

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



## Gentamicin / Betamethasone Ointment Formulation



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### Section 1: Identification

Product name : Gentamicin / Betamethasone Ointment Formulation

#### Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company : Organon & Co.

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E-mail address : EHSSTEWARD@organon.com

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Pharmaceutical

Restrictions on use : Not applicable

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### Section 2: Hazard identification

#### GHS Classification

Reproductive toxicity : Category 1

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure : Category 1 (Pituitary gland, Immune system, muscle, thymus gland, Blood, Adrenal gland)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment - chronic hazard : Category 1

#### GHS label elements

Hazard pictograms :



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : H360D May damage the unborn child.  
H372 Causes damage to organs (Pituitary gland, Immune system, muscle, thymus gland, Blood, Adrenal gland) through prolonged or repeated exposure.  
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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Precautionary statements :

**Prevention:**  
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.  
P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
P273 Avoid release to the environment.  
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

**Response:**  
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P391 Collect spillage.

**Storage:**  
P405 Store locked up.

**Disposal:**  
P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

### Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

#### Components

Chemical name	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Petrolatum	8009-03-8	94.8
Paraffin oil	8012-95-1	5
Gentamicin	1403-66-3	0.1
betamethasone	378-44-9	0.064

### Section 4: First-aid measures

General advice : In the case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately.  
When symptoms persist or in all cases of doubt seek medical advice.

If inhaled : If inhaled, remove to fresh air.  
Get medical attention.

In case of skin contact : In case of contact, immediately flush skin with soap and plenty of water.  
Remove contaminated clothing and shoes.  
Get medical attention.  
Wash clothing before reuse.  
Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse.

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In case of eye contact	:	Flush eyes with water as a precaution. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
If swallowed	:	If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	:	May damage the unborn child. Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
Protection of first-aiders	:	First Aid responders should pay attention to self-protection, and use the recommended personal protective equipment when the potential for exposure exists (see section 8).
Notes to physician	:	Treat symptomatically and supportively.

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## Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	:	Water spray Alcohol-resistant foam Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ) Dry chemical
Unsuitable extinguishing media	:	None known.
Specific hazards during fire-fighting	:	Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health.
Hazardous combustion products	:	Carbon oxides
Specific extinguishing methods	:	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Use water spray to cool unopened containers. Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do so. Evacuate area.
Special protective equipment for firefighters	:	In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Use personal protective equipment.
Hazchem Code	:	2Z

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## Section 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures	:	Use personal protective equipment. Follow safe handling advice (see section 7) and personal protective equipment recommendations (see section 8).
Environmental precautions	:	Avoid release to the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.
Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up	:	Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal. Local or national regulations may apply to releases and dis-

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posal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to determine which regulations are applicable. Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding certain local or national requirements.

## Section 7: Handling and storage

- Technical measures : See Engineering measures under EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION section.
- Local/Total ventilation : If sufficient ventilation is unavailable, use with local exhaust ventilation.
- Advice on safe handling : Do not get on skin or clothing.  
Do not breathe dust, fume, gas, mist, vapours or spray.  
Do not swallow.  
Avoid contact with eyes.  
Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice, based on the results of the workplace exposure assessment  
Keep container tightly closed.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Take care to prevent spills, waste and minimize release to the environment.
- Hygiene measures : If exposure to chemical is likely during typical use, provide eye flushing systems and safety showers close to the working place.  
When using do not eat, drink or smoke.  
Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.  
The effective operation of a facility should include review of engineering controls, proper personal protective equipment, appropriate degowning and decontamination procedures, industrial hygiene monitoring, medical surveillance and the use of administrative controls.
- Conditions for safe storage : Keep in properly labelled containers.  
Store locked up.  
Keep tightly closed.  
Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.
- Materials to avoid : Do not store with the following product types:  
Strong oxidizing agents

## Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Petrolatum	8009-03-8	WES-TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NZ OEL

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		(Mist)		
		WES-STEL (Mist)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NZ OEL
		TWA (Inhalable particulate matter)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH
Paraffin oil	8012-95-1	WES-TWA (Mist)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NZ OEL
		WES-STEL (Mist)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	NZ OEL
		TWA (Inhalable particulate matter)	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	ACGIH
Gentamicin	1403-66-3	TWA	0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (OEB 2)	Internal
Further information: OTO				
betamethasone	378-44-9	TWA	1 µg/m <sup>3</sup> (OEB 4)	Internal
Further information: Skin				
		Wipe limit	10 µg/100 cm <sup>2</sup>	Internal

**Engineering measures** : Containment technologies suitable for controlling compounds are required to control at source and to prevent migration of the compound to uncontrolled areas (e.g., vacuum conveying from a closed system, packout head with inflatable seal from stationary container, ventilated enclosure, etc.). All engineering controls should be implemented by facility design and operated in accordance with GMP principles to protect products, workers, and the environment. Essentially no open handling permitted. Use closed processing systems or containment technologies.

### Personal protective equipment

**Respiratory protection** : If adequate local exhaust ventilation is not available or exposure assessment demonstrates exposures outside the recommended guidelines, use respiratory protection.

**Filter type** : Combined particulates and organic vapour type

**Hand protection**

**Material** : Chemical-resistant gloves

**Remarks** : Consider double gloving.

**Eye protection** : Wear safety glasses with side shields or goggles. If the work environment or activity involves dusty conditions, mists or aerosols, wear the appropriate goggles. Wear a faceshield or other full face protection if there is a potential for direct contact to the face with dusts, mists, or aerosols.

**Skin and body protection** : Work uniform or laboratory coat. Additional body garments should be used based upon the task being performed (e.g., sleevelets, apron, gauntlets, dis-

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posable suits) to avoid exposed skin surfaces.  
Use appropriate degowning techniques to remove potentially contaminated clothing.

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## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

Appearance	:	ointment
Colour	:	No data available
Odour	:	No data available
Odour Threshold	:	No data available
pH	:	No data available
Melting point/freezing point	:	No data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range	:	No data available
Flash point	:	No data available
Evaporation rate	:	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	:	Not classified as a flammability hazard
Flammability (liquids)	:	No data available
Upper explosion limit / Upper flammability limit	:	No data available
Lower explosion limit / Lower flammability limit	:	No data available
Vapour pressure	:	No data available
Relative vapour density	:	No data available
Relative density	:	No data available
Density	:	No data available
Solubility(ies)		
Water solubility	:	No data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	:	No data available
Auto-ignition temperature	:	No data available
Decomposition temperature	:	No data available

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Viscosity  
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Molecular weight : No data available

Particle size : No data available

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**Section 10: Stability and reactivity**

Reactivity : Not classified as a reactivity hazard.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions : Can react with strong oxidizing agents.

Conditions to avoid : None known.

Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products : No hazardous decomposition products are known.

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**Section 11: Toxicological information**

Exposure routes : Skin contact  
Ingestion  
Eye contact

**Acute toxicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Petrolatum:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401  
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 2,000 mg/kg  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 402  
Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal toxicity  
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

**Paraffin oil:**

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg

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Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): > 2,000 mg/kg  
Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal toxicity

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Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): 8,000 - 10,000 mg/kg

LD50 (Mouse): 10,000 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 0.2 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h  
Test atmosphere: dust/mist  
Remarks: No mortality observed at this dose.

Acute toxicity (other routes of administration) : LD50 (Rat): 67 - 96 mg/kg  
Application Route: Intravenous  
  
LD50 (Rat): 371 - 384 mg/kg  
Application Route: Intramuscular  
  
LDLo (Monkey): 30 mg/kg  
Application Route: Intravenous

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Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 5,000 mg/kg  
  
LD50 (Mouse): > 4,500 mg/kg

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): 0.4 mg/l  
Exposure time: 4 h

### Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

### Components:

#### Petrolatum:

Species : Rabbit  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 404  
Result : No skin irritation  
Remarks : Based on data from similar materials

#### Paraffin oil:

Species : Rabbit  
Result : No skin irritation

#### Gentamicin:

Species : Rabbit



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Result : Mild skin irritation

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Species : Rabbit  
Result : Mild skin irritation

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Petrolatum:**

Species : Rabbit  
Result : No eye irritation  
Method : OECD Test Guideline 405  
Remarks : Based on data from similar materials

**Paraffin oil:**

Species : Rabbit  
Result : No eye irritation

**Gentamicin:**

Species : Rabbit  
Result : Mild eye irritation

**betamethasone:**

Species : Rabbit  
Result : No eye irritation

**Respiratory or skin sensitisation****Skin sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Respiratory sensitisation**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Petrolatum:**

Test Type : Buehler Test  
Exposure routes : Skin contact  
Species : Guinea pig  
Result : negative  
Remarks : Based on data from similar materials

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**Gentamicin:**

Remarks : No data available

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Exposure routes : Dermal  
 Species : Guinea pig  
 Result : Weak sensitizer

**Chronic toxicity****Germ cell mutagenicity**

Not classified based on available information.

**Components:****Petrolatum:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro  
 Result: negative  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo cytogenetic assay)  
 Species: Mouse  
 Application Route: Intraperitoneal injection  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 474  
 Result: negative  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

**Gentamicin:**

Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test  
 Result: negative

Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro  
 Result: equivocal

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo cytogenetic assay)  
 Species: Mouse  
 Application Route: Intravenous injection  
 Result: negative

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Genotoxicity in vitro : Test Type: Bacterial reverse mutation assay (AMES)  
 Result: negative

Test Type: In vitro mammalian cell gene mutation test  
 Result: negative

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Test Type: Chromosome aberration test in vitro  
Result: positive

Genotoxicity in vivo : Test Type: Mammalian erythrocyte micronucleus test (in vivo cytogenetic assay)  
Species: Mouse  
Application Route: Oral  
Result: equivocal

Germ cell mutagenicity - Assessment : Weight of evidence does not support classification as a germ cell mutagen.

### Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

### Components:

#### **Petrolatum:**

Species : Rat  
Application Route : Ingestion  
Exposure time : 2 Years  
Result : negative

#### **Gentamicin:**

Carcinogenicity - Assessment : No data available

### **Reproductive toxicity**

May damage the unborn child.

### Components:

#### **Petrolatum:**

Effects on fertility : Test Type: Reproduction/Developmental toxicity screening test  
Species: Rat  
Application Route: Ingestion  
Result: negative  
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Effects on foetal development : Test Type: Embryo-foetal development  
Species: Rat  
Application Route: Skin contact  
Result: negative  
Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

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Effects on fertility : Test Type: Two-generation reproduction toxicity study  
Species: Rat  
Fertility: NOAEL: 20 mg/kg body weight

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Result: No significant adverse effects were reported

Effects on foetal development : Test Type: Embryo-foetal development  
Species: Rabbit  
Developmental Toxicity: NOAEL: 3.6 mg/kg body weight  
Result: No embryo-foetal toxicity

Test Type: Embryo-foetal development  
Species: Rat  
Application Route: Intraperitoneal  
Developmental Toxicity: LOAEL: 75 mg/kg body weight  
Result: Embryo-foetal toxicity

Test Type: Embryo-foetal development  
Species: Mouse  
Application Route: Intraperitoneal  
Developmental Toxicity: LOAEL: 10 mg/kg body weight  
Result: foetal mortality, No malformations were observed.

Test Type: Embryo-foetal development  
Species: Rat  
Application Route: Intraperitoneal  
Developmental Toxicity: LOAEL: 50 mg/kg body weight  
Result: foetal mortality, No malformations were observed.

Reproductive toxicity - Assessment : Positive evidence of adverse effects on development from human epidemiological studies.

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Effects on foetal development : Species: Rabbit  
Application Route: Intramuscular  
Developmental Toxicity: LOAEL: 0.05 mg/kg body weight  
Result: Fetotoxicity, Malformations were observed.

Species: Rat  
Application Route: Subcutaneous  
Developmental Toxicity: LOAEL: 0.42 mg/kg body weight  
Result: Malformations were observed.

Species: Mouse  
Application Route: Intramuscular  
Developmental Toxicity: LOAEL: 1 mg/kg body weight  
Result: Malformations were observed.

Reproductive toxicity - Assessment : Clear evidence of adverse effects on development, based on animal experiments.

### STOT - single exposure

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## STOT - repeated exposure

Causes damage to organs (Pituitary gland, Immune system, muscle, thymus gland, Blood, Adrenal gland) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

### Components:

#### Gentamicin:

Target Organs : Kidney, inner ear  
 Assessment : Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### betamethasone:

Target Organs : Pituitary gland, Immune system, muscle, thymus gland, Blood, Adrenal gland  
 Assessment : Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

## Repeated dose toxicity

### Components:

#### Petrolatum:

Species : Rat  
 NOAEL : 5,000 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Ingestion  
 Exposure time : 2 yr

#### Paraffin oil:

Species : Rat, female  
 LOAEL : 161 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Ingestion  
 Exposure time : 90 Days

#### Gentamicin:

Species : Dog  
 LOAEL : 3 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Intramuscular  
 Exposure time : 12 Months  
 Target Organs : Kidney  
 Symptoms : Vomiting, Salivation

Species : Monkey  
 LOAEL : 50 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Subcutaneous  
 Exposure time : 3 Weeks  
 Target Organs : Kidney, inner ear

Species : Monkey  
 LOAEL : 6 mg/kg

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Application Route : Intramuscular  
 Exposure time : 3 Weeks  
 Target Organs : Blood, Kidney, inner ear, Liver

Species : Rat  
 NOAEL : 5 mg/kg  
 LOAEL : 10 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Intramuscular  
 Exposure time : 52 Weeks  
 Target Organs : Kidney, Blood

Species : Rat  
 NOAEL : 12.5 mg/kg  
 LOAEL : 50 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Intramuscular  
 Exposure time : 13 Weeks  
 Target Organs : Kidney

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Species : Rabbit  
 LOAEL : 0.05 %  
 Application Route : Skin contact  
 Exposure time : 10 - 30 d  
 Target Organs : Pituitary gland, Immune system, muscle

Species : Rat  
 LOAEL : 0.05 %  
 Application Route : Skin contact  
 Exposure time : 8 Weeks  
 Target Organs : thymus gland

Species : Mouse  
 LOAEL : 0.1 %  
 Application Route : Skin contact  
 Exposure time : 8 Weeks  
 Target Organs : thymus gland

Species : Dog  
 LOAEL : 0.05 mg/kg  
 Application Route : Oral  
 Exposure time : 28 d  
 Target Organs : Blood, thymus gland, Adrenal gland

### Aspiration toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

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**Components:****Paraffin oil:**

The substance or mixture is known to cause human aspiration toxicity hazards or has to be regarded as if it causes a human aspiration toxicity hazard.

**Experience with human exposure****Components:****Gentamicin:**

Ingestion : Target Organs: Kidney  
 Target Organs: inner ear  
 Symptoms: Dizziness, Vertigo, hearing loss, tinnitus, fetal deafness

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Inhalation : Target Organs: Adrenal gland  
 Skin contact : Symptoms: Redness, pruritis, Irritation

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**Section 12: Ecological information****Ecotoxicity****Components:****Petrolatum:**

Toxicity to fish : LL50 (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): > 100 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 96 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 203  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): > 10,000 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 48 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : NOEL (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): >= 100 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) : NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 10 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 21 d  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

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**Paraffin oil:**

Toxicity to fish : LL50 (Scophthalmus maximus (turbot)): > 100 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 96 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EL50 (Acartia tonsa (Calanoid copepod)): > 100 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 48 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : EL50 (Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom)): > 100 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

NOELR (Skeletonema costatum (marine diatom)): > 1 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Test substance: Water Accommodated Fraction  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 86 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 48 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 202

LC50 (Americamysis): 30 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 96 h  
 Method: US-EPA OPPTS 850.1035

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 10 µg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 1.5 µg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

EC50 (Anabaena flos-aquae (cyanobacterium)): 4.7 µg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

NOEC (Anabaena flos-aquae (cyanobacterium)): 1.6 µg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201

M-Factor (Acute aquatic toxicity) : 100  
 M-Factor (Chronic aquatic toxicity) : 1



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Toxicity to microorganisms : EC50: 288.7 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 3 h  
 Test Type: Respiration inhibition  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 209

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Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates : EC50 (Americamysis): > 50 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 96 h

Toxicity to algae/aquatic plants : EC50 (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): > 34 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201  
 Remarks: No toxicity at the limit of solubility

NOEC (Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae)): 34 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 72 h  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 201  
 Remarks: No toxicity at the limit of solubility

Toxicity to fish (Chronic toxicity) : NOEC (Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow)): 0.052 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 32 d  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 210

NOEC (Oryzias latipes (Japanese medaka)): 0.07 µg/l  
 Exposure time: 219 d  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 229

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates (Chronic toxicity) : NOEC (Daphnia magna (Water flea)): 8 mg/l  
 Exposure time: 21 d  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 211

M-Factor (Chronic aquatic toxicity) : 1,000

**Persistence and degradability****Components:****Petrolatum:**

Biodegradability : Result: Not readily biodegradable.  
 Biodegradation: 31 %  
 Exposure time: 28 d  
 Method: OECD Test Guideline 301F  
 Remarks: Based on data from similar materials

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Biodegradability : Result: rapidly degradable

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Biodegradation: 100 %  
Exposure time: 28 d  
Method: OECD Test Guideline 314

**Bioaccumulative potential****Components:****Paraffin oil:**

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: > 4  
Remarks: Calculation

**Gentamicin:**

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: < -2

**betamethasone:**

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : log Pow: 2.11

**Mobility in soil**

No data available

**Other adverse effects**

No data available

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**Section 13: Disposal considerations****Disposal methods**

Waste from residues : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.  
Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.  
Contaminated packaging : Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal.  
If not otherwise specified: Dispose of as unused product.

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**Section 14: Transport information****International Regulations****UNRTDG**

UN number : UN 3077  
Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.  
(betamethasone, Gentamicin)  
Class : 9  
Packing group : III  
Labels : 9  
Environmentally hazardous : yes

**IATA-DGR**

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UN/ID No. : UN 3077  
 Proper shipping name : Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s. (betamethasone, Gentamicin)  
 Class : 9  
 Packing group : III  
 Labels : Miscellaneous  
 Packing instruction (cargo aircraft) : 956  
 Packing instruction (passenger aircraft) : 956  
 Environmentally hazardous : yes

### IMDG-Code

UN number : UN 3077  
 Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (betamethasone, Gentamicin)  
 Class : 9  
 Packing group : III  
 Labels : 9  
 EmS Code : F-A, S-F  
 Marine pollutant : yes

### Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

### National Regulations

#### NZS 5433

UN number : UN 3077  
 Proper shipping name : ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (betamethasone, Gentamicin)  
 Class : 9  
 Packing group : III  
 Labels : 9  
 Hazchem Code : 2Z  
 Marine pollutant : no

### Special precautions for user

The transport classification(s) provided herein are for informational purposes only, and solely based upon the properties of the unpackaged material as it is described within this Safety Data Sheet. Transportation classifications may vary by mode of transportation, package sizes, and variations in regional or country regulations.

## Section 15: Regulatory information

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

#### HSNO Approval Number

HSR100425 Pharmaceutical Active Ingredients Group Standard

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## HSW Controls

Certified handler certificate not required.  
 Tracking hazardous substance not required.  
 Refer to the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017, for further information.

## The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:

AICS	:	not determined
DSL	:	not determined
IECSC	:	not determined

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## Section 16: Other information

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### Further information

Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet : Internal technical data, data from raw material SDSs, OECD eChem Portal search results and European Chemicals Agency, <http://echa.europa.eu/>

Date format : dd.mm.yyyy

### Full text of other abbreviations

ACGIH	:	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
NZ OEL	:	New Zealand. Workplace Exposure Standards for Atmospheric Contaminants
ACGIH / TWA	:	8-hour, time-weighted average
NZ OEL / WES-TWA	:	Workplace Exposure Standard - Time Weighted average
NZ OEL / WES-STEL	:	Workplace Exposure Standard - Short-Term Exposure Limit

AIIC - Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals; ANTT - National Agency for Transport by Land of Brazil; ASTM - American Society for the Testing of Materials; bw - Body weight; CMR - Carcinogen, Mutagen or Reproductive Toxicant; DIN - Standard of the German Institute for Standardisation; DSL - Domestic Substances List (Canada); ECx - Concentration associated with x% response; ELx - Loading rate associated with x% response; EmS - Emergency Schedule; ENCS - Existing and New Chemical Substances (Japan); ErCx - Concentration associated with x% growth rate response; ERG - Emergency Response Guide; GHS - Globally Harmonized System; GLP - Good Laboratory Practice; IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer; IATA - International Air Transport Association; IBC - International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk; IC50 - Half maximal inhibitory concentration; ICAO - International Civil Aviation Organization; IECSC - Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China; IMDG - International Maritime Dangerous Goods; IMO - International Maritime Organization; ISHL - Industrial Safety and Health Law (Japan); ISO - International Organisation for Standardization; KECI - Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory; LC50 - Lethal Concentration to 50 % of a test population; LD50 - Lethal Dose to 50% of a test population (Median Lethal Dose); MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships; n.o.s. - Not Otherwise Specified; Nch - Chilean Norm; NO(A)EC - No Observed (Adverse) Effect

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Concentration; NO(A)EL - No Observed (Adverse) Effect Level; NOELR - No Observable Effect Loading Rate; NOM - Official Mexican Norm; NTP - National Toxicology Program; NZIoC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals; OECD - Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development; OPPTS - Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention; PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic substance; PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances; (Q)SAR - (Quantitative) Structure Activity Relationship; REACH - Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals; SADT - Self-Accelerating Decomposition Temperature; SDS - Safety Data Sheet; TCSI - Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory; TDG - Transportation of Dangerous Goods; TECI - Thailand Existing Chemicals Inventory; TSCA - Toxic Substances Control Act (United States); UN - United Nations; UNRTDG - United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods; vPvB - Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative; WHMIS - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System

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