



**n-LAUROYLSARCOSINE  
SODIUM SALT  
CAS No 137-16-6**

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET  
SDS/MSDS**

**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking**

**1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : n-Lauroylsarcosine Sodium Salt

CAS-No. : 137-16-6

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Industrial & for professional use only.

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

Emergency Phone # : +91 11 49404040 (9:00am - 6:00 pm) [Office hours]

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 2), H330

Skin irritation (Category 2), H315

Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**2.2 Label elements**

**Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Pictogram



Signal word

Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H315

Causes skin irritation.

H318

Causes serious eye damage.

H330

Fatal if inhaled.

Precautionary statement(s)	
P260	Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.
P284	Wear respiratory protection.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
Supplemental Hazard Statements	none

### 2.3 Other hazards - none

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms : Sarkosyl NL  
N-Dodecanoyl-N-methylglycine sodium salt

Formula :  $C_{15}H_{28}NNaO_3$   
Molecular weight : 293.38 g/mol  
CAS-No. : 137-16-6  
EC-No. : 205-281-5

#### Hazardous ingredients according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Component	Classification	Concentration
<b>Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate</b>		
CAS-No. 137-16-6	Acute Tox. 2; Skin Irrit. 2; Eye	<= 100 %
EC-No. 205-281-5	Dam. 1; H330, H315, H318	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

#### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

#### If swallowed

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

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

Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Sodium oxides

## **5.3 Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

## **5.4 Further information**

No data available

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

### **6.2 Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

### **6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Ensure all equipment is electrically grounded before beginning transfer operations. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see section 2.2.

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

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Storage class (TRGS 510): Combustible solids, toxic

### **7.3 Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

### **8.1 Control parameters**

### **8.2 Exposure controls**

#### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### **Personal protective equipment**

##### **Eye/face protection**

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

##### **Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

**Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Control of environmental exposure**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

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| a) Appearance                                   | Form: powder<br>Colour: white                       |
| b) Odour  | No data available                                   |
| c) Odour Threshold                              | No data available                                   |
| d) pH   | 7.0 - 9 at 293 g/l at 25 °C                         |
| e) Melting point/freezing point                 | Melting point/freezing point: 146.1 °C at 1,013 hPa |
| f) Initial boiling point and boiling range      | 350 - 410 °C at 1,013 hPa                           |
| g) Flash point                                  | 267 °C - closed cup                                 |
| h) Evaporation rate                             | No data available                                   |
| i) Flammability (solid, gas)                    | No data available                                   |
| j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No data available                                   |
| k) Vapour pressure                              | 0.02 mbar at 20 °C                                  |
| l) Vapour density                               | No data available                                   |
| m) Relative density                             | 1.141 g/cm <sup>3</sup> at 20 °C                    |
| n) Water solubility                             | 293 g/l at 20 °C - completely soluble               |
| o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water       | No data available                                   |
| p) Auto-ignition temperature                    | No data available                                   |
| q) Decomposition temperature                    | No data available                                   |
| r) Viscosity                                    | No data available                                   |
| s) Explosive properties                         | No data available                                   |
| t) Oxidizing properties                         | No data available                                   |

**9.2 Other safety information**

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| Bulk density    | 400 kg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| Surface tension | 40.5 mN/m at 20 °C    |

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **10.1 Reactivity**

No data available

### **10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

### **10.4 Conditions to avoid**

No data available

### **10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents

### **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>), Sodium oxides

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

#### **Acute toxicity**

LD<sub>50</sub> Oral - Rat - male and female - > 5,000 mg/kg(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)  
(OECD Test Guideline 401)

LC<sub>50</sub> Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - 0.05 - 0.5 mg/l(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

#### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - Rabbit(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

Result: Irritating to skin.

#### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

Result: Risk of serious damage to eyes.

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

#### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

Maximisation Test - Guinea pig(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

Result: Does not cause skin sensitisation.

#### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

Chromosome aberration test in vitro(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

Human lymphocytes

Result: negative

#### **Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

**Aspiration hazard**

No data available(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

**Additional Information**

Repeated dose toxicity - Rat - male and female - Oral - No observed adverse effect level - 30 mg/kg(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

RTECS: Not available

Cough, wheezing, respiratory difficulties, Diarrhoea, To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1 Toxicity**

Toxicity to fish	semi-static test EC50 - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 107 mg/l - 96 h(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate) (OECD Test Guideline 203)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	Immobilization LC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 29.7 mg/l - 48 h(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate) (OECD Test Guideline 202)
Toxicity to algae	static test EC50 - Desmodesmus subspicatus (green algae) - 79 mg/l - 72 h(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate) (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Toxicity to bacteria	Respiration inhibition NOEC - Sludge Treatment - 100 mg/l - 3 h(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate) (OECD Test Guideline 209)

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

Biodegradability	aerobic - Exposure time 28 d(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate) Result: 82 % - Readily biodegradable
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**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available(Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

**12.6 Other adverse effects**

No data available

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chem scrubber.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### 14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 2811

IMDG: 2811

IATA: 2811

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

IMDG: TOXIC SOLID, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

IATA: Toxic solid, organic, n.o.s. (Sodium N-lauroylsarcosinate)

### 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 6.1

IMDG: 6.1

IATA: 6.1

### 14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: II

IMDG: II

IATA: II

### 14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

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

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

H315

Causes skin irritation.

H318

Causes serious eye damage.

H330

Fatal if inhaled.

### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Central Drug House (P) Ltd and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.cdhfinechemical.com](http://www.cdhfinechemical.com) for additional terms and conditions of sale.