

## ENGLISH

### 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

#### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: Biggy (Nickerson) Agar  
Product Number: 610135-620135

#### 1.2 Identified uses of the relevant substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses relevant: Professional uses, Health services, scientific research and development

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

Manufacturer/Supplier: Liofilchem®  
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#### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

+39 02-66101029 (Centro Antiveneni Niguarda Cà Granda - Milano).

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

#### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

This product does not meet the criteria for classification in any hazard class in accordance to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008. concerning the classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures.

#### 2.2 Label elements

The product does not need to be labeled in accordance with EC directives or respective national laws.

#### 2.3 Other hazards - none

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### 3.2 Mixtures

##### Hazardous substances

CAS n°	EC n°	Index n°	Registration number REACH	Concentration	Classification according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
<b>Ammonium Chloride</b>					
12125-02-9	235-186-4	017-014-00-8	-	5.3 %	Acute Tox. 4; Eye Irrit. 2; H302, H319

#### Additional Information:

For the full text of H codes and R phrases mentioned in this section, see section 16

### 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. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact:** Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

**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

no data available

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

no data available

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING 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.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided

### 6.3 Metodi e materiali per il contenimento e per la bonifica

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 information on safe handling, see Chapter 7.

For information on personal protection equipment see Chapter 8.

For disposal information see Chapter 13.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Do not eat, drink or smoke in work areas, wash hands after use; and remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering areas where you eat.

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

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Recommended storage temperature, see the product label.

### 7.3 Specific end uses

Apart from the uses described in section 1.2 are not covered other specific uses.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit value.

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Exposure controls

Handle in accordance with good hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Personal protective equipment

Eyes/Face Protection: It is advisable wear safety goggles

Skin protection: Handle with gloves

Body Protection: Use protective clothes in accordance with laboratory good practices.

Respiratory protection: It is advisable wear dust mask.

#### Environmental exposure control

For information relating to environmental precautions, see chapter 6.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### Appearance

Form Powder  
Color Light Beige

#### Odour

No data available

#### Odour Threshold

No data available

#### pH

6.8 ± 0.2 at 47 g/l at 25 °C

#### 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)

No data available

#### Upper / lower flammability or explosive limits

No data available

#### Vapour pressure

No data available

#### Vapour density

No data available

#### Relative density

No data available

#### Water solubility

No data available

#### Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

No data available

#### Autoignition temperature

No data available

#### Decomposition temperature

No data available

#### Viscosity

No data available

**Explosive properties**  
**Oxidizing properties**  
**9.2 Other safety information**  
no data available

No data available  
No data available

## 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

Exposure to direct solar light.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidising agents.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No decomposition when used for the intended uses.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity:** Ammonium Chloride effects are: LD50 Oral – Rat - 1.650 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** no data available

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation:** Ammonium Chloride effects are: Eyes – Rabbit. Result: Eye irritation

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** no data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** no data available

**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

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure:** no data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure:** no data available

**Aspiration hazard:** no data available

**Additional information:** RTECS: no data available

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

no data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture contains no substances evaluated PBT or vPvB

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

no data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Not be disposed of with household waste. Do not discharge into sewers.

The product must be specially treated adhering to official regulations administrative. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product.

**14. INFORMAZIONI SUL TRASPORTO****14.1 UN number**

ADR/RID: -                      IMDG: -                      IATA: -

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods

IMDG: Not dangerous goods

IATA: Not dangerous goods

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

ADR/RID: -                      IMDG: -                      IATA: -

**14.4 Packaging group**

ADR/RID: -                      IMDG: -                      IATA: -

**14.5 Environmental hazards**

ADR/RID: no                      IMDG: no                      IATA: no

**14.6 Special precautions for user**

no data available

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

no data available

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of European Parliament and of the Council Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) and Commission Regulation (EU) No. 453/2010 amending Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

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

The product is classified, coded and labeled in accordance with EU Regulation on Hazardous Materials.

**15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**

This product has not been made a chemical safety assessment.

**16. OTHER INFORMATION****Text of H code(s) and R-phrases mentioned in Section 3**

Acute Tox. 4 Acute Toxicity (Category 4)

Eye Irrit. 2 Eye irritation (Category 2)

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

**Abbreviations and acronyms**

ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

CLP: Regulation concerning the classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

CL50: Middle lethal concentration of individuals in essay

DL50: The median lethal dose that causes death in 50% of individuals in essay

PBT: Persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic substance

REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorization and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

RID: Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail

vPvB: Very persistent and very bioaccumulative substance

**Training advice**

The product must be used by qualified personnel. It is recommended to provide basic training with regard to safety and health at work to ensure proper handling of the product.

**Further information**

The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge. The user must ensure the accuracy and completeness of such information in relation to the specific use intended.

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