



Safety Data Sheet

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1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

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Product Name	Agar
Product Code	11101
CAS No.	9002-18-0

Recommended use : Laboratory Investigations

2: Hazard's identification

2.1 GHS Classification

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

2.3 Other hazards - none

3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

CAS-No. : 9002-18-0
EC-No. : 232-658-1

4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first-aid measures

If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.

In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section

2.2) and/or in section 11

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO₂) Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Combustible.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

5.3 Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

5.4 Further information

Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

Tightly closed. Dry.

Recommended storage temperature see product label.

Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 11: Combustible Solids

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type or respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Physical state	:	solid
b) Color	:	beige
c) Odor	:	No data available
d) Melting point/freezing point	:	No data available
e) Initial boiling point and boiling range	:	No data available
f) Flammability (solid, gas)	:	No data available
g) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	:	No data available
h) Flash point	:	No data available
i) Autoignition temperature	:	No data available
j) Decomposition temperature	:	No data available
k) pH	:	5.0 - 7 at 15 g/l at 50 °C
l) Viscosity	:	
Viscosity, kinematic	:	No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	:	No data available
m) Water solubility	:	No data available
n) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available
o) Vapor pressure	:	No data available
p) Density	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
q) Relative vapor density	:	No data available

r) Particle characteristics	:	No data available
s) Explosive properties	:	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	:	none

9.2 Other safety information

Bulk density	:	ca.550 kg/m ³
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10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no information available

10.4 Conditions to avoid

no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials

No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - Rat - 11,000 mg/kg

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation	:	No data available
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	:	No data available
Respiratory or skin sensitization	:	No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity	:	No data available
Carcinogenicity	:	No data available
Reproductive toxicity	:	No data available
Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure	:	No data available
Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure	:	No data available
Aspiration hazard	:	No data available

11.2 Additional Information

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

After uptake of large quantities:

Diarrhea

However, when the product is handled appropriately, hazardous effects are unlikely to occur.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity	:	No data available
12.2 Persistence and degradability	:	No data available
12.3 Bioaccumulative potential	:	No data available
12.4 Mobility in soil	:	No data available
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment		
PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted		
12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties	:	No data available
12.7 Other adverse effects	:	No data available

13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

14: Transport Information Table

		ADR/RID – European packaging certification	IMDG International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code	IATA – DGR International Air Travel Association – Dangerous Goods Regulations
14.1	UN Number	-	-	-
14.2	UN Proper Shipping name	Not a dangerous goods	Not a dangerous goods	Not a dangerous goods
14.3	Transport Hazard Class	-	-	-
14.4	Packaging group	-	-	-
14.5	Environmental Hazards	No	No	No
14.6	Special precautions for user	-		

15: Regulatory information

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

National regulatory information

HSNO Approval Code:

HSNO Group Standard Approval: HSR002596 - Laboratory Chemicals and Reagent Kits Group Standard 2006
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Tracking Required: not required, not required

Approved Handler Cert.: not required

16: Disclaimer

The information above is believed to be accurate and represents the best information currently available to us. However, the information is not a guarantee expressed or implied, with respect to such information, and we assume no liability resulting from its use. Anyone using the chemical described here should ensure that he or she has the appropriate training and has the expertise and any equipment required for safe handling. If clarification or further information is required, please contact ECP Ltd or refer to the official handler of dangerous goods within your own company. The user should also make their own investigations to determine the suitability of the product for their particular purposes. In no event shall the company be liable for any claims, losses, or damages of any third party or for lost profits or any special, indirect, incidental, consequential, or exemplary damages howsoever arising, even if the company has been advised of the possibility of such damages.

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