

Biotin

SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Identifier Biotin

Other Means of Identification

Vitamin B7; Vitamin H; Coenzyme R; Biopeiderm

Product Code(s) BI1110
Product Family Vitamin

Recommended Use Food supplement. **Restrictions on Use** None known.

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SDS No. 1131

SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Classification

Not classified under any hazard class.

Label Elements

Not applicable

Other Hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
BIOTIN	58-85-5	> 99	Vitamin B7; Vitamin H; Coenzyme R; Biopeiderm	

SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

First-aid Measures

Inhalation

Remove source of exposure or move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by Poison Centre or doctor.

Skin Contact

Immediately wash gently and thoroughly with lukewarm, gently flowing water and mild soap for 15-20 minutes. If skin irritation or a rash occurs, get medical advice or attention.

Eve Contact

Immediately rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15-20 minutes, while holding the

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eyelid(s) open. If eye irritation persists, get medical advice or attention.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Contact a physician.

First-aid Comments

Provide general supportive measures (comfort, warmth, rest). Do not leave the victim unattended.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

If inhaled: can irritate the nose and throat. If on skin: may cause mild irritation. If in eyes: may cause mild irritation.

Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment

Special Instructions

General advice, consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media

Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, appropriate foam, water spray or fog.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

None known.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Product

Closed containers may rupture violently when heated releasing contents. Heating increases the release of toxic vapour.

In a fire, the following hazardous materials may be generated: very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide; corrosive, oxidizing nitrogen oxides; corrosive sulfur oxides.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters

Fight fire from a safe distance or a protected location. Approach fire from upwind to avoid hazardous vapours or gases. Move containers from fire area if it can be done without risk. Otherwise, use water in flooding quantities as a spray or fog to keep fire-exposed containers cool and absorb heat. For a massive fire, immediately evacuate the area and use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles.

Chemical protective clothing (e.g. chemical splash suit) and positive pressure SCBA may be necessary.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures

Use the personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 of this safety data sheet. Increase ventilation to area or move leaking container to a well-ventilated and secure area. Remove or isolate incompatible materials as well as other hazardous materials.

Environmental Precautions

No special precautions are necessary. It is good practice to prevent releases into the environment.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Collect using shovel/scoop or approved HEPA vacuum and place in a suitable container for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

No special handling precautions are necessary. Wear personal protective equipment to avoid direct contact with this chemical. Prevent accidental contact with incompatible chemicals. It is good practice to: avoid breathing product; avoid skin and eye contact and wash hands after handling.

Conditions for Safe Storage

Store in an area that is: cool, dry, well-ventilated. Store in a closed container.

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SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
Chemical Name	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
BIOTIN	Not established		Not established			

Appropriate Engineering Controls

The hazard potential of this product is relatively low. General ventilation is usually adequate. Use local exhaust ventilation, if general ventilation is not adequate to control amount in the air. Provide eyewash and safety shower if contact or splash hazard exists.

Individual Protection Measures

Eve/Face Protection

Wear chemical safety goggles and face shield when contact is possible.

Skin Protection

Not required, if used as directed. In case of an emergency (e.g. an uncontrolled release): wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots.

Respiratory Protection

Not normally required if product is used as directed. For non-routine or emergency situations: wear a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance White powder.

Odour Not available

Odour Threshold Not available

pH Not available

Melting Point/Freezing Point 231 - 233 °C (448 - 451 °F) (melting); 231 - 233 °C (448 - 451 °F) (freezing)

Initial Boiling Point/RangeNot availableFlash PointNot availableEvaporation RateNot availableFlammability (solid, gas)Not available

Upper/Lower Flammability or

Explosive Limit

Not available (upper); Not available (lower)

Vapour Pressure

Vapour Density (air = 1)

Relative Density (water = 1)

Not available

Not available

Solubility Not available in water; Not available (in other liquids)

Partition Coefficient, Not available

n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)

Auto-ignition TemperatureNot availableDecomposition TemperatureNot available

Viscosity Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)

Other Information

Physical State Solid Molecular Weight 244.3

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SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available.

Chemical Stability

Normally stable.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to Avoid

Heat. Sunlight. Incompatible materials. Ultraviolet light.

Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents (e.g. perchloric acid).

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide; corrosive sulfur oxides; corrosive, oxidizing nitrogen oxides.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation; skin contact; eye contact.

Acute Toxicity

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)
BIOTIN	Not available	Not available	Not available

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

May cause skin irritation.

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

May cause eye irritation.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Single Exposure

Inhalation

May cause nose and throat irritation.

Ingestion

May be harmful.

Aspiration Hazard

No information was located.

STOT (Specific Target Organ Toxicity) - Repeated Exposure

No information was located.

Respiratory and/or Skin Sensitization

No information was located.

Carcinogenicity

Chemical Name	IARC	ACGIH®	NTP	OSHA
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Reproductive Toxicity

Development of Offspring

No information was located.

Sexual Function and Fertility

No information was located.

Effects on or via Lactation

No information was located.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

No information was located.

Interactive Effects

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No information was located.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This section is not required by WHMIS. This section is not required by OSHA HCS 2012.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Methods

Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not regulated under US DOT Regulations. Not regulated under IATA Regulations.

Special Precautions Not applicable

Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations

Canada

Domestic Substances List (DSL) / Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)

Listed on the DSL.

USA

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Section 8(b)

Listed on the TSCA Inventory.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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References CHEMINFO database. Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS).

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