

Safety Data Sheet

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCES/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

- 1.1. Product Identifiers**
- Product Code(s)** HB0893
- Product Name** (-)-Bicuculline Methiodide
- 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
- Recommended use** For research use only – Not for human use
- Uses advised against** No information available
- 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- Supplier**
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- 1.4. Emergency Telephone number**
- Emergency telephone** - Tel: +44 (0)117 318 0505

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

- 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture**
GHS/CLP – REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008
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| Acute oral toxicity | Category 3 |
| Acute dermal toxicity | Category 3 |
| Acute inhalation toxicity – dust/mist | Category 3 |
| Skin corrosion/irritation | Category 2 |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation | Category 2 |
| Specific target organ systemic toxicity (single exposure) | Category 3 |
| Acute aquatic toxicity | Category 1 |
- DSD/DPD – Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC**
- T – Toxic, N – Dangerous for the environment
- R50 – Very Toxic to aquatic organisms
R23/24/25 – Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed

R36/37/38 – Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin

2.2. Label Elements



Signal Word

Danger

Hazard Statements

H301 – Toxic if swallowed
H311 – Toxic in contact with skin
H331 – Toxic if inhaled
H315 – Causes skin irritation
H319 – Causes serious eye irritation
H335 – May cause respiratory irritation
H400 – Very toxic to aquatic life

Precautionary Statements

P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P305 + P351 + P338 -IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P304 + P340 -IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
P302 + P352 -IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
P302 + P310 -If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention
P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray
P280 - Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection
P361 - Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing
P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
P311 - Call POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before use
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area
P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
P330 - Rinse mouth
P273 - Avoid release to the environment
P391 - Collect spillage
P501 - Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant
P405 - Store locked up
P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before use

Other hazards

Caution – substance not yet completely tested

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1. Substances

Product Name: (-)-Bicuculline methiodide

Synonyms:

Formula:

$C_{21}H_{20}INO_6$

Molecular Weight: 509.29

CAS Number

55950-07-7

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General advice

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye contact

Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Skin Contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. If symptoms persist, call a physician

Inhalation

Move to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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

4.3. Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING 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

In combustion, may emit toxic fumes.

5.3. Precautions for fire-fighters

Wear suitable protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes and self-contained breathing apparatus.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Do not take action without suitable protective clothing – see section 8 of SDS. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist, dust or gas.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

6.3. Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover spillage with suitable absorbent material. Using non-spark tools, sweep up material and place in an appropriate container. Decontaminate spill site with 10%

caustic solution and ventilate area until disposal is complete. Hold all material for appropriate disposal as described under section 13 of SDS.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For required PPE see section 8. For disposal see section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Use in a chemical fume hood, with air supplied by an independent system. Avoid inhalation, contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid the formation of dust and aerosols. Use in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from sources of ignition. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities.

Store in cool, well-ventilated area. Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep container tightly sealed until ready for use. Recommended storage temperature: Store at RT

7.3. Specific end uses

Use in a laboratory fume hood where possible. Refer to employer's COSHH risk assessment.

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

Use in a fume hood where applicable. Ensure all engineering measures described under section 7 of SDS are in place. Ensure laboratory is equipped with a safety shower and eye wash station.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Use appropriate safety glasses.

Skin protection

Use appropriate chemical resistant gloves (minimum requirement use standard BS EN 374:2003). Gloves should be inspected before use. Wash and dry hands thoroughly after handling.

Body protection

Wear appropriate protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

If risk assessment indicates necessary, use a suitable respirator.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Pale Yellow Solid	Vapour pressure	No data available
Odour	No data available	Vapour density	No data available
Odour threshold	No data available	Relative density	No data available
pH	No data available	Solubility(ies)	Soluble in water
Melting/freezing point	No data available	Partition coefficient	No data available
Boiling point/range	No data available	Auto-ignition temperature	No data available

Flash Point	No data available	Decomposition temperature	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available	Viscosity	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	Explosive properties	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	Oxidising properties	No data available

9.2. Other safety information

No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Reactivity

Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat, moisture

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong acids/alkalis, strong oxidising/reducing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Nitrogen oxides (NO_x), Hydrogen Iodide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute Toxicity

Inhalation

Toxic by inhalation. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

Eye contact

May cause irritation

Skin contact

Toxic in contact with skin. May cause irritation.

Ingestion

Toxic if swallowed. Ingestion may cause irritation to mucous membranes

Chronic toxicity

Corrosivity

No Information available

Sensitization

No Information available

Neurological effects

No Information available

Reproductive toxicity

No Information available

Mutagenic effects

No Information available

Target Organ Effects

No Information available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- 12.1. Toxicity**
Ecotoxicity effects
Very toxic to aquatic organisms.
- 12.2. Persistence and degradability**
No Information available
- 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**
No Information available
- 12.4. Mobility in soil**
No Information available
- 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
No Information available
- 12.6. Other adverse effects**
No Information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- 13.1. Waste treatment methods**
Waste from residues/unused products
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations
- Contaminated packaging**
Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.
- Other information**
According to the European Waste Catalogue. Waste Codes are not product specific, but application specific. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the product was used.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR	Excepted Quantity
Proper shipping name	Alkaloid salts, solid, n.o.s. ((-)-Bicuculline methiodide)
Hazard class	6.1
UN/ID No	1544
Packing group	III
IATA	Excepted Quantity
UN/ID No	1544
Proper shipping Name	Alkaloid salts, solid, n.o.s. ((-)-Bicuculline methiodide)
Hazard class	6.1
Packing group	III
DOT	Excepted Quantity
Proper shipping name	Alkaloid salts, solid, n.o.s. ((-)-Bicuculline methiodide)
Hazard class	6.1
UN/ID No	1544
Packing group	III

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

- 15.1. **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
No information available
- 15.2. **Chemical Safety Assessment**
No information available

16. OTHER INFORMATION

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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