



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION				
Product identifier				
Product code:	AG115			
Product Name:	AGAROSE, LOW ELECTROENDOSMOSIS, ELE	CTROPHORESIS GRADE		
Other means of identification				
Synonyms:	No information available			
CAS #:	9012-36-6			
RTECS #	Not available			
CI#:	Not available			
Recommended use of the chem				
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 by 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

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Components	CAS-No.	Weight %	Trade Secret
Agarose LE	9012-36-6	100	*
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4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures General Advice:	Poison information centres in each State capital city can provide additional assistance for scheduled poisons (13 1126)
Skin Contact:	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops. Consult a physician if necessary.
Eye Contact:	Flush eye 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 effec Symptoms	ts, both acute and delayed May cause eye/skin irritation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed
Notes to Physician:
Treat symptomatically

Protection of first-aiders

Extinguishing Media

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

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
Specific hazards:	May be combustible at high temperatures Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard

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. Avoid dust formation. Remove all sources of ignition.	
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. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. 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 vapours/dust. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical Measures/Storage Conditions:

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:

Strong oxidizing agents.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

National occupational exposure limits

U.S Occupational Exposure Limits: Not determined

United States

Components	OSHA	NIOSH	ACGIH	AIHA WHEEL
	None	None	None	None
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Canada

Canada Occupational Exposure Limits: Not determined

Components	Alberta	British Columbia	Ontario	Quebec
	None	None	None	None
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Australia and Mexico

Occupational Exposure Limits for Australia and Mexico: Not determined

Components	Australia	Mexico
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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. Safety glasses with side-shields.
Skin and body protection:	Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron. Gloves.
Respiratory protection:	Effective dust mask. Wear respirator with dust filter
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

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Physical state: Solid.

Odor: No information available

Molecular/Formula weight: No information available

Flash Point Tested according to: Not available

Autoignition Temperature (°C/°F): No information available

Boiling point/range(°C/°F): No information available

Density (g/cm3): No information available

Evaporation rate: No information available

Odor threshold (ppm): No information available

Miscibility: No information available

Reactivity

Appearance: Powder.

Taste No information available

Flash point (°C): No data available

Lower Explosion Limit (%): No information available

pH: No information available

Decomposition temperature(°C/°F): No information available

Bulk density: No information available

Vapor density: No information available

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No information available

Solubility: No information available Color: White.

Formula: (C6-H10-O5.C6-H8-O4)n

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

Upper Explosion Limit (%): No information available

Melting point/range(°C/°F): Melting Pt.: 87-89 °C/188.6-192.2 °F Gelling Pt.: 36-39 °C/96.8-102.2 °F

Specific gravity: No information available

Vapor pressure @ 20°C (kPa): No information available

VOC content (g/L): No information available

Viscosity: No information available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactive with oxidizing agents	
Chemical stability Stability:	Stable at normal conditions
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:	Hazardous polymerization does not occur
Conditions to avoid:	Heat. Avoid dust formation. Dust may form explosive mixture in air. Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is a potential dust explosion hazard.
Incompatible Materials:	Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products:	Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.
Other Information	
Corrosivity:	No information available
Special Remarks on Corrosivity:	No information available

Information on likely routes of exposure

Principal Routes of Exposure: Ingestion. Inhalation.

Acute Toxicity

Component Information

Agarose LE - 9012-36-6 LD50/oral/rat = No information available 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 LC50information = No information available

Product Information

LD50/oral/rat = VALUE- Acute Tox Oral = No information available

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.	May cause eye irritation.		
Inhalation Ingestion	May cause irritation of respiratory tract. Low hazard. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. Ingo of large amounts may cause gastrointestinal tract upset and possible constipa due to gelation and bulking.			
Aspiration hazard	No information available			
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Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic Toxicity	No information available
Sensitization:	No information available

Mutagenic Effects: No information available

Carcinogenic effects:

Not considered carcinogenic.

Components	ACGIH - Carcinogens	IARC	NTP	OSHA HCS - Carcinogens	Australia - Prohibited Carcinogenic Substances	Australia - Notifiable Carcinogenic Substances
Agarose LE	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

Reproductive toxicity	No data is available
Reproductive Effects: Developmental Effects: Teratogenic Effects:	No information available No information available 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	RCRA - F Series Wastes	RCRA - K Series Wastes	RCRA - P Series Wastes	RCRA - U Series Wastes
Agarose LE	None	None	None	None

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

UN-No:	Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name:	No information available
Hazard Class:	No information available
Subsidiary Risk:	Not applicable
Packing Group:	None
Marine Pollutant	No data available
ERG No:	No information available
DOT RQ (lbs):	No information available
Hazard Class: Subsidiary Risk: Packing Group: Marine Pollutant ERG No:	No information available Not applicable None No data available 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
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
Classification Code:	No information available
Description:	No information available
CEFIC Tremcard No:	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
Description:	No information available
IMDG Page:	No information available
Marine Pollutant	No information available
MFAG:	No information available
Maximum Quantity:	No information available

Not Regulated

No information available No information available

RID

UN-No:
Proper Shipping Name:
Hazard Class:
Subsidiary Risk:
Packing Group:
Classification Code:
Description:

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
Description:	No information available
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IA.

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
Description:	No information available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

Components	U.S. TSCA	KOREA KECL	Philippines (PICCS)	Japan ENCS	CHINA	Australia (AICS)	EINECS-No.
Agarose LE	Present XU	Present KE- 00278	Present	Not present	Present	Present	Present 232-731-8

U.S. Regulations

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	Carcinogen	Developmental Toxicity	Male Reproductive Toxicity	Female Reproductive Toxicity:
Agarose LE	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed

CERCLA/SARA

	Substances and their	Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs	Hazardous	Chemical Category	Section 313 - Reporting de minimis
Agarose LE	None	None	None	None	None

U.S. TSCA

•	TSCA Section 5(a)2 - Chemicals With Significant New Use Rules (SNURS)	TSCA 8(d) -Health and Safety Reporting
Agarose LE	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Canada

Non-controlled

Agarose LE

Uncontrolled product according to WHMIS classification criteria

Canada Controlled Products Regulation:

This product has been classified according to the hazard criteria of the CPR (Controlled Products Regulation) and the MSDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.

Inventory

Components	Canada (DSL)	Canada (NDSL)
Agarose LE	Present	Not Listed

Components	CEPA Schedule I - Toxic Substances	CEPA - 2010 Greenhouse Gases Subject to Manditory Reporting
Agarose LE	Not listed	Not listed

EU Classification

R-phrase(s) none

S -phrase(s)

none

Components	Classification	Concentration Limits:	Safety Phrases
Agarose LE		No information	

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

Indication of danger:

None.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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NFPA	HMIS	Personal Protective Equipment
	Health Hazard1Fire Hazard1Reactivity0	
		See Section 8.
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Disclaimer:

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