

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product code: M1441
Product Name: METHIONINE, USP

Other means of identification

Synonyms: L-alpha-Amino-gamma-methylmercaptobutyric acid
 2-Amino-4-methylthiobutanoic acid
 (S)-2-Amino-4-(methylthio)butanoic acid
 L(-)-Amino-gamma-methylthiobutyric acid
 L-alpha-Amino-gamma-methylthiobutyric acid
 2-Amino-4-(methylthio)butyric acid
 Butyric acid, 2-amino-4-(methylthio)-
 Cymethion
 Methionine
 Butanoic acid, 2-amino-4-(methylthio)-, (S)-
 L-Homocysteine, S-methyl-
 1-Methionine
 S-Methionine
 L(-)-Methionine
 gamma-Methylthio-alpha-aminobutyric acid
 L-gamma-Methylthio-alpha-aminobutyric acid
 L-2-Amino-4-(methylthio)butyric Acid

CAS #: 63-68-3
RTECS # PD0457000
CI#: Not available

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use: No information available.
Uses advised against No information available

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is not considered hazardous according to the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Label elements

Not classified

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not Applicable

Other hazards

Not available

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %
L-Methionine	63-68-3	100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

- General Advice:** National Capital Poison Center in the United States can provide assistance if you have a poison emergency and need to talk to a poison specialist. Call 1-800-222-1222.
- Skin Contact:** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Consult a physician if necessary.
- Eye Contact:** Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation occurs. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
- Inhalation:** Move to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.
- Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a physician if necessary.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

- Symptoms** May cause eye/skin irritation
May cause gastrointestinal disturbances

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

- Notes to Physician:** Treat symptomatically.

Protection of first-aiders

First-Aid Providers: Avoid exposure to blood or body fluids. Wear gloves and other necessary protective clothing. Dispose of contaminated clothing and equipment as bio-hazardous waste.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

- Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Dry chemical. Water spray mist or foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: No information available.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon Monoxide, Carbon Dioxide. Nitrogen Oxides. Sulfur Oxides.

Specific hazards: May be combustible at high temperatures.

Special Protective Actions for Firefighters

Specific Methods: No information available.

Special Protective Equipment for Firefighters: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions: Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Remove all sources of ignition. Avoid dust formation.

Environmental precautions Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading.

Methods for cleaning up Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Technical Measures/Precautions:

Provide sufficient air exchange and/or exhaust in work rooms. Avoid dust formation. Keep away from incompatible materials.

Safe Handling Advice

Wear personal protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Avoid dust formation. Do not ingest. Do not breathe dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:

Sensitive to light. Store in light-resistant containers. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature in the original container. Store away from incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials:

Oxidizing agents

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

National occupational exposure limits

United States

Components	CAS-No.	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WEEL
L-Methionine	63-68-3	None	None	None	None

Canada

Components	CAS-No.	Canada - Alberta	Canada - British Columbia	Canada - Ontario	Canada - Quebec
L-Methionine	63-68-3	None	None	None	None

Australia and Mexico

Components	CAS-No.	Australia	Mexico
L-Methionine	63-68-3	None	None

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering measures to reduce exposure:

Ensure adequate ventilation. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Personal Protective Equipment

Eye protection: Safety glasses with side-shields. or Goggles

Skin and body protection: Long sleeved clothing
Chemical resistant apron
Gloves

Respiratory protection: Effective dust mask. or. Wear respirator with dust filter. Use a dust respirator under conditions where exposure to the substance is apparent (e.g. generation of high concentration of dust (dust clouds) , inadequate ventilation, development of respiratory tract irritation), and engineering controls are not feasible. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent.

Hygiene measures: Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state:
Solid

Appearance:
Crystalline powder. Powder.

Color:
White.

Odor:
Slight.

Taste
Sulfurous.

Formula:
C5-H11-N-O2-S

Molecular/Formula weight (g/mole):
149.21

Flammability:
No information available

Flashpoint (°C/°F):
No information available.

Flash Point Tested according to: Not available	Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F): No information available	Lower Explosion Limit (%): No information available
Upper Explosion Limit (%): No information available	Melting point/range(°C/°F): 276-284 °C/528.8-543.2 °F with decomposition	Decomposition temperature(°C/°F): No information available
Boiling point/range(°C/°F): 181°C/357.8 °F with decomposition	Bulk density: No information available	Density (g/cm3): No information available
Specific gravity: No information available	pH: No information available	Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa): No information available
Evaporation rate: No information available	Vapor density: No information available	VOC content (g/L): No information available
Odor threshold (ppm): No information available	Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): -1.87	Viscosity: No information available
Miscibility: No information available	Solubility: Soluble in Water Solubility in Water: 56.6 g/l @ 25 deg. C. Insoluble in Ether Insoluble in Acetone Insoluble in Benzene Slightly soluble in acetic acid Insoluble in Petroleum ether	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

Reactive with oxidizing agents

Chemical stability

Stability: Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization does not occur

Conditions to avoid: Heat. Exposure to light. Avoid dust formation. Incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials: Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Sulfur oxides.

Other Information

Corrosivity: No information available

Special Remarks on Corrosivity: No information available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Principal Routes of Exposure:
Ingestion. Inhalation.

Acute Toxicity

Component Information

L-Methionine	
CAS-No.	63-68-3

LD50/oral/rat = 36 g/kg Oral LD50 Rat
LD50/oral/mouse = No information available
LD50/dermal/rabbit = No information available
LD50/dermal/rat = No information available
LC50/inhalation/rat = No information available
LC50/inhalation/mouse = No information available
Other LD50 or LC50 information = No information available

Product Information

LD50/oral/rat =
VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = 36000 mg/kg

LD50/oral/mouse =
Value - Acute Tox Oral = No information available

LD50/dermal/rabbit
VALUE-Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LD50/dermal/rat
VALUE -Acute Tox Dermal = No information available

LC50/inhalation/rat
VALUE-Vapor = No information available
VALUE-Gas = No information available
VALUE-Dust/Mist = No information available

LC50/Inhalation/mouse
VALUE-Vapor = No information available
VALUE - Gas = No information available
VALUE - Dust/Mist = No information available

Symptoms

Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation.
Eye Contact: May cause eye irritation.
Inhalation May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Ingestion Low hazard. May cause gastrointestinal disturbances. May cause gastric distress.
Aspiration hazard No information available.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic Toxicity Prolonged or repeated ingestion may cause gastric distress. It may affect the liver, blood (blood changes in white blood cell count, changes in serum composition, changes in platelet count). It may also cause homocysteinemia (an increase in the level of homocysteine in the blood which is associated with higher risk of strokes, and carotid stenosis (plaque). It may cause behavioral changes.

Sensitization: No information available.

Mutagenic Effects: May affect genetic material
Mutations in microorganisms
Experiments with bacteria and/or yeast have shown mutagenic effects
Experiments with human lymphocytes have shown mutagenic effects

Carcinogenic effects: No information available.

Components	CAS-No.	IARC	ACGIH - Carcinogens	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances
L-Methionine	63-68-3	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

ACGIH (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

NTP (National Toxicology Program)

OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labor)

Reproductive toxicity No data is available

Reproductive Effects: No information available

Developmental Effects: No information available

Teratogenic Effects: No information available

Specific Target Organ Toxicity

STOT - single exposure No information available.

STOT - repeated exposure No information available.

Target Organs: No information available.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Ecotoxicity effects: No data available.

Persistence and degradability: No information available

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available.

Mobility: No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Waste from residues / unused products:
Waste must be disposed of in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulation.

Contaminated packaging:
Empty containers should be taken for local recycling, recovery or waste disposal

Components	CAS-No.	RCRA - F Series	RCRA - K Series	RCRA - P Series	RCRA - U Series
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		Wastes	Wastes	Wastes	Wastes
L-Methionine	63-68-3	None	None	None	None

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Class: No information available
Packing group: No information available
Emergency Response Guide Number: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No data available
DOT RQ (lbs): No information available
Special Provisions: No Information available
Symbol(s): No information available
Description: No information available

TDG (Canada)

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No Information available
Description: No information available

ADR

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available

IMO / IMDG

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
Marine Pollutant: No information available

RID

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available

ICAO

UN-No: Not Regulated
Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available

IATA

UN-No: Not Regulated

Proper Shipping Name: No information available
Hazard Class: No information available
Subsidiary Risk: No information available
Packing Group: No information available
ERG Code: No information available
Special Provisions No information available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Components	CAS-No.	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
<i>L-Methionine</i>	63-68-3	PresentACTIV E	Present KE-01485	Present	Present (2)-1254	Present	Present	Present 200-562-9

U.S. Regulations

L-Methionine

FDA - Direct Food Additives 21 CFR 172.320 (hydrated, anhydrous)

FDA - 21 CFR - Total Food Additives 172.320

- List Sourced from EAFUS

California Prop. 65: Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986.

Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Cancer:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Chemicals Known to the State of California to Cause Reproductive Toxicity:

This product does not contain a chemical requiring a warning under California Prop. 65. (See table below)

Components	CAS-No.	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
<i>L-Methionine</i>	63-68-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

CERCLA/SARA

Components	CAS-No.	CERCLA - Hazardous Substances and their Reportable Quantities	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and RQs	Section 313 - Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
<i>L-Methionine</i>	63-68-3	None	None	None	None	None

U.S. TSCA

Components	CAS-No.	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
<i>L-Methionine</i>	63-68-3	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Canada

WHIMIS 2015 - GHS Classifications

WHMIS 2015 Hazard Classification Information: Not a dangerous product according to HPR classification criteria.

Canada Hazardous Products Regulation This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the HPR (Hazardous Products Regulation) and the SDS contains all of the information required by the HPR

Inventory

Components	CAS-No.	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
L-Methionine	63-68-3	Present	Not Listed

Components	CAS-No.	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances
L-Methionine	63-68-3	Not listed
Components	CAS-No.	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Mandatory Reporting
L-Methionine	63-68-3	Not listed

EU Classification

EU GHS - SV - CLP 1272/2008

Components	CAS-No.	EU GHS - SV - CLP (1272/2008)
L-Methionine	63-68-3	

EU - CLP (1272/2008)

R-phrase(s)

not determined (not applicable)

S -phrase(s)

none

Components	CAS-No.	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
L-Methionine	63-68-3		No information	

The product is classified in accordance with Annex VI to Directive 67/548/EEC

Indication of danger:

Not dangerous

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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Disclaimer:

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