

Material Safety Data Sheet D-(+)-Galactose Anhydrous

MSDS# 10265

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name: D-(+)-Galactose Anhydrous

Catalog Numbers: BP656-500, G1-100 Synonyms: D-Galactopyranose

Fisher Scientific

Company Identification: One Reagent Lane

Fair Lawn, NJ 07410

For information in the US, call: 201-796-7100
Emergency Number US: 201-796-7100
CHEMTREC Phone Number, US: 800-424-9300

Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

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CAS#: 59-23-4
Chemical Name: D-Galactose
%: ca. 100%
EINECS#: 200-416-4

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Hazard Symbols: None listed Risk Phrases: None listed

Section 3 - Hazards Identification

#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

Caution! This is expected to be a low hazard for usual industrial handling. May cause eye, skin, and respiratory tract irritation. Target Organs: None.

Potential Health Effects

Eye: May cause eye irritation. Dust may cause mechanical irritation.

Skin: May cause skin irritation. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation with nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. Low hazard for usual industrial handling.

Chronic: No information found.

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Eyes: Flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. If

irritation develops, get medical aid.

Skin: Flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get

medical aid if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing before reuse.

Ingestion: If victim is conscious and alert, give 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Get medical aid.

Inhalation: Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If

breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

Notes to Physician:

Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. Dusts at sufficient concentrations can form explosive mixtures with air. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or

General

Information: combustion. Vapors may be heavier than air. They can spread along the ground and collect in low or

confined areas.

Use agent most appropriate to extinguish fire. Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or Extinguishing

Media: appropriate foam.

Autoignition Not applicable.

Temperature:

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Explosion Not available Limits: Lower:

Explosion Not available Limits: Upper:

NFPA Rating: health: 1; flammability: 0; instability: 0;

Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

General Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Information:

Spills/Leaks: observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide

Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately,

ventilation.

Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use with adequate Handling: ventilation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Store in a tightly closed container. Keep from contact with oxidizing materials. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated Storage: area away from incompatible substances.

# Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

Chemical Name	ACGIH	HH NIOSH	+  OSHA - Final PELs
D-Galactose	none listed	none listed	none listed

OSHA Vacated PELs: D-Galactose: None listed

**Engineering Controls:** 

Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Exposure Limits** 

Personal Protective Equipment

Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face Eyes:

protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.

Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure. Skin:

Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure. Clothing:

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a

Respirators: NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if

irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

### Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid

Color: white

Odor: odorless

pH: Not available

Vapor Pressure: Negligible.

Vapor Density: 6.2

Evaporation Rate: Negligible.

Viscosity: Not available

Boiling Point: Not available

Freezing/Melting Point: 167 deg C ( 332.60°F)

Decomposition Temperature: Not available

Solubility in water: 680 g/l (25 C) in water.

Specific Gravity/Density: Not available.

Molecular Formula: C6H12O6

Molecular Weight: 180.0804

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Conditions to Avoid: Incompatible materials, dust generation, excess heat.

Incompatibilities with Other Materials

Not available

Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon monoxide, carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

Hazardous Polymerization Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#: CAS# 59-23-4: LW5490000

LD50/LC50: RTECS: Not available.

Carcinogenicity: D-Galactose - Not listed as a carcinogen by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Other: See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Not available

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

**US DOT** 

Shipping Name: Not regulated as a hazardous material

Hazard Class: UN Number: Packing Group: Canada TDG

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#### Section 15 - Regulatory Information

## European/International Regulations

European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols:Not available

Risk Phrases:

Safety Phrases:

S 24/25 Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S 28A After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

S 37 Wear suitable gloves.

S 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 59-23-4: 0

Canada

CAS# 59-23-4 is listed on Canada's DSL List

Canadian WHMIS Classifications: D2A

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

CAS# 59-23-4 is not listed on Canada's Ingredient Disclosure List.

**US Federal** 

**TSCA** 

CAS# 59-23-4 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

Section 16 - Other Information MSDS Creation Date: 7/14/1999 Revision #6 Date 7/20/2009

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