

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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1. Identification

Product Name L-Tryptophan

Cat No.: BP395-100

Synonyms alpha`-Amino-3-indolepropionic acid; Alanine, 3-indol-3-yl-; Tryptophan, L-

Recommended Use Laboratory chemicals.

**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

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

#### Company

Fisher Scientific Company One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 Tel: (201) 796-7100

Emergency Telephone Number CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300

CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Classification under 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

#### Label Elements

None required

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

None identified

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component CAS No Weight %
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L-Tryptophan	73-22-3	100

### 4. First-aid measures

Eye Contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get

medical attention.

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention

immediately if symptoms occur.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if

symptoms occur.

Not applicable

Most important symptoms and

effects

None reasonably foreseeable.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO2), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point Not applicable

Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available

Sensitivity to Static Discharge No information available

#### **Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

#### **Hazardous Combustion Products**

Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO2).

#### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

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

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HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards10N/A

#### Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust

formation.

**Environmental Precautions** Should not be released into the environment. See Section 12 for additional Ecological

Information.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation. **Up** 

## 7. Handling and storage

**Handling** Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation.

Storage. Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Incompatible

Materials. Strong oxidizing agents.

# 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

Exposure Guidelines This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure

limitsestablished by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures** None under normal use conditions.

**Personal Protective Equipment** 

**Eve/face Protection** Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by

OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard

EN166.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical StatePowder SolidAppearanceOff-whiteOdorOdorless

Odor Threshold No information available

**pH** 5.5 - 7.0

**Melting Point/Range** 280 - 285 °C / 536 - 545 °F

Boiling Point/Range No information available

Flash Point Not applicable Evaporation Rate Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

UpperNo data availableLowerNo data availableVapor PressureNo information available

Vapor Density Not applicable

Specific Gravity No information available

SolubilitySoluble in waterPartition coefficient; n-octanol/waterNo data availableAutoignition TemperatureNot applicable

Decomposition Temperature No information available

ViscosityNot applicableMolecular FormulaC11 H12 N2 O2

Molecular Weight 204.23

# 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactive Hazard None known, based on information available

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

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**Conditions to Avoid** Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat.

Strong oxidizing agents **Incompatible Materials** 

Hazardous Decomposition Products Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO2)

**Hazardous Polymerization** No information available.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

## Toxicological information

**Acute Toxicity** 

**Product Information** No acute toxicity information is available for this product

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
L-Tryptophan	LD50 > 16 g/kg (Rat)	Not listed	LC50 > 5.75 mg/L (Rat) 4 h

**Toxicologically Synergistic** 

**Products** 

No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

No information available Irritation

Sensitization No information available

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

	Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
ı	L-Tryptophan	73-22-3	Not listed				

**Mutagenic Effects** No information available

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

**Developmental Effects** No information available.

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

STOT - single exposure None known STOT - repeated exposure None known

No information available **Aspiration hazard** 

Symptoms / effects, both acute and No information available

delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

**Other Adverse Effects** The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

# 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Do not empty into drains. .

Persistence and Degradability Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

**Mobility** Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

### 13. Disposal considerations

Waste Disposal Methods Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a

hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.

# 14. Transport information

DOTNot regulatedTDGNot regulatedIATANot regulatedIMDG/IMONot regulated

# 15. Regulatory information

#### **United States of America Inventory**

Component	CAS No TSCA		TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags	
L-Tryptophan	73-22-3	X	ACTIVE	-	

#### Legend:

TSCA US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

TSCA 12(b) - Notices of Export Not applicable

### **International Inventories**

Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), China (IECSC), Korea (KECL).

Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
L-Tryptophan	73-22-3	Х	-	200-795-6	X	X	X	Х	X	KE-01428

KECL - NIER number or KE number (http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do)

#### U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313 Not applicable

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and

Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

California Proposition 65This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Not applicable

#### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N
DOT Marine Pollutant N
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

U.S. Department of Homeland

**Security** 

This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

Other International Regulations

Mexico - Grade No information available

Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH

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

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
L-Tryptophan	L-Tryptophan 73-22-3		Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
L-Tryptophan	73-22-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

# 16. Other information

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replacing the current legislation under 29 CFR 1910.1200 to align with the Globally

Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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