# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. Identification

**Product identifier Beta Alanine** 

Other means of identification

Catalog number 1012495 107-95-9 **CAS** number

**Chemical name** 3-aminopropionic acid

Recommended use Specified quality tests and assay use only.

**Recommended restrictions** Not for use as a drug. Not for administration to humans or animals.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

U. S. Pharmacopeia Company name **Address** 12601 Twinbrook Parkway

> Rockville MD 20852-1790

**United States** 

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Canada

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Canada

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified. **Health hazards** Not classified. **Environmental hazards** Not classified. **OSHA** defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements

**Hazard symbol** None. Signal word None.

**Hazard statement** Not available.

**Precautionary statement** 

Prevention Not available. Not available. Response Storage Not available. Not available. **Disposal** Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information None.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

**Substance** 

Chemical name Common name and synonyms **CAS** number % Beta Alanine 107-95-9 100

#### 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Material name: Beta Alanine USP SDS US Skin contact Rinse skin with water/shower. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately. Ingestion

**Most important** 

symptoms/effects, acute and

delaved

None known.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

**General information** 

Treat symptomatically.

Remove from exposure. Remove contaminated clothing. For treatment advice, seek guidance from an occupational health physician or other licensed health-care provider familiar with workplace chemical exposures. In the United States, the national poison control center phone number is 1-800-222-1222. If person is not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen if available. Persons developing serious hypersensitivity (anaphylactic) reactions must receive immediate medical attention.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Water. Foam. Dry chemical or CO2. Use fire-extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding

materials.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

None known.

Specific hazards arising from

the chemical

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters Wear suitable protective equipment.

Fire fighting

equipment/instructions

Use water spray to cool unopened containers. As with all fires, evacuate personnel to a safe area.

Firefighters should use self-contained breathing equipment and protective clothing.

Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Avoid inhalation of dust from the spilled material. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS. Avoid the generation of dusts during clean-up. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

**Environmental precautions** 

Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

As a general rule, when handling USP Reference Standards, avoid all contact and inhalation of dust, mists, and/or vapors associated with the material. Clean equipment and work surfaces with suitable detergent or solvent after use. After removing gloves, wash hands and other exposed skin thoroughly. Select and use containment devices and personal protective equipment based on a risk assessment of material potency and exposure potential.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in tight container as defined in the USP-NF. This material should be handled and stored per label instructions to ensure product integrity.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

**Biological limit values** 

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Appropriate engineering controls

For laboratory operations, use good technique and limit open handling. Control exposures to below the occupational exposure level (if available). Select and use containment devices and personal protective equipment based on a risk assessment of exposure potential. Cover all containers for solutions and slurries while being transferred.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Wear safety glasses with side shields, chemical splash goggles, or full face shield, if necessary. Base the choice of protection on the job activity and potential for contact with eyes or face. An emergency eye wash station should be available.

Material name: Beta Alanine USP SDS US Skin protection

considerations

**Hand protection** Wear nitrile or other impervious gloves if skin contact is possible. When the material is dissolved

or suspended in an organic solvent, wear gloves that provide protection against the solvent.

Other Wear lab coat. Base the choice of skin protection on the job activity, potential for skin contact and

solvents and reagents in use. Do not wear protective garments in common areas (e.g., cafeterias)

or out-of-doors.

**Respiratory protection** Respirators are generally not required for laboratory operations. Chose respiratory protection

appropriate to the task and the level of existing engineering controls.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

**General hygiene** Handling practices in this SDS are recommendations for laboratory use of reference standards.

Procedures for any other uses or quantities should be determined after an appropriate

assessment.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance Appearance descriptions are general information and not specific to any USP lot.

Physical stateSolid.FormPowder.ColorWhite.

Odor Not available.

Odor threshold Not available.

pH Not available.

Melting point/freezing point 395.6 °F (202 °C)

Initial boiling point and boiling Not available.

range

Flash point Not available.

Evaporation rate Not available.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not available.

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

(%)

Not available.

Flammability limit - upper

(%)

Not available.

Explosive limit - lower (%) Not available.

Explosive limit - upper (%) Not available.

Not available.

Vapor pressureNot available.Vapor densityNot available.Relative densityNot available.

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Soluble.

Solubility (other) Acetone: Very slightly soluble.

Diethyl ether: Very slightly soluble.

Methanol: Partially soluble.

Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water)

-3.05

Auto-ignition temperatureNot available.Decomposition temperatureNot available.ViscosityNot available.

Other information

Chemical family Amino acid.

Molecular formula C3H7NO2

Molecular weight 89.09

Specific gravity 1.44

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## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity**The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

**Hazardous decomposition** 

products

NOx. Irritating and/or toxic fumes or gases. Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

## 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

InhalationKnowledge about health hazard is incomplete.Skin contactKnowledge about health hazard is incomplete.

**Eye contact** Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use. **Ingestion** Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

Symptoms related to the

toxicological characteristics

Not available.

physical, chemical, and toxicological

## Information on toxicological effects

### **Acute toxicity**

Product Species Test Results

Beta Alanine (CAS 107-95-9)

Acute Oral

LD50 Rat > 5000 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation**Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. **Serious eye damage/eye**Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

irritation

Local effects

Eye Irritation Result: Negative. Species: Rabbit Skin Irritation Result: Negative. Species: Rabbit

#### Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Respiratory sensitization** Knowledge about health hazard is incomplete.

**Skin sensitization** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Local lymph node assay Result: Negative. Species: Mouse Organ: Skin.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**Knowledge about mutagenicity is incomplete.
Carcinogenicity
Knowledge about carcinogenicity is incomplete.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

Not listed.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

Not listed.

**Reproductive toxicity**Knowledge about health hazard is incomplete. **Specific target organ toxicity -**Knowledge about health hazard is incomplete.

single exposure

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Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Knowledge about health hazard is incomplete.

Aspiration hazard Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the

possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability

No data is available on the degradability of this product.

**Bioaccumulative potential** 

Octanol/water partition coefficient log Kow

-3.05

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations. Under RCRA, it is the responsibility of the

user of the product to determine, at the time of disposal, whether the product meets RCRA criteria

for hazardous waste.

**Local disposal regulations** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Hazardous waste code**The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must

be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

Contaminated packaging Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied.

## 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IATA** 

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

**General information** It is the shipper's responsibility to determine the correct transport classification at the time of

shipment.

Not applicable.

15. Regulatory information

US federal regulations This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard

Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

**CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)** 

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - No

Delayed Hazard - No Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous No

chemical

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## SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

#### Other federal regulations

#### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Safe Drinking Water Act

(SDWA)

Not regulated.

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material **US** state regulations is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

#### International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes

Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory \*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s) A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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Yes