1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and the Supplier

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Identity of Substance/Mixture: Certified Reference Material NMIJ CRM 6014-a

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use:
This reference material can be used, in amino acid analysis, for preparation of standard solution, calibration of analysis equipment and validation of analysis method/equipment. Do not use this reference material for other purposes than testing/research.

2. Hazards Identification

GHS Classification: Not classifiable
GHS Label element: -
Signal word: -
Hazard communication: -
Other hazard Communication: One of the essential amino acids very low in toxicity, but harmful if inhaled or ingested in large quantity. Irritates eye, respiratory tract and mucous membrane

Precautionary statement:
[Preventive Measures]
Use appropriate protective equipment to prevent inhalation and contact with eye, skin or clothing
[Response]
If inhaled: Remove from area of exposure and get some fresh air. Keep warm with a blanket and keep one at rest. Get medical treatment.
If on skin: Wash with soap and plenty of water. If necessary, get medical assistance
If in eye: Immediately flash with plenty of clean water and get medical treatment
If swallowed: Induce vomit by drinking water or salt solution, get medical assistance if there is any abnormal
condition.

[Storage]
Store in a clean desiccator at room temperature (about 15 °C to 25 °C) protected from light.

[Disposal]
Commission waste disposal to a specialized industrial waste disposal contractor licensed by the prefectural governor. Hazardous and toxic properties not specified in the above are not subject to the classification or not classifiable.

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Single or compound: Single product
Chemical Ingredient: L-Phenylalanine
Other name: (S)-2-amino-3-phenylpropionic acid
Content: 99.9 %
Chemical formula or structural formula: C₆H₅CH₂CH(NH₂)COOH
Molecular Weight: 165.19
Reference Number in Gazetted List in Japan: Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc. : (9)-1283
Industrial Safety and Health Act : Published
CAS No.: 63-91-2

4. First-aid Measures

If in eyes: Rinse with plenty of clean water, get medical assistance
If on skin: Wash with soap and plenty of water, if necessary, get medical assistance
If inhaled: Remove from area of exposure and get some fresh air Get medical assistance
If swallowed: Drink a lot of water and induce vomit, get medical treatment if there is any abnormal condition
Measures to be taken to protect the person applying first aid: Use personal protective equipment.

5. Fire-fighting Measures

Extinguishing media: Water, powder, carbon dioxide, foam, dry sand
Specific hazards at the time of fire: May generate irritating or toxic gas
Specific extinguishing measures: Remove combustible or ignitable materials from near the fire and start extinguishing with extinguishing agent, promptly
transfer movable containers to a safe place, if impossible to move, cool the periphery of the container with water spray

Protecting fire-fighting personnel: Fire extinguishing activities from the windward and avoid inhaling toxic gas. Use personal protective equipment such as fire-safe clothing, air breathing apparatus, etc. as the situation demands.

6. Accidental Release Measures

Personal precaution: If indoor, ventilate well until the treating process is completed properly.

Protective equipment and emergency procedures: Wear appropriate protective equipment to protect the skin from spattering droplets, etc. and prevent inhaling dust/particulate or gas.

Environmental precautions: To prevent causing environmental impact, do not release the products into rivers, etc. through drainage. Before discharging contaminated waste water, treat the waste water properly.

Collection, neutralization: Collect the leakage in a container. Wash down the leaked area with plenty of water.

Secondary disaster prevention: Rope in the leakage area and prohibit the entrance of unauthorized persons. Work at windward and evacuate the people in leeward.

7. Handling and Storage

Handlings:
- Avoid unnecessary dust generation causing leakage, spillage, scattering, etc.
- Use appropriate protective equipment to avoid contact with eye, skin, clothing, etc.
- No eating, drinking and smoking when working
- Wash hands, face, etc. and gargle etc. well after the handling
- Restrict the access to the handling area
- Store the product in an airtight container.
- Use of the product is restricted to research experiments
- Do not use the product for in vivo experiments

Storage:
- Protect from light and store in a clean desiccator at room temperature (about 15 °C to 25 °C).

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Administrative Level
Not established

Occupational exposure limit

- ACGIH TLV-TWA: Not established
- Japan Society for Occupational Health recommended reference: Not established
value
• OSHA PEL TWA : Not established

Facility engineering control
Ventilation, exhaust : If generating dust/particle, seal the source of release and install local exhaust ventilation equipment. Install eye wash facility and emergency safety shower and indicate their location with signage conspicuously.
Safety control, gas detection
Storage precaution : Protect from light and store in a clean place at room temperature (about 15 °C to 25 °C)

Protective equipment
Respiratory tract protection
Hands : Protective gloves
Eyes : Protective eyeglasses (safety goggles if needed)
Skin and body : Long-sleeved protective clothing

9. Physical and Chemical Properties
• Appearance, etc. : Powder
• Color : White
• Odor : No data
• pH : No data
• Melting point : 283 °C (decomposition point)
• Boiling point : No data
• Flashing point : No data
• Explosive range : No data
• Vapor pressure : No data
• Relative vapor density(Air=1) : No data
• Specific gravity or bulk specific gravity : No data
• Solubility : In 1 L water, 19.8 g (0 °C), 29.6g (25 °C) dissolved. Very low solubility in ethanol, methanol
• n-Octanol/water partition coefficient (Log Po/w) : No data
• Auto-ignition temperature : No data

10. Stability and Reactivity
◇ Stability
• Stable under normal condition
◇ Reactivity
• May react in contact with strong oxidizer
◇ Condition to avoid
• Sunlight, heat
◇ Hazardous decomposition products
11. Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity
Intraperitoneal rat  LD50: 5287 mg/kg (RTECS)
Intraperitoneal mouse  LD50: >1322 mg/kg (RTECS)

12. Ecological Information

※DL-form (CAS No. 150-30-1) described
Degradability, concentration
  • Degradability: 96% by BOD (METI Existing Chemical Substances Safety Review)
Bioaccumulation
  • No data available
Ecotoxicity
  • No data available

13. Disposal Considerations

• Disposal shall be in compliance with Laws and Regulations concerned, and ordinances of the local authorities
• Disposal of an empty container shall be after removing/decontaminating the content completely.

14. Transport Information

UN number  : Not applicable
UN classification  : Not applicable
Name  : -
Marine pollutant  : Not applicable
Precautions  : Transfer with care avoiding direct sunlight, leakage or spill due to fall, keep away from sources of ignition.

15. Regulatory Information

• No applicable laws and regulations

◎ This SDS is originally prepared for the use of the material in Japan, thus the stated laws and regulations are stipulated and carried out in Japan. The use of the material in other countries should be referred to and by application of the relevant laws and regulations of the country in which the material will be used.

16. Other Information

Other
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