

Safety Data Sheet

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product Name VSTEARIN™ SA05 Stearic Acid

Other means of identification

Product Code SA05

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended Use Commercial product.
Uses advised against None identified

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Telephone Number CHEMTREC US: 1-800-424-9300

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is not hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard.

This is not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the United Nations Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

Label Elements

EMED	GENCY	OVEDV	
FIVIER	Carine . I	UVERV	

Not Hazardous

Color White Physical State Solid Odor Faint

Hazards not otherwise classified

(HNOC)

May form explosive dust clouds in air Particles in air may cause eye irritation

Inhalation or ingestion may cause mucous membrane irritation

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Stearic acid	57-11-4	100

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

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Eye contact IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists, consult a physician.

Skin contact IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water.

Inhalation IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for

breathing.

Ingestion IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Contact a doctor/physician if

exposed or you feel unwell.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms None identified.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media Class ABC/BC fire extinguisher. Dry powder, Alcohol foam,

Carbon dioxide, Water fog.

Unsuitable extinguishing media None known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical May form explosive dust clouds in air.

Hazardous combustion productsCarbon oxides. Irritating gases and vapors.

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefightersAs 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 Refer to Section 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for ContainmentCover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading.

Methods for Cleaning Up

Sweep up and recover or mix material with a moist absorbent and shovel into a chemical

waste container. Then wash residue from spill area with water containing detergent and

flush to a sewer serviced by a permitted wastewater treatment facility.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid dust

formation. Avoid contact with eyes.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Store in original container.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure GuidelinesThis product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits

established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Stearic acid	TWA: 10 mg/m ³	n/a	n/a
57-11-4	TWA: 3 mg/m ³		

Other Exposure Guidelines Particulates: OSHA PEL 5 mg/m3.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Eyewash stations.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection Safety glasses with side-shields.

Skin and Body Protection Protective gloves.

Respiratory Protection Not required under normal conditions.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State Solid

AppearanceOpaqueOdorFaintColorWhiteOdor thresholdNone

PropertyValuesRemarks • MethodpHNot Applicable

Melting point / freezing point 55 °C / 131 °F

 Boiling point / boiling range
 205-225 °C / 401-437 °F
 @10 hPa

 Flash Point
 180 °C / 356 °F
 Open cup

Evaporation Rate Not determined

Flammability (solid, gas)

May burn if exposed to open flame.

Flammability Limit in Air Not determined

Upper flammability limit Lower Flammability Limit

Vapor pressure
Vapor Density
Specific Gravity
Water Solubility
Not determined
Not determined
Insoluble

Solubility in other solvents

Partition coefficient >3

Autoignition Temperature 350 °C / 662 °F

Decomposition temperatureNot determined

Soluble in many organic solvents

Estimated

Not determined Kinematic viscosity

10@ 65°C mPas Dynamic viscosity

Oxidizing Properties None

Other Information

0.85 g/ml @ 75°C Density

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity Not reactive

Remarks

Stable under recommended storage conditions. **Chemical stability**

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.

Hazardous Polymerization Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid dust formation.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Combustion can lead to release of irritating vapors.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information

Inhalation No known hazard.

Eye contact Not irritating to eyes.

Skin contact Not irritating to skin.

No known hazard. Ingestion

Component Information

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Stearic acid	> 2 g/kg (rat)	> 5 g/kg (Rabbit)	=
57-11-4			

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms None known.

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

No data available. Skin corrosion/irritation No data available. Serious eye damage/eye irritation No known hazard.

Mutagenic Effects Carcinogenicity

This substance is not classified as a carcinogen by IARC, OSHA, ACGIH, or NTP.

No known hazard. **Reproductive Toxicity**

No known hazard. STOT - single exposure

STOT - repeated exposure Aspiration hazard

No known hazard. No known hazard.

Numerical measures of toxicity-Product Information

Not determined

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

Not toxic to aquatic organisms at maximum water solubility.

Persistence and degradability

Readily biodegradable: (OECD 301B) (28 days) >70%.

Bioaccumulation/Accumulation

No data available

Mobility

This substance is not likely mobile in the environment due low water solubility.

Other Adverse Effects No data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Waste Disposal Method Dispose of in accordance with applicable regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose of in accordance with applicable regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Not regulated

MEX Not regulated

<u>IATA</u> Not regulated

IMDG / IMO Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA Complies DSL Complies **EINECS** Complies **ENCS** Complies Complies **IECSC** Complies **KECL PICCS** Complies Complies **AICS**

Legend

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations. Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

This product does not contain any substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA Health Hazard 1 Flammability 1 Instability 0 Physical and Chemical

Hazards n/a

HMIS Health Hazard 1 Flammability 1 Physical hazards 0 Personal Precautions B

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