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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier

Product Name Chloramphenicol

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) MC0765
Synonyms No information available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use For Further Manufacturing Use Only.
Uses advised against Not for Human or Animal Drug Use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Address	Manufacturer Address
VWR International, LLC	VWR International, LLC
6351 Inducon Drive East	28600 Fountain Parkway
Sanborn, NY 14132	Solon, Ohio 44139
Company Phone Number	1-800-932-5000
Company Phone Number	1-800-448-4442
E-mail Address	chemicals@vwr.com

Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Telephone Number Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

OSHA Regulatory Status

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Carcinogenicity	Category 1B
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Label elements

Emergency Overview

Danger

Hazard statements

H350 - May cause cancer



Appearance White to almost white

Physical State Powder

Odor No information available

Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Obtain special instructions before use
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood
Use personal protective equipment as required

Precautionary Statements - Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store locked up

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not regulated

Other Information

• May be harmful if swallowed

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS-No	EC No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Chloramphenicol	56-75-7	200-287-4	95-100	Not applicable

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First Aid Measures

Eye Contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids. Consult a physician.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

Inhalation Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

Ingestion Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms/Effects No information available.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Dry chemical, CO₂, water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

No information available.

Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NO_x). Hydrogen Chloride gas.

Explosion Data**Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.**Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal protection Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Environmental Precautions

Environmental Precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological information.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for Cleaning Up Avoid dust formation. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Handling Light Sensitive. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from light.

Incompatible Products Acids. Acid chlorides. Anhydrides. Strong oxidizers.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	-	-

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin and Body Protection Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Respiratory Protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene Measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical State	Powder	Odor	No information available
Appearance	White to almost white	Odor Threshold	No information available
Color	No information available		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
pH	No information available	
Melting point/freezing point	151 °C	
Boiling Point/Range	No information available	
Flash Point (High in °C)	No information available	
Evaporation Rate	No information available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available	
Flammability Limit in Air		
Upper flammability limit:	No information available	
Lower flammability limit:	No information available	
Vapor pressure	No information available	
Vapor Density	No information available	
Specific Gravity	No information available	
Water Solubility	No information available	
Solubility in other solvents	No information available	
Partition coefficient	No information available	
Autoignition Temperature	No information available	
Decomposition Temperature	No information available	
Kinematic viscosity	No information available	
Dynamic viscosity	No information available	
Explosive Properties	No information available	
Oxidizing Properties	No information available	

Other Information

Softening Point	No information available
Molecular Weight	No information available
VOC Content	No information available
Density	No information available
Bulk Density	No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**Reactivity**

No data available

Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Conditions to Avoid

Protect from light.

Incompatible Materials

Acids. Acid chlorides. Anhydrides. Strong oxidizers.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Hydrogen chloride gas.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Information on likely routes of exposure**

Product Information	Sensitizer
Inhalation	There is no data available for this product.
Eye Contact	There is no data available for this product.
Skin Contact	There is no data available for this product.
Ingestion	There is no data available for this product.

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	= 2500 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization No information available.
Mutagenic Effects No information available.
Carcinogenicity The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen.

Chemical Name	ACGIH	IARC	NTP	OSHA
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	Group 2A	Reasonably Anticipated	X

Reproductive Toxicity No information available.
STOT - single exposure No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure No information available.
Chronic Toxicity Suspected carcinogen. Suspected teratogen.
Target Organ Effects Blood, Bone marrow, Liver.
Aspiration hazard No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity 0 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity**

100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Toxicity to Fish	Crustacea
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	-	-

Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation/Accumulation

No information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-

Other Adverse Effects No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste treatment methods**

Waste Disposal Method Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local regulation.

Contaminated Packaging Do not re-use empty containers.

Chemical Name	RCRA - Halogenated Organic Compounds	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	-	-	-

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

IATA Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA	Complies
DSL/NDSL	Complies
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Does not Comply
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

Legend:

- TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
- DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
- EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances
- ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances
- IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances
- KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances
- PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances
- AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

Component	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7 (95-100)	-

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

Chemical Name	CWA - Reportable Quantities	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous Substances
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	-	-	-

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

Chemical Name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	RQ
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	-	-

U.S. State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals:

Chemical Name	California Prop. 65
Chloramphenicol - 56-75-7	-

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Chloramphenicol 56-75-7	-	X	X

U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not regulated

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Revision Note

Update to Format

Disclaimer

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all-inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. VWR International and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling.

End of Safety Data Sheet