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# **N-Acetyl-L-cysteine**

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

产品说明:	N-乙酰-L-半胱氨酸, 98+%
Product Description:	N-Acetyl-L-cysteine
Cat No. :	A15409
Synonyms	Mercapturic acid; L-alpha-Acetamido-beta-mercaptopropionic acid
CAS No	616-91-1
Molecular Formula	C5 H9 N O3 S
Supplier	Alfa Aesar Avocado Research Chemicals, Ltd. Shore Road Port of Heysham Industrial Park Heysham, Lancashire LA3 2XY United Kingdom Office Tel: +44 (0) 1524 850506 Office Fax: +44 (0) 1524 850608
Emergency Telephone Number	Call Carechem 24 at +44 (0) 1865 407333 (English only); +44 (0) 1235 239670 (Multi-language)
E-mail address	uktech@alfa.com www.alfa.com Product Safety Department
Recommended Use	Laboratory chemicals.
Uses advised against	No Information available

## **SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION**

Physical State	Appearance	Odor
Solid	White	Strong

**Emergency Overview** 

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration are considered to be hazardous to health.

## Classification of the substance or mixture

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

### Label Elements

None required

## **Physical and Chemical Hazards**

None identified.

## **Health Hazards**

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration are considered to be hazardous to health.

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### Environmental hazards

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants. Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility. The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems.

## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS No	Weight %
L-Cysteine, N-acetyl-	616-91-1	98

## **SECTION 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 if symptoms occur.

#### Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

#### Ingestion

Do NOT induce vomiting. Get medical attention.

#### Most important symptoms and effects

No information available.

## Self-Protection of the First Aider

No special precautions required.

#### Notes to Physician

Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

#### Suitable Extinguishing Media

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

# Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons

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.

#### **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.

## **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

#### Personal Precautions

Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

#### **Environmental Precautions**

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Avoid release to the environment.

### Methods for Containment and Clean Up

Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Avoid dust formation.

Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 8 and 13.

## **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### Handling

Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

#### Storage

Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

#### Specific Use(s)

Use in laboratories

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters**

#### 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

#### Exposure Controls

#### **Engineering Measures**

None under normal use conditions. .

#### Personal protective equipment

**Eye Protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles) (European standard - EN 166)

Hand Protection Protective gloves

	Breakthrough time	Glove thickness	EU standard	Glove comments
	See manufacturers recommendations	-	EN 374	(minimum requirement)
Natural rubber				
PVC				

#### 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.

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

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	are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced Recommended Filter type: Particle filter
Small scale/Laboratory use	Maintain adequate ventilation
Hygiene Measures	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.
Environmental exposure controls	No information available.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance Physical State	White Solid	
Odor Odor Threshold pH Melting Point/Range Softening Point Boiling Point/Range Flash Point Evaporation Rate Flammability (solid,gas) Explosion Limits	Strong No data available No information available 109 - 111 °C / 228.2 - 231.8 °F No data available No information available No information available No information available No information available No data available	<b>Method -</b> No information available Solid
Vapor Pressure Vapor Density Specific Gravity / Density Bulk Density Water Solubility Solubility in other solvents Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/wat	No data available Not applicable No data available No data available Soluble No information available er)	Solid
Component L-Cysteine, N-acetyl- Autoignition Temperature Decomposition Temperature Viscosity Explosive Properties Oxidizing Properties	log Pow -0.6 No data available No data available Not applicable No information available No information available	Solid
Molecular Formula Molecular Weight	C5 H9 N O3 S 163.19	

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability	Stable under normal conditions.			
Hazardous Reactions Hazardous Polymerization	No information available. Hazardous polymerization does not occur.			
Conditions to Avoid	Avoid dust formation. Incompatible products. Excess heat.			
Materials to avoid	Strong oxidizing agents. oxygen. Metals. Butyl rubber.			

Hazardous Decomposition Products Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Sulfur oxides.

# SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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## N-Acetyl-L-cysteine

**Product Information** 

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

(a) acute toxicity;					
Component L-Cysteine, N-acetyl-	LD50 Oral LD50 = 5050 mg/kg (Rat)	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation		
b) skin corrosion/irritation;	No data available				
c) serious eye damage/irritation;	No data available				
d) respiratory or skin sensitization; Respiratory Skin	No data available No data available				
e) germ cell mutagenicity;	No data available				
f) carcinogenicity;	No data available				
	There are no known carcinoge	nic chemicals in this produ	ict		
g) reproductive toxicity;	No data available				
h) STOT-single exposure;	No data available				
i) STOT-repeated exposure;	No data available				
Target Organs	No information available.				
j) aspiration hazard;	Not applicable Solid				
Other Adverse Effects	The toxicological properties ha	ve not been fully investiga	ted.		
Symptoms  / effects,both acute and lelayed	No information available				
	SECTION 12. ECOLOGIC	AL INFORMATION			
Ecotoxicity effects	Do not empty into drains				
Persistence and Degradability Persistence	Soluble in water, Persistence is	s unlikely, based on inform	ation available.		
Bioaccumulative Potential	Bioaccumulation is unlikely				
Component	log Pow	Bi	oconcentration factor (BCF)		
L-Cysteine, N-acetyl-	-0.6		No data available		

Mobility in soil

The product is water soluble, and may spread in water systems Will likely be mobile in the

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environment due to its water solubility Highly mobile in soils

Endocrine Disruptor Information Persistent Organic Pollutant Ozone Depletion Potential	This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors This product does not contain any known or suspected substance This product does not contain any known or suspected substance			
	SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS			
Waste from Residues/Unused Products	Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.			
Contaminated Packaging	Empty remaining contents. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Do not re-use empty containers.			
Other Information	Waste codes should be assigned by the user based on the application for which the produc was used.			
	SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION			
Road and Rail Transport	Not Regulated			
IMDG/IMO	Not regulated			
IATA	Not regulated			
Special Precautions for User	No special precautions required			

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### International Inventories

X = listed, China (IECSC), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ENCS), Japan (ISHL), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL).

	The Inventory of Hazardous Chemicals (2015 Edition)	0	TCSI	IECSC	EINECS	TSCA	DSL	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	KECL
L-Cysteine, N-acetyl-	-	-	X	Х	210-498-3	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	-	KE-00114

## **National Regulations**

# SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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## **Training Advice**

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

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CAS - Chemical Abstracts Service	<b>TSCA</b> - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances	DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List
<b>PICCS</b> - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances <b>IECSC</b> - Chinese Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	<b>ENCS</b> - Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances <b>AICS</b> - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances
<b>KECL</b> - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances	NZIOC - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals
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	<ul> <li>TWA - Time Weighted Average</li> <li>IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer</li> <li>Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)</li> <li>LD50 - Lethal Dose 50%</li> <li>EC50 - Effective Concentration 50%</li> <li>POW - Partition coefficient Octanol:Water</li> <li>vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative</li> </ul>
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	ICAO/IATA - International Civil Aviation Organization/International Air Transport Association MARPOL - International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships ATE - Acute Toxicity Estimate VOC (volatile organic compound)

## Key literature references and sources for data

https://echa.europa.eu/information-on-chemicals Suppliers safety data sheet, Chemadvisor - LOLI, Merck index, RTECS

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