

# 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 : cis-4,7,10,13,16,19-Docosahexaenoic acid

Product Number : D2534
Brand : Sigma
CAS-No. : 6217-54-5

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

Uses advised against : The product is being supplied under the TSCA R&D Exemption

(40 CFR Section 720.36). It is the recipient's responsibility to comply with the requirements of the R&D exemption. The product may not be used for a non-exempt commercial purpose under TSCA unless appropriate consent is granted in writing by

MilliporeSigma.

### 1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich Inc.

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### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

### GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 4), H227

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

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

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Pictogram none
Signal Word Warning

**Hazard Statements** 

H227 Combustible liquid.

**Precautionary Statements** 

P210 Keep away from heat/ sparks/ open flames/ hot surfaces. No

smoking.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant

foam to extinguish.

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal

plant.

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

### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

#### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : DHA

No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

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

#### If inhaled

After inhalation: fresh air.

In case of skin contact

In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with

water/ shower.

# In case of eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses.

### If swallowed

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most). Consult doctor if feeling unwell.

## 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

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## 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

Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) Dry powder

### Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Combustible.

Vapors are heavier than air and may spread along floors.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

### 5.4 Further information

Remove container from danger zone and cool with water. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe vapors, aerosols. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up with liquid-absorbent material (e.g. Chemizorb®). Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

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Keep away from open flames, hot surfaces and sources of ignition. Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

### **Hygiene measures**

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance. For precautions see section 2.2.

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

### Storage conditions

Tightly closed.

Storage stabilityRecommended storage temperature

-20 °C

Air and light sensitive. Store under inert gas.

### Storage class

Storage class (TRGS 510): 10: Combustible liquids

## 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

### 8.1 Control parameters

### Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

## 8.2 Exposure controls

### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Change contaminated clothing. Wash hands after working with substance.

### Personal protective equipment

#### **Eve/face protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Safety glasses

### Skin protection

not required

#### Respiratory protection

Not required; except in case of aerosol formation.

#### Control of environmental exposure

Do not let product enter drains.

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

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid

Color: light yellow

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b) Odor No data available c) Odor Threshold No data available No data available d) e) Melting Melting point/range: -44.5 - -44.1 °C (-48.1 - -47.4 °F) point/freezing point No data available Initial boiling point and boiling range 62 °C (144 °F) - closed cup g) Flash point h) Evaporation rate No data available No data available Flammability (solid, gas) Upper/lower No data available j) flammability or explosive limits k) Vapor pressure No data available Vapor density No data available m) Density 0.950 g/cm3 Relative density No data available n) Water solubility No data available No data available o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water No data available p) Autoignition temperature q) Decomposition No data available

temperaturer) Viscosity No data availables) Explosive properties No data available

t) Oxidizing properties none

### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1 Reactivity

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

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## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agentsStrong bases

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In the event of fire: see section 5

### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

## **Acute toxicity**

Oral: No data available Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Remarks: No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Remarks: No data available

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

#### Carcinogenicity

IARC: No ingredient 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 ingredient 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**

No data available No data available

# Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

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#### 11.2 Additional Information

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

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

## 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

#### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

# 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

#### 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### DOT (US)

NA-Number: 1993 Class: NONE Packing group: III

Proper shipping name: Combustible liquid, n.o.s. (cis-4,7,10,13,16,19-Docosahexaenoic

acid)

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

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#### **IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

#### **IATA**

Not dangerous goods

### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### **SARA 302 Components**

This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

#### **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

### SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard

#### **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

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

#### **Further information**

The information is believed to be correct but is not exhaustive and will be used solely as a guideline, which is based on current knowledge of the chemical substance or mixture and is applicable to appropriate safety precautions for the product. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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