

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

# 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : 3,4-Dihydroxy-L-phenylalanine

Product Number : D9628
Brand : Sigma
CAS-No. : 59-92-7

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

# 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.

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**UNITED STATES** 

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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887

#### SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

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

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302 Skin irritation (Category 2), H315 Eye irritation (Category 2A), H319

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

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

### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

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Signal word Warning

Hazard statement(s)

H302 Harmful if swallowed. H315 Causes skin irritation.

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H319	Causes serious eye irritation.	
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.	
Precautionary statement(s)		
P261	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.	
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.	
P270	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.	
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.	
P280	Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.	
P301 + P312 + P330	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel	
	unwell. Rinse mouth.	
P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.	
P304 + P340 + P312	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.	
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.	
F303 + F331 + F330	Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue	
	rinsing.	
P332 + P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.	
P337 + P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.	
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.	
P403 + P233	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.	
P405	Store locked up.	
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.	
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# 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : L-3-Hydroxytyrosine

Levodopa

3-(3,4-Dihydroxyphenyl)-L-alanine

L-DOPA

Formula :  $C_9H_{11}NO_4$ Molecular weight : 197.19 g/mol CAS-No. : 59-92-7 EC-No. : 200-445-2

Component	Classification	Concentration
Levodopa		
	Acute Tox. 4; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye Irrit. 2A; STOT SE 3; H302, H315, H319, H335	<= 100 %

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



#### **SECTION 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. Move out of dangerous area.

#### 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

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

### 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

# 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No data available

# **SECTION 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

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.



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### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

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.

Air and light sensitive.

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

# **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

# 8.1 Control parameters

# **Components with workplace control parameters**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### 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

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 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.

Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

Millipore SigMa Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm Break through time: 480 min

Material tested: Dermatril® (KCL 740 / Aldrich Z677272, Size M)

data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail

sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

# **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**

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

# 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: crystalline

Colour: white

b) Odourc) Odour Thresholdd) pHNo data availableNo data available

e) Melting point/range: 276 - 278 °C (529 - 532 °F) - lit.

point/freezing point

f) Initial boiling point No data available and boiling range

g) Flash point ()No data available h) Evaporation rate No data available

i) Flammability (solid, No data available

gas)

j) Upper/lower No data available

flammability or explosive limits

k) Vapour pressure No data availablel) Vapour density No data available

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m) Relative density No data available
 n) Water solubility No data available
 o) Partition coefficient: No data available n-octanol/water

p) Auto-ignition No data available

temperature

q) Decomposition No data available

temperature

r) Viscosity No data availables) Explosive properties No data availablet) Oxidizing properties No data available

# 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

# **SECTION 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

Air Light.

# 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Rat - 1,780 mg/kg

Remarks: Behavioral:Excitement. Behavioral:Ataxia. Behavioral:Aggression.

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

# Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

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# 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

on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

### **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: AY5600000

Nausea, Headache, Vomiting

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

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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# **SECTION 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

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#### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### **Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

# **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

#### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

#### **IATA**

Not dangerous goods

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

### **SARA 302 Components**

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

#### **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

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

# **Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

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### **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### **Further information**

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