

# 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 : 5-Fluorouracil

Product Number : F6627
Brand : Sigma
CAS-No. : 51-21-8

## 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** 

Telephone : +1 314 771-5765 Fax : +1 800 325-5052

#### 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 3), H301 Carcinogenicity (Category 2), H351

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

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram

Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H301 Toxic if swallowed.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary statement(s)

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.

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P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. P270 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face P280 protection. P301 + P310 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor. Rinse mouth. P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention. P405 Store locked up.

Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS - none

plant.

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

## 3.1 Substances

P501

Synonyms : 5-FU

2,4-Dihydroxy-5-fluoropyrimidine 5-Fluoro-2,4(1H,3H)-pyrimidinedione

Formula :  $C_4H_3FN_2O_2$ Molecular weight : 130.08 g/mol CAS-No. : 51-21-8 FC-No. : 200-085-6

Component	Classification	Concentration
Fluorouracil		
	Acute Tox. 3; Carc. 2;	<= 100 %
	H301, H351	

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. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

MILLIPORE

#### 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), Hydrogen fluoride

## **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

Wear respiratory protection. 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**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. 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. 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.

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#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities 7.2

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

Keep in a dry place.

Storage class (TRGS 510): 6.1D: Non-combustible, acute toxic Cat.3 / toxic hazardous materials or hazardous materials causing chronic effects

#### 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**

#### **Control parameters**

## Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values. Hazardous components without workplace control parameters

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

## **Appropriate engineering controls**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

### 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.

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)

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.

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#### **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**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

## **Control of environmental exposure**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

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

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Colour: white

a)	Appearance	Form: powder
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b) Odourc) Odour Thresholddata availableNo data available

d) pH No data available

e) Melting point/range: 282 - 286 °C (540 - 547 °F) - dec. 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
 l) Vapour density
 m) Relative density
 n) Water solubility
 n) Partition coefficient:
 No data available
 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 available

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t) 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

Heat

## 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents, Strong bases

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

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

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 - 230 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

absorption

Dermal: absorption

# Skin corrosion/irritation

slight irritation

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

#### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

## Germ cell mutagenicity

Hamster

Cytogenetic analysis

Mouse

sperm

Mouse

Other mutation test systems



## Carcinogenicity

Suspected of causing cancer.

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**

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Acute oral toxicity - Irritations of mucous membranes in the mouth, pharynx, oesophagus and gastrointestinal tract.

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

## **Aspiration hazard**

# **Additional Information**

RTECS: Not available

Nausea, Vomiting, Anorexia., Diarrhoea, stomatitis, Fever, Weakness, Headache, depression, Skin irritation, Erythema, bone marrow depression, bleeding syndrome, renal impairment, death

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

Systemic effects:

Nausea, Vomiting, Stomach/intestinal disorders, Diarrhoea, Changes in the blood count Further data:

Therapeutically used substance.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

This substance should be handled with particular care.

Stomach - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence

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### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - > 1,000 mg/l - 48 h

Remarks: (External MSDS)

#### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability Result: 0 % - Not readily biodegradable.

(OECD Test Guideline 301C)

Result: 0 % - Not readily eliminated from water.

(OECD Test Guideline 302B)



## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

#### 12.4 Mobility in soil

#### 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

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## **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. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

DOT (US)

UN number: 2811 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Toxic solids, organic, n.o.s. (Fluorouracil)

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 2811 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III EMS-No: F-A, S-A

Proper shipping name: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Fluorouracil)

**IATA** 

UN number: 2811 Class: 6.1 Packing group: III Proper shipping name: Toxic solid, organic, n.o.s. (Fluorouracil)

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### **SARA 302 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 302:

Fluorouracil CAS-No. Revision Date 51-21-8 1993-04-24

#### **SARA 313 Components**

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

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#### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

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Pennsylvania Right To Know Components	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Fluorouracil	51-21-8	1993-04-24
New Jersey Right To Know Components	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Fluorouracil	51-21-8	1993-04-24
California Prop. 65 Components WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other	CAS-No. 51-21-8	Revision Date 2007-09-28

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

reproductive harm.Fluorouracil

#### **Further information**

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