# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. PRODUCT

## 1.1 Product identifiers

Name: Keratin, from human epidermis

CAS-No.: 68238-35-7

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

#### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

## GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Skin sensitisation (Category 1), H317

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram	<u> </u>
Signal word	Warning
Hazard statement(s)	H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Precautionary statement(s)	P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray. P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. P280 Wear protective gloves. P302 + P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label). P333 + P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention. P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant. Sensitising components: 2-Mercaptoethanol May produce an allergic reaction.

## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Human source material., Handle as if capable of transmitting infectious agents.

Sodium Azide may react with lead and copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.1 Mixtures

#### **Hazardous components**

Component	t	Classification	Concentration
Urea		P	
CAS-No.	57-13-6		>= 5 -< 10 %
EC-No.	200-315-5	\$	
2-Mercapto	ethanol		
CAS-No.	60-24-2	Flam. Liq. 4; Acute Tox. 3; Acute Tox. 2; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye	>= 0.1 -< 1 %
EC-No.	200-464-6	Dam. 1; Skin Sens. 1; STOT RE 2; Aquatic Acute 1; Aquatic Chronic 1; H227, H301 + H331, H310, H315, H317, H318, H373, H410	

Component		Classification	Concentration
Sodium azide	C.		
CAS-No.			>= 0.1 -< 1 %
EC-No.	247-852-1	Chronic 1; H300 + H310, H410	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

## 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice	
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.	
If inhaled	
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.	
In case of skin contact	
Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.	
In case of eye contact	
Flush eyes with water as a precaution.	
If swallowed	
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.	

## 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

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

No data available

### 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

# 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

No data available

# **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for

disposal.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

For precautions see section 2.2.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Recommended storage temperature 2 - 8 °C

## 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

## Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.		Control parameters	Basis
Urea	57-13-6	TWA	10.000000 mg/m3	USA. Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels (WEEL)

# 8.2 Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

## Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection	Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).
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 respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) 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 such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).
Control of environmen tal exposure	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Form: liquid
Odour	No data available
Odour Threshold	No data available

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Melting point/freezing point	No data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
Flash point	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
Vapour pressure	No data available
Vapour density	No data available
Relative density	1 g/cm3
Water solubility	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

# 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

## 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

# 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	
No data available Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available No data available	
Skin corrosion/irritation	
No data available	
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	
No data available	
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	
No data available	
Germ cell mutagenicity	

#### No data available

#### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## Reproductive toxicity

No data available 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

### **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

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

Liver - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence (Sodium azide)

#### 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 Other adverse effects

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# 13.1 Waste treatment methods

## **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

# Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

#### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

#### **IATA**

Not dangerous goods

#### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### **SARA 302 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 302:

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Sodium azide	26628-22-8	2007-07-01

## **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De

Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

No SARA Hazards

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Sodium azide	26628-22-8	2007-07-01

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Keratin	68238-35-7	
Urea	57-13-6	
Sodium azide	26628-22-8	2007-07-01

## **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Keratin	68238-35-7	
Urea	57-13-6	

## California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

## Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity

Aquatic Chronic Chronic aquatic toxicity

Eye Dam. Serious eye damage

Flam. Liq. Flammable liquids

H227 Combustible liquid.

H300 + H310 Fatal if swallowed or in contact with skin

H301 + H331 Toxic if swallowed or if inhaled

H310 Fatal in contact with skin.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or

repeated exposure if swallowed.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Skin Irrit. Skin irritation

Skin Sens. Skin sensitisation

STOT RE Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

## **HMIS Rating**

Health hazard: 0

Chronic Health Hazard: \*

Flammability: 0

Physical Hazard 0

## **NFPA Rating**

Health hazard: 0

Fire Hazard: 0

Reactivity Hazard: 0