

Safety Data Sheet
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1 Identification· **Product identifier**

- **Trade name: T.S.C Agar Base (500 g)**
 - **Article number:** 3569644
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
 - **Application of the substance / the mixture** Laboratory reagent or component.

· **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**· **Manufacturer/Supplier:**

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· **Information department:** Customer support.· **Emergency telephone number:**

See item 16

This SDS is listed with CHEMTREC 1-800-424-9300 / 1-703-527-3887.

Use only in the event of a CHEMICAL EMERGENCY involving a SPILL, LEAK, FIRE, EXPLOSION or ACCIDENT with this product.

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2 Hazard(s) identification· **Classification of the substance or mixture**

Eye Irrit. 2A H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Label elements**· **GHS label elements**

The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

· **Hazard pictograms** GHS07· **Signal word** Warning· **Hazard statements**

Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Precautionary statements**

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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: Get medical advice/attention.

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

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- **Classification system:**
 - **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**
 - Health = 1
 - Fire = 0
 - Reactivity = 0
 - **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**
 - Health = 1
 - Fire = 0
 - Reactivity = 0
- **Other hazards**
 - **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
 - **PBT:** Not applicable.
 - **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**

- **Description:** Mixture containing components at a non hazardous concentration.

- **Dangerous components:**

7681-57-4	sodium metabisulphite	 Eye Dam. 1, H318  Acute Tox. 4, H302	2.5-10%
1185-57-5	ammonium iron(III) citrate		0.1-2.5%
497-19-8	Sodium Carbonate	 Eye Irrit. 2A, H319	0.1-2.5%

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**

- **General information:** No special measures required.
- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- **After swallowing:** Consult a doctor, if necessary.
- **Information for doctor:**
 - **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**
No further relevant information available.
 - **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**
No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO₂, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
 - **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

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6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
Wear disposable gloves.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:** Pick up mechanically.
- **Reference to other sections** No dangerous substances are released.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
 - **Precautions for safe handling**
Prevent formation of dust.
Avoid all contact with reagents, even those considered to be non-hazardous.
Follow good laboratory practices.
 - **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
 - **Storage:**
 - **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
 - **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
 - **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**

- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

7681-57-4 sodium metabisulphite

 REL 5 mg/m³

 TLV 5 mg/m³

1185-57-5 ammonium iron(III) citrate

 REL 1 mg/m³
as Fe

 TLV 1 mg/m³
as Fe

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

- **Exposure controls**
 - **Personal protective equipment:**
 - **General protective and hygienic measures:**
The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.
 - **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
 - **Protection of hands:**
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

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· **Eye protection:** Not required.

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9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

· **General Information**

· **Appearance:**

- **Form:** Powder
- **Color:** Light beige
- **Odor:** Characteristic

· **Change in condition**

- **Melting point/Melting range:** Undetermined.
- **Boiling point/Boiling range:** Undetermined.

· **Flash point:** Not applicable.

· **Auto igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

· **Density:** Not determined.

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with**

· **Water:** Soluble.

· **Solvent content:**

· **Organic solvents:** 0.0 %

· **Solids content:** 100.0 %

· **Other information** No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

· **Reactivity**

· **Chemical stability**

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**

No decomposition if used according to specifications.

· **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.

· **Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

· **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.

· **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

· **Information on toxicological effects**

· **Acute toxicity:**

· **Primary irritant effect:**

- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** No irritating effect.

· **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

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· **Additional toxicological information:**

The product is not subject to classification according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations:

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects according to our experience and the information provided to us.

· **Carcinogenic categories**

· **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

None of the ingredients is listed.

12 Ecological information

· **Toxicity**

· **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.

· **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.

· **Behavior in environmental systems:**

· **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.

· **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.

· **Additional ecological information:**

· **General notes:**

Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

· **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

· **PBT:** Not applicable.

· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

· **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

· **Waste treatment methods**

· **Recommendation:**

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

· **Uncleaned packagings:**

· **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

· **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

· **UN-Number**

· **DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA**

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· UN proper shipping name · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
· Transport hazard class(es) · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA · Class	Void
· Packing group · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· Environmental hazards: · Marine pollutant:	No
· Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
· Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
· Transport/Additional information:	Not dangerous according to the above specifications.
· UN "Model Regulation":	-

15 Regulatory information

· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
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· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

None of the ingredient is listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

9002-18-0	Agar
8013-01-2	Yeast, ext.
7681-57-4	sodium metabisulphite
1185-57-5	ammonium iron(III) citrate
497-19-8	Sodium Carbonate
50-99-7	glucose

· **Proposition 65**

· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

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· Cancerogenity categories
· EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)

7681-57-4 sodium metabisulphite	A4
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· NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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· Abbreviations and acronyms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)
 ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation
 ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
 IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
 DOT: US Department of Transportation
 IATA: International Air Transport Association
 ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
 EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
 ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
 CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
 NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)
 HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
 Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4
 Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 1
 Eye Irrit. 2A: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2A