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

**Product Name** Polymyxin B Sulfate  
**Product Code(s)** 0319  
**Recommended Use** For Further Manufacturing Use Only  
Not for Human or Animal Drug Use  
**Recommended Use** Antibiotic for cell culture for the elimination of non-target bacteria by interfering with cytoplasmic membrane.

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS - Classification**

**Classification** Skin Irritant 2 Eye Irritant 2  
**Signal Word** Warning



**Hazard Statements** H315 - Causes skin irritation H319 - Causes serious eye irritation H335 - May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary Statements** P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
P302+ P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water P304 + P340 - IF  
INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for  
breathing P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for  
several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue  
rinsing P312 - Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor/physician if you feel unwell P403 +  
P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	EC No.	REACH Reg. No.	CAS-No	Weight %	Classification
Polymyxin b, sulfate (salt)	EEC No. 215-774-7	Not available	1405-20-5	95-100	-

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician

**Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water removing all contaminated clothes and shoes

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, give oxygen

**Ingestion** Clean mouth with water and afterwards drink plenty of water

**Notes to Physician** Treat symptomatically

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Flammable Properties** Not flammable

**Flash Point** Not determined

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub>, water spray or alcohol-resistant foam.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** Carbon oxides

**Explosion Data**

<b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b>	Not sensitive
<b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>	Not sensitive

**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

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions** Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation

**Methods for Containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so

**Methods for Cleaning Up** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers

**7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Storage** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from light.

**8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION**

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Polymyxin b, sulfate (salt) 1405-20-5			

**Engineering Measures** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/Face Protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields. Avoid contact with eyes.

**Skin and Body Protection**

Wear protective gloves/clothing.

**Respiratory Protection**

If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Appearance</b>	White to off-white	
<b>Odor</b>	No information available	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available	
<b>Decomposition Temperature °C</b>	No information available	
<b>Freezing Point</b>	No information available	
<b>Initial Boiling Point</b>	No information available	
<b>Physical State</b>	Powder	
<b>pH</b>	5.0-7.5	
<b>Flash Point</b>	Not determined	
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No data available	
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	No data available	
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No data available	
<b>Flammability Limits in Air g/cubic foot</b>	<b>Upper</b> No data available <b>Upper</b> 10	<b>Lower</b> No data available <b>Lower</b> 9
<b>Explosive Properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Oxidizing Properties</b>	No information available	
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	No data available	
<b>MMHG @ 37.8 C</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor Density</b>	No data available	
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	No data available	
<b>Solubility</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	No data available	
<b>Viscosity</b>	No information available	

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

<b>Stability</b>	Stable under recommended storage conditions
<b>Incompatible Products</b>	None known based on information supplied
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Protect from light and moisture.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Carbon oxides. Nitrogen oxides (NOx). Sulfur oxides.
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Acute Toxicity

**Product Information** Causes skin, eye and respiratory tract irritation.

### Chronic Toxicity

**Chronic Toxicity** No known effect based on information supplied

**Target Organ Effects** None known.

**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity**

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated

**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**Waste Disposal Method** Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations.

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations

**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

**IATA** Not regulated

**DOT** Not regulated

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**REACH Title VII Restrictions** No information available.

Chemical Name	Dangerous Substances	Organic Solvents	Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on the Label	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class II):	Pollution Release and Transfer Registry (Class I):	Poison and Deleterious Substances Control Law:
Polymyxin b, sulfate (salt)	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

Component	ISHA - Harmful Substances Prohibited for Manufacturing, Importing, Transferring, or Supplying	ISHA - Harmful Substances Requiring Permission	Toxic Chemical Classification Listing (TCCL) - Toxic Chemicals	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) - Group I	Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) - Group II
Polymyxin b, sulfate (salt) 1405-20-5 ( 95-100 )	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

**International Inventories**

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TSCA	Does not Comply
EINECS/ELINCS	Complies
ENCS	Does not Comply
IECSC	Complies
KECL	Complies
PICCS	Complies
AICS	Complies

### U.S. Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product contains a chemical or chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

#### **SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

#### **Clean Water Act**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

#### **Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous air pollutants (HAPS) under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990

#### **CERCLA**

### U.S. State Regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

### International Regulations

**Mexico - Grade** No information available.

#### **Canada**

#### **WHMIS Hazard Class**

D2B Toxic materials



## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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**Revision Note**  
No information available.

**Recommended Restrictions** No information available

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