

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1. Product identification

Product Description: <u>Arsenic(V) oxide</u>

Cat No.: 366310000; 366310050; 366310250, 366311000

Synonyms Arsenic pentoxide

 CAS-No
 1303-28-2

 EC-No.
 215-116-9

 Molecular Formula
 As2 O5

#### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals. REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV. Article 56 (3) REACH. Scientific

research and development. The substance is used under strictly controlled conditions.

Uses advised against All other uses

## 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Company** Acros Organics BVBA

Janssen Pharmaceuticalaan 3a

2440 Geel, Belgium

**E-mail address** begel.sdsdesk@thermofisher.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

For information **US** call: 001-800-ACROS-01 / **Europe** call: +32 14 57 52 11 Emergency Number **US**:001-201-796-7100 / **Europe**: +32 14 57 52 99 **CHEMTREC** Tel. No.**US**:001-800-424-9300 / **Europe**:001-703-527-3887

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### Physical hazards

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

#### **Health hazards**

Acute oral toxicity

Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists

Category 3

Carcinogenicity

Category 1A

#### **Environmental hazards**

Acute aquatic toxicity
Chronic aquatic toxicity
Category 1
Category 1

#### 2.2. Label elements



Signal Word Danger

#### **Hazard Statements**

H301 - Toxic if swallowed

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

H350 - May cause cancer

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### **Precautionary Statements**

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use

P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention

P273 - Avoid release to the environment

#### Additional EU labelling

Restricted to professional users

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No information available

## **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### 3.1. Substances

Component	CAS-No	EC-No.	Weight %	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
Arsenic pentoxide	1303-28-2	EEC No. 215-116-9	> 99.9	Acute Tox. 3 (H301) Acute Tox. 3 (H331) Carc. 1A (H350) Aquatic Acute 1 (H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410)

Full text of Hazard Statements: see section 16

## **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Eye Contact Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated

clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water. Call a

physician immediately. If possible drink milk afterwards.

**Inhalation** Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If

not breathing, give artificial respiration. Immediate medical attention is required.

Protection of First-aiders Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to

protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No information available.

#### 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically.

#### **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

#### Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

No information available.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible. Do not allow run-off from fire fighting to enter drains or water courses.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

arsenic oxides.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

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

## **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water system. Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional ecological information. Avoid release to the environment. Collect spillage.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Avoid dust formation. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

## 6.4. Reference to other sections

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Do not breathe dust. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep locked-up.

## 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Use in laboratories

## **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

#### **Exposure limits**

List source(s): **UK** - EH40/2005 Containing the workplace exposure limits (WELs) for use with the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 (as amended). Updated by September 2006 official press release and October 2007 Supplement.

Component	European Union	The United Kingdom	France	Belgium	Spain
Arsenic pentoxide		STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min			TWA / VLA-ED: 0.01
,		TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr			mg/m3 (8 horas)
Component	Italy	Germany	Portugal	The Netherlands	Finland
Arsenic pentoxide		Haut	TWA: 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8	STEL: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15	TWA: 0.01 ppm 8
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				TWA: 0.025 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8	
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Component	Austria	Denmark	Switzerland	Poland	Norway
Arsenic pentoxide	TRK-KZW: 0.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>		TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8		TWA: 0.01 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8
	15 Minuten		Stunden		timer
	TRK-TMW: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>			1	
Component	Bulgaria	Croatia	Ireland	Cyprus	Czech Republic
Arsenic pentoxide	TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA-GVI: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8			
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Component	Estonia	Gibraltar	Greece	Hungary	Iceland
Arsenic pentoxide			•	Ceiling: 0.03 mg/m <sup>3</sup> MK	•

Component	Russia	Slovak Republic	Slovenia	Sweden	Turkey
Arsenic pentoxide		TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8	TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 urah		
		hodinách	inhalable fraction		
		STEL: 0.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15	STEL: 0.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15		
		minútach	minutah inhalable		
			fraction		

## **Biological limit values**

List source(s):

Component	European Union	United Kingdom	France	Spain	Germany
Arsenic pentoxide			Metabolites of inorganic		
			Arsenic: 0.05 mg/g		
			creatinine urine end of		
			workweek		

#### **Monitoring methods**

BS EN 14042:2003 Title Identifier: Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents.

MDHS14/3 General methods for sampling and gravimetric analysis of respirable and inhalable dust

MDHS41/2 Arsenic and inorganic compounds of arsenic (except arsine) in air Laboratory method using continuous flow or flow injection analysis hydride generation atomic absorption spectrometry

**Predicted No Effect Concentration** No information available. **(PNEC)** 

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Engineering Measures**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Wherever possible, engineering control measures such as the isolation or enclosure of the process, the introduction of process or equipment changes to minimise release or contact, and the use of properly designed ventilation systems, should be adopted to control hazardous materials at source

#### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Goggles (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

Glove material Natural rubber Nitrile rubber Neoprene PVC	Breakthrough time See manufacturers recommendations	Glove thickness	EU standard EN 374	Glove comments (minimum requirement)
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Skin and body protection Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure

Inspect gloves before use.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the supplier of the gloves. (Refer to manufacturer/supplier for information)

Ensure gloves are suitable for the task: Chemical compatability, Dexterity, Operational conditions, User susceptibility, e.g. sensitisation effects, also take into consideration the specific local conditions under which the product is used, such as the danger of cuts, abrasion.

Remove gloves with care avoiding skin contamination.

**Respiratory Protection** When workers are facing concentrations above the exposure limit they must use

appropriate certified respirators.

To protect the wearer, respiratory protective equipment must be the correct fit and be used

and maintained properly

Large scale/emergency use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 136 approved respirator if exposure limits

are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

Recommended Filter type: Particulates filter conforming to EN 143

Small scale/Laboratory use Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149:2001 approved respirator if exposure

limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

**Recommended half mask:-** Particle filtering: EN149:2001 When RPE is used a face piece Fit Test should be conducted

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Environmental exposure controls** Prevent product from entering drains. Do not allow material to contaminate ground water

system. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

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

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

AppearanceOff-whitePhysical StateSolid

OdorNo information availableOdor ThresholdNo data available

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Solid

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pH No data available

Melting Point/Range 315 °C / 599 °F
Softening Point No data available
Boiling Point/Range No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Explosion Limits No data available

Vapor PressureNo data availableVapor DensityNot applicable

Specific Gravity / Density

Bulk Density

No data available

No data available

Water Solubility Insoluble

Solubility in other solvents No information available

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)

**Autoignition Temperature** 

Decomposition Temperature No data available Viscosity Not applicable

Explosive Properties No information available Oxidizing Properties No information available

9.2. Other information

Molecular FormulaAs 2 O5Molecular Weight229.84

## **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1. Reactivity

None known, based on information available

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions: Moisture sensitive

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Hazardous Reactions No information available.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Excess heat. Incompatible products. Exposure to moist air or water.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents. Strong acids. Strong bases. Halogens. Powdered metals.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

arsenic oxides.

## **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

#### **Product Information**

(a) acute toxicity;

OralCategory 3DermalNo data availableInhalationCategory 3

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Arsenic pentoxide	8 mg/kg (Rat)		

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(b) skin corrosion/irritation; No data available

No data available (c) serious eye damage/irritation;

(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;

Respiratory No data available Skin No data available

No data available (e) germ cell mutagenicity;

Category 1A (f) carcinogenicity;

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

Component	EU	UK	Germany	IARC
Arsenic pentoxide	Carc Cat. 1A		Cat. 1	Group 1

No data available (g) reproductive toxicity;

No data available (h) STOT-single exposure;

No data available (i) STOT-repeated exposure;

No information available. **Target Organs** 

Not applicable (j) aspiration hazard;

Solid

Other Adverse Effects See actual entry in RTECS for complete information

Symptoms / effects, both acute and No information available

delayed

## **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

12.1. Toxicity

**Ecotoxicity effects** Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic

environment. May cause long-term adverse effects in the environment. Do not allow

material to contaminate ground water system.

12.2. Persistence and degradability The product includes heavy metals. Prevent release into the environment. Special

pretreatment required

**Persistence** Insoluble in water, May persist. Degradability Not relevant for inorganic substances.

Degradation in sewage

Contains substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste

water treatment plants. treatment plant

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential Product has a high potential to bioconcentrate

12.4. Mobility in soil Spillage unlikely to penetrate soil Is not likely mobile in the environment due its low water

solubility.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB No data available for assessment.

assessment

12.6. Other adverse effects **Endocrine Disruptor Information** This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

**Persistent Organic Pollutant** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

**Ozone Depletion Potential** This product does not contain any known or suspected substance

#### **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from Residues / Unused

**Products** 

Should not be released into the environment. Waste is classified as hazardous. Dispose of in accordance with the European Directives on waste and hazardous waste. Dispose of in

accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated Packaging Dispose of this container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

European Waste Catalogue (EWC) According to the European Waste Catalogue, Waste Codes are not product specific, but

application specific.

Other Information Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on

the application for which the product was used. Do not empty into drains. Do not let this

chemical enter the environment.

## **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

#### IMDG/IMO

**14.1. UN number** UN1559

14.2. UN proper shipping name ARSENIC PENTOXIDE

14.3. Transport hazard class(es) 6.1 14.4. Packing group II

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**14.5. Environmental hazards** Dangerous for the environment

Product is a marine pollutant according to the criteria set by IMDG/IMO

14.6. Special precautions for user No special precautions required

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Not applicable, packaged goods Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the

IBC Code

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

**International Inventories** X = listedComponent EINECS ELINCS NLP **TSCA** DSL **NDSL PICCS ENCS IECSC AICS KECL** Arsenic pentoxide 215-116-9 Χ Χ

Component		REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous Substances	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
Arsenic pentoxide	Carcinogenic Category 1A, Article 57	Use restricted. See item 28.	SVHC Candidate list -

Application date: November 21, 2013	(see	(Carcinogenic, Article 57a)
Sunset date: May 21, 2015	http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/L	
Exemption - None	exUriServ.do?uri=CELEX:32006R190	
·	7:EN:NOT for restriction details)	

Component	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements
Arsenic pentoxide	1 tonne	2 tonne

#### **National Regulations**

Component	Germany - Water Classification (VwVwS)	Germany - TA-Luft Class
Arsenic pentoxide	WGK 3	

Component	France - INRS (Tables of occupational diseases)
Arsenic pentoxide	Tableaux des maladies professionnelles (TMP) - RG 20,RG 20bis

Take note of Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH) 2002 and 2005 Amendment.

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment/Report (CSA/CSR) has not been conducted

## **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Full Text of H-/EUH-Statements Referred to Under Section 3

H301 - Toxic if swallowed

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

H350 - May cause cancer

H400 - Very toxic to aquatic life

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

#### Legend

**CAS** - Chemical Abstracts Service

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

IECSC - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

WEL - Workplace Exposure Limit

**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

**DNEL** - Derived No Effect Level

RPE - Respiratory Protective Equipment

LC50 - Lethal Concentration 50%

NOEC - No Observed Effect Concentration

PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative, Toxic

ADR - European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

IMO/IMDG - International Maritime Organization/International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code

**OECD** - Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

**BCF** - Bioconcentration factor

Key literature references and sources for data

Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

**Training Advice** 

Chemical hazard awareness training, incorporating labelling, Safety Data Sheets (SDS), Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and hvaiene.

Use of personal protective equipment, covering appropriate selection, compatibility, breakthrough thresholds, care, maintenance, fit

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b)

Inventory

Substances List

**ENCS** - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

TWA - Time Weighted Average

IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer

PNEC - Predicted No Effect Concentration

LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%

EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%

POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water

vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air **Transport Association** 

MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from

ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate

VOC - Volatile Organic Compounds

Take note of Dir 76/769/EEC relating to restrictions on the marketing and use of certain dangerous substances and preparations Take note of Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work

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and standards.

First aid for chemical exposure, including the use of eye wash and safety showers.

Chemical incident response training.

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## This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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