

# **Erythorbic Acid**

### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product Identifier	Erythorbic Acid
Other Means of Identification	Isoascorbic acid, E315, (D-)Erythroascorbic acid
Product Code(s)	ER6010
Product Family	Organic crystalline powder
Recommended Use	Food additive.
<b>Restrictions on Use</b>	None known.
Supplier Identifier	Alphachem Limited, 2485 Milltower Court, Mississauga, Ontario, L5N 5Z6, (905) 821-2995
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SDS No.	1422

### **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

Classified according to Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (WHMIS 2015) and the US Hazard Communication Standard (HCS 2012).

#### Classification

Skin irritation - Category 2; Eye irritation - Category 2A; Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) - Category 3 Label Elements



Signal Word: Warning

Hazard Statement(s): Causes skin irritation. Causes serious eye irritation. May cause respiratory irritation.

Precautionary Statement(s): Prevention: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Other Hazards

None known.

# SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance:

Chemical Name	CAS No.	%	Other Identifiers	Other Names
ERYTHORBIC ACID	89-65-6	<= 100	Isoascorbic acid, E315, (D-) Erythroascorbic acid	

# SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

#### **First-aid Measures**

#### Inhalation

Move to fresh air. If breathing has stopped, trained personnel should begin rescue breathing. Get immediate medical advice or attention.

#### **Skin Contact**

Immediately wash gently and thoroughly with lukewarm, gently flowing water and mild soap for 15-20 minutes. Immediately call a Poison Centre or doctor.

#### Eye Contact

Immediately rinse the contaminated eye(s) with lukewarm, gently flowing water for 15-20 minutes, while holding the eyelid(s) open. Contact physician immediately.

#### Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Contact a physician.

#### **First-aid Comments**

Provide general supportive measures (comfort, warmth, rest). Treat symptomatically. Symptoms made be delayed.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed

None known.

#### 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

Not combustible. Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, appropriate foam, water spray or fog.

#### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

None known.

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Product**

Does not burn. Heating increases the release of toxic vapour. Closed containers may rupture violently when heated releasing contents.

In a fire, the following hazardous materials may be generated: very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

#### **Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire-fighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full

protective gear.

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

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# **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**

Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any waterway.

#### Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

Avoid generating dust. 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**

Wear personal protective equipment to avoid direct contact with this chemical. Only use where there is adequate ventilation. Avoid generating dusts. Avoid generating vapours or mists. Prevent accidental contact with incompatible chemicals. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use or empty.

#### **Conditions for Safe Storage**

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

### SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters**

	ACGIH TLV®		OSHA PEL		AIHA WEEL	
Chemical Name	TWA	STEL	TWA	Ceiling	8-hr TWA	TWA
ERYTHORBIC ACID	10 mg/m3		15 mg/m3			

Note: Above values are for total inhalable fraction.

#### Appropriate Engineering Controls

Use local exhaust ventilation and enclosure, if necessary, to control amount in the air. Use a corrosion-resistant exhaust ventilation system separate from other ventilation systems. Exhaust directly to the outside, taking any necessary precautions for environmental protection.

#### **Individual Protection Measures**

#### **Eye/Face Protection**

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

#### **Skin Protection**

Wear chemical protective clothing e.g. gloves, aprons, boots.

Suitable materials are: nitrile rubber.

#### **Respiratory Protection**

For non-routine or emergency situations: wear a NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an appropriate cartridge.

## **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

<b>Basic Physical and Cl</b>	hemical Properties
Appearance White crystalline powder.	
Odour	Not available
Odour Threshold	Not available
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Melting Point/Freezing P	oint 169 - 172 °C (336 - 342 °F) (melting); 169 - 172 °C (336 - 342 °F) (freezing)
Initial Boiling Point/Rang	ge Not available
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Flash Point	Not available
Evaporation Rate	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Will not burn.
Upper/Lower Flammability or Explosive Limit	Not available (upper); Not available (lower)
Vapour Pressure	Not available
Vapour Density (air = 1)	Not available
Relative Density (water = 1)	Not available
Solubility	Soluble in water; Not available (in other liquids)
Partition Coefficient, n-Octanol/Water (Log Kow)	Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not available
Decomposition Temperature	Not available
Viscosity	Not available (kinematic); Not available (dynamic)
Other Information	
Physical State	Solid
Molecular Weight	176.12

# **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

# Reactivity No data available. **Chemical Stability** Normally stable. **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions** Data not available. **Conditions to Avoid** High temperatures. Incompatible materials. **Incompatible Materials** Strong oxidizing agents (e.g. perchloric acid), strong acids (e.g. hydrochloric acid), metals (e.g. aluminum). **Hazardous Decomposition Products** Very toxic carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide.

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Likely Routes of Exposure

Inhalation; skin contact; eye contact; ingestion.

#### **Acute Toxicity**

Chemical Name	LC50	LD50 (oral)	LD50 (dermal)	
ERYTHORBIC ACID	Not available	18000 mg/kg (rat)	Not available	
Skin Corrosion/Irritati	ion	· · ·	· · · ·	
Causes skin irritation.				
Serious Eye Damage/	Irritation			
Causes eye irritation.				
STOT (Specific Targe	t Organ Toxicity) - Single Exp	osure		
Inhalation				
May be harmful				
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Causes 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
ERYTHORBIC ACID	Not Listed	Not designated	Not Listed	Not Listed

#### **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

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)

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# **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA Rating	Health - 2 Flammability - 0 Instability - 0
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