

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET (MSDS)

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Substance
Trade name	: GUANIDINE THIOCYANATE MOLECULAR BIOLOGY
CAS No	: 593-54-0
Product code	: 3994F
Formula	: C2H6N4S
Synonyms	: Guanidinium rhodanide, Guanidinium thiocyanate

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Use of the substance/mixture : Industrial. For professional use only

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4	H302
Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 4	H312
Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 4	H332
Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B	H314
Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Chronic Hazard, Category 3	H412

Full text of classification categories and H statements : see section 16

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Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

Xn; R20/21/22

C; R34

R52/53

R32

Full text of R-phrases: see section 16

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP) :



GHS05

GHS07

Signal word (CLP) :

Danger

Hazard statements (CLP) :

H302+H312+H332 - Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects

Precautionary statements (CLP) :

P273 - Avoid release to the environment

P280 - Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, face protection

P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substance

Name : GUANIDINE THIOCYANATE MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

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Full text of R- and H-phrases: see section 16

3.2. Mixture

Not applicable

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Wash with plenty of soap and water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

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

- Symptoms/injuries : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Harmful if inhaled.
- Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Repeated exposure to this material can result in absorption through skin causing significant health hazard. Harmful in contact with skin.
- Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Swallowing a small quantity of this material will result in serious health hazard.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray. Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

5.3. Advice for firefighters

- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Use personal protective equipment as required.
- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- Methods for cleaning up : Collect spillage. On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Soak up spills with inert solids, such as clay or diatomaceous earth as soon as possible.

6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling	: Do not breathe vapours, fume, gas, spray, dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapour.
Hygiene measures	: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures	: Comply with applicable regulations.
Storage conditions	: Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

Hand protection	: Protective gloves
Eye protection	: Chemical goggles or face shield
Skin and body protection	: Wear suitable protective clothing
Respiratory protection	: Wear respiratory protection

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Colour	: White crystalline.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: 4.8 - 6
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: 117 °C
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: No data available

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Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 1.29 g/cm ³
Solubility	: Water: Soluble in water
Log Pow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Thermal decomposition generates : Corrosive vapours.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Highly reactive material. Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Direct sunlight. Extremely high or low temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition generates : Corrosive vapours.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity	: Oral: Harmful if swallowed. Dermal: Harmful in contact with skin. Inhalation: Harmful if inhaled.
Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. pH: 4.8 - 6
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Serious eye damage, category 1, implicit pH: 4.8 - 6
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified

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Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms : Harmful if swallowed. Harmful in contact with skin. Harmful if inhaled.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - water : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No additional information available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Product/Packaging disposal recommendations : Dispose of contents/container to ...

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

14.1. UN number

UN-No. (ADR) : 1759

UN-No. (IMDG) : 1759

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UN-No.(IATA) : 1759
UN-No.(ADN) : 1759
UN-No. (RID) : 1759

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper Shipping Name (ADR) : CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S.
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG) : CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S.
Proper Shipping Name (IATA) : CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S.
Proper Shipping Name (ADN) : CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S.
Proper Shipping Name (RID) : CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S.
Transport document description (ADR) : UN 1759 CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S., 8, III, (E)
Transport document description (IMDG) : UN 1759 CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S., 8, III
Transport document description (IATA) : UN 1759 CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S., 8, III
Transport document description (ADN) : UN 1759 CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S., 8, III
Transport document description (RID) : UN 1759 CORROSIVE SOLID, N.O.S., 8, III

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR) : 8
Danger labels (ADR) : 8



IMDG

Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG) : 8
Danger labels (IMDG) : 8



IATA

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : 8
Hazard labels (IATA) : 8



ADN

Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : 8
Danger labels (ADN) : 8



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RID

Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : 8

Danger labels (RID) : 8



14.4. Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : III

Packing group (IMDG) : III

Packing group (IATA) : III

Packing group (ADN) : III

Packing group (RID) : III

14.5. Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No

Marine pollutant : No

Other information : No supplementary information available

14.6. Special precautions for user

- Overland transport

Classification code (ADR) : C10

Special provision (ADR) : 274

Limited quantities (ADR) : 5kg

Excepted quantities (ADR) : E1

Packing instructions (ADR) : P002, IBC08, LP02, R001

Special packing provisions (ADR) : B3

Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP10

Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T1

Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (ADR) : TP33

Tank code (ADR) : SGAV, L4BN

Vehicle for tank carriage : AT

Transport category (ADR) : 3

Special provisions for carriage - Bulk (ADR) : VC1, VC2, AP7

Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 80

Orange plates :



Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : E

EAC code : 2X

- Transport by sea

Special provision (IMDG) : 223, 274

Limited quantities (IMDG) : 5 kg

Excepted quantities (IMDG) : E1

Packing instructions (IMDG) : P002, LP02

IBC packing instructions (IMDG) : IBC08

IBC special provisions (IMDG) : B3

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Tank instructions (IMDG)	: T1
Tank special provisions (IMDG)	: TP33
EmS-No. (Fire)	: F-A
EmS-No. (Spillage)	: S-B
Stowage category (IMDG)	: A
MFAG-No	: 154

- Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA)	: E1
PCA Limited quantities (IATA)	: Y845
PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA)	: 5kg
PCA packing instructions (IATA)	: 860
PCA max net quantity (IATA)	: 25kg
CAO packing instructions (IATA)	: 864
CAO max net quantity (IATA)	: 100kg
Special provision (IATA)	: A3
ERG code (IATA)	: 8L

- Inland waterway transport

Classification code (ADN)	: C10
Special provisions (ADN)	: 274
Limited quantities (ADN)	: 5 kg
Excepted quantities (ADN)	: E1
Equipment required (ADN)	: PP, EP
Number of blue cones/lights (ADN)	: 0

- Rail transport

Classification code (RID)	: C10
Special provision (RID)	: 274
Limited quantities (RID)	: 5kg
Excepted quantities (RID)	: E1
Packing instructions (RID)	: P002, IBC08, LP02, R001
Special packing provisions (RID)	: B3
Mixed packing provisions (RID)	: MP10
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID)	: T1
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (RID)	: TP33
Tank codes for RID tanks (RID)	: SGAV, L4BN
Transport category (RID)	: 3
Special provisions for carriage – Bulk (RID)	: VC1, VC2, AP7
Colis express (express parcels) (RID)	: CE11
Hazard identification number (RID)	: 80

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

No REACH Annex XVII restrictions

GUANIDINE THIOCYANATE MOLECULAR BIOLOGY is not on the REACH Candidate List

GUANIDINE THIOCYANATE MOLECULAR BIOLOGY is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

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15.1.2. National regulations

Germany

12th Ordinance Implementing the Federal Immission Control Act - 12.BImSchV : Is not subject of the 12. BImSchV (Hazardous Incident Ordinance)

Denmark

Recommendations Danish Regulation : Young people below the age of 18 years are not allowed to use the product
Pregnant/breastfeeding women working with the product must not be in direct contact with the product

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of R-, H- and EUH-phrases:

Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation)	Acute toxicity (inhal.), Category 4
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4
Aquatic Chronic 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Chronic Hazard, Category 3
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1B
H302	Harmful if swallowed
H312	Harmful in contact with skin
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage
H332	Harmful if inhaled
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects
R20/21/22	Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed
R32	Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas
R34	Causes burns
R52/53	Harmful to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment
C	Corrosive
Xn	Harmful

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product