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# **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

## Cefotaxime Sodium Salt

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product Name: Cefotaxime Sodium Salt Date: 1st March 2017 Version: Discofinechem4 **Discovery Fine Chemicals Ltd** Company: Unit 4A Old Forge Road, Ferndown Ind. Estate Wimborne Dorset BH21 7RR United Kingdom +44 (0)1202 874517 Telephone: +44 (0)845 0944 385 Fax: E-mail: info@discofinechem.com 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Respiratory sensitisation (Category 1), H334 Skin sensitisation (Category 1), H317 For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16. Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC Xn Harmful R42/43 For the full text of the R-phrases mentioned in this Section, see Section 16. 2.2 Label elements Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Pictogram Signal word: Danger Hazard statement(s) H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Precautionary statement(s) P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. P280 Wear protective gloves. P342 + P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC Hazard symbol(s) Xn Harmful R-phrase(s) R42/43 May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact. S-phrase(s) S22 Do not breathe dust. S36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves. 2.3 Other hazards - none 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS Synonyms: Cefotaxime sodium salt Formula: C16H16N5NaO7S2 Molecular Weight: 477.45 g/mol Sodium [6r-[6α,7β(z)]]-3-(acetoxymethyl)-7-[(2-aminothiazol-4-yl)(methoxyimi no)acetamido]-8-oxo-5-thia-1-azabicyclo[4.2.0]oct-2-ene

Cas No: 64485-93-4 E.C.No: 264-915-9 Index-No.- Classification Resp. Sens. 1; Skin Sens. 1; H317, H334 Xn, R42/43 Concentration <= 100 %

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 **4.3 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), Sulphur oxides, Sodium oxides

5.3 Advice for firefighters - Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting 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.

**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.

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

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Recommended storage temperature: 2 - 8 °C. Keep in a dry place.

7.3 Specific end use(s) - no data available

#### 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 -** 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. The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it. Full contact

Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Dermatril®

Splash contact

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.11 mm

Break through time: 480 min

Material tested:Dermatril®

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

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance - Form: powder, Colour: off white - beige

b) Odour - no data available

c) Odour Threshold - no data available

d) pH - no data available

e) Melting point/freezing point - no data available

f) Initial boiling point and boiling range - no data available

g) Flash point - no data available

h) Evaporation rate - no data available

i) Flammability (solid, gas) - no data available

j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits - no data available

k) Vapour pressure - no data available

I) Vapour density - no data available

m) Relative density - no data available

n) Water solubility - ca.50 g/l

o) Partition coefficient: noctanol/water - no data available

p) Autoignition temperature - no data available

q) Decomposition temperature - no data available

r) Viscosity - no data available

s) Explosive properties - no data available

t) 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 - 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 - > 20,000 mg/kg

Remarks: Behavioral: Food intake (animal). Behavioral: Ataxia. Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration: Other changes. **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.

**Reproductive toxicity -** Developmental Toxicity - rabbit – Intravenous Effects on Embryo or Fetus: Fetal death. **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: XI0250000

Because of the similarity in structure of the penicillins and cephalosporins, those who are allergic to one class of agents may manifest cross-allergenicity when a member of the other class is encountered. Gastrointestinal disturbance, Increased liver enzymes. To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

#### **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 12.6 Other adverse effects - no data available **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations** 13.1 Waste treatment methods Product - Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contaminated packaging - Dispose of as unused product. **SECTION 14: Transport information** 14.1 UN number ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -14.2 UN proper shipping name ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods IMDG: Not dangerous goods IATA: Not dangerous goods 14.3 Transport hazard class(es) ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -14.4 Packaging group ADR/RID: - IMDG: - IATA: -14.5 Environmental hazards ADR/RID: no IMDG Marine pollutant: no IATA: no 14.6 Special precautions for user - no data available **SECTION 15: Regulatory information** This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006. 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture no data available **15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment** For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out **16. OTHER INFORMATION** Text of H-code(s) and R-phrase(s) mentioned in Section 2 and 3 H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction. H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Resp. Sens. Respiratory sensitization Skin Sens. Skin sensitization Xn Harmful R42/43 May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact. WARRANTY 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

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