data available

▼ Kinematic viscosity

No data available

Particle characteristics

No data available

Phase changes

Melting point/freezing point (°F)

No data available

▼ Softening point/range (°F)

Does not apply to solids.

Boiling point (°F)

No data available

Vapor pressure

No data available

▼ Relative vapor density

No data available

Decomposition temperature (°F)

No data available

Data on fire and explosion hazards

Flash point (°F)

No data available

Flammability (°F)

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature (°F)

No data available

Explosion limits (% v/v)

No data available

Solubility

Solubility in water

Completely soluble

n-octanol/water coefficient (LogKow)

No data available

▼ Solubility in fat (g/L)

No data available

9.2. Other information

▼ Evaporation rate (n-butylacetate = 100)

No data available

▼ Other physical and chemical parameters

No data available.

▼ Oxidizing properties

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No data available.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under the conditions, noted in section 7 "Handling and storage".

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions, including those associated with foreseeable emergencies

None known.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None known.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizing agents, and strong reducing agents.

10.6. ▼ Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious eye damage/irritation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Respiratory sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Skin sensitisation

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Long term effects

None known.

Other information

None known.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. ▼ Toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12.2. ▼ Persistence and degradability

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12.3. ▼ Bioaccumulative potential

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture/product does not contain any substances known to fulfil the criteria for PBT and vPvB classification.

12.6. Other adverse effects

None known.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

RCRA Hazardous waste ("P" and "U" list) (40 CFR 261)

None of the components are listed

▼ Specific labelling

Contaminated packing

Packaging containing residues of the product must be disposed of similarly to the product.

SECTION 14: Transport information

	14.1	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.5	Other information:
	UN / ID	UN proper shipping name	Hazard class(es)	PG*	Env**	
DOT	-	-	-	-	-	-

Conforms to OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (HCS) (29 CFR 1910.1200 / revised 2024)

	14.1 UN / ID	14.2 UN proper shipping name	14.3 Hazard class(es)	14.4 PG*	14.5 Env**	Other information:
IMDG	-	-	-	-	-	-
IATA	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Packing group

** Environmental hazards

▼ Additional information

Not dangerous goods according to ADR/ADN/RID, IATA and IMDG.

14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

No data available.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

15.2. U.S. Federal regulations

TSCA (the non-confidential portion)

Dextran is listed

Clean Air Act

None of the components are listed

EPCRA Section 302

None of the components are listed

EPCRA Section 304

None of the components are listed

EPCRA section 313

None of the components are listed

CERCLA

None of the components are listed

Hazardous chemical inventory reporting

15.3. State regulations

California / Prop. 65

None of the components are listed

Massachusetts / Right To Know Act

None of the components are listed

New Jersey / Right To Know Act

None of the components are listed

New York / Right To Know Act

None of the components are listed

Pennsylvania / Right To Know Act

None of the components are listed

15.4. Restrictions for application

Restricted to professional users.

15.5. Demands for specific education

No specific requirements.

15.6. Additional information

Not applicable.

15.7. Chemical safety assessment

No

15.8. Sources

OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

SECTION 16: Other information

The full text of identified uses as mentioned in section 1

None known.

Abbreviations and acronyms

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
ADN = European Provisions concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterway
ADR = The European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate
BCF = Bioconcentration Factor
CAS = Chemical Abstracts Service
CERCLA = Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act
DOT = Department of Transportation
EINECS = European Inventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances
EPCRA = Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act
GHS = Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
HCIS = Hazardous Chemical Information System
HNOC = Hazards Not Otherwise Classified
IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer
IATA = International Air Transport Association
IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LogKow = logarithm of the n-octanol/water coefficient
MARPOL = International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution From Ships, 1973 as modified by the Protocol of 1978. ("Marpol" = marine pollution)
NFPA = National Fire Protection Association
NIOSH = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
OECD = Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development
OSHA = Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PBT = Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
RCRA = Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RID = The Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
RRN = REACH Registration Number
SARA = Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SCL = A specific concentration limit.
STEL = Short-term exposure limits
STOT-RE = Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated Exposure
STOT-SE = Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure
TSCA = The Toxic Substances Control Act
TWA = Time weighted average
UN = United Nations
UVBC = Unknown or variable composition, complex reaction products or of biological materials
VOC = Volatile Organic Compound
vPvB = Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

▼ Additional information

Not applicable.

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▼ Other

A change (in proportion to the last essential change (first cipher in SDS version, see section 1)) is marked with a triangle.

The information in this safety data sheet applies only to this specific product (mentioned in section 1) and is not necessarily correct for use with other chemicals/products.

It is recommended to hand over this safety data sheet to the actual user of the product. Information in this safety data sheet cannot be used as a product specification.

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