

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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Section 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name	Agar (Powder)
Product code	016-11875,012-11872
CAS No	9002-18-0

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Recommended uses and restrictions on use For research purposes

Section 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification

Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Pictograms

Signal word none

Hazard statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

Precautionary statements-(Prevention)

- Not applicable

Precautionary statements-(Response)

- Not applicable

Precautionary statements-(Storage)

- Not applicable

Precautionary statements-(Disposal)

- Not applicable

Others

Other hazards Not available

Section 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Single Substance or Mixture Substance

Chemical Name	Weight-%	Molecular weight	ENCS	ISHL No.	CAS No.
Agar	=<100	N/A	N/A	N/A	9002-18-0

Impurities and/or Additives : Not applicable

Section 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation

Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Skin contact

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye contact

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediate medical attention is required.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice.

Protection of first-aiders

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Section 5: FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray (fog), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Foam, Extinguishing powder, Sand

Unsuitable extinguishing media

No information available

Special extinguishing method

No information available

Specific hazards arising from the chemical product

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

Protection of fire-fighters

Use personal protective equipment as required. Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Section 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For indoor, provide adequate ventilation process until the end of working. Deny unnecessary entry other than the people involved by, for example, using a rope. While working, wear appropriate protective equipments to avoid adhering it on skin, or inhaling the gas. Work from windward, and retract the people downwind.

Environmental precautions

To be careful not discharged to the environment without being properly handled waste water contaminated.

Methods and materials for contaminant and methods and materials for cleaning up

Sweep up and gather scattered particles, and collect it in an empty airtight container.

Recovery, neutralization

No information available

Secondary disaster prevention measures

Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

Section 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling

Technical measures

Avoid contact with strong oxidizing agents. Use with local exhaust ventilation.

Precautions

Do not rough handling containers, such as upsetting, falling, giving a shock, and dragging. Prevent leakage, overflow, and scattering. Not to generate steam and dust in vain. Seal the container after use. After handling, wash hands and face, and then

gargle. In places other than those specified, should not be smoking or eating and drinking. Should not be brought contaminated protective equipment and gloves to rest stops. Deny unnecessary entry of non-emergency personnel to the handling area.

Safety handling precautions

Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required.

Storage**Safe storage conditions****Storage conditions**

Store away from sunlight in well-ventilated place at room temperature (preferably cool).
Keep container tightly closed.

Safe packaging material

Polypropylene

Incompatible substances

Strong oxidizing agents

Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Engineering controls

In case of indoor workplace, seal the source or use a local exhaust system. Provide the safety shower facility, and hand- and eye-wash facility. And display their position clearly.

Exposure limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Personal protective equipment**Respiratory protection**

Dust mask

Hand protection

Protection gloves

Eye protection

protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles

Skin and body protection

Long-sleeved work clothes

General hygiene considerations

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Section 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Form**Color**

White - pale yellowish brown

Appearance

powder

Odor

No data available

pH

No data available

Melting point/freezing point

No data available

Boiling point, 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**Upper :**

No data available

Lower :

No data available

Vapour pressure

No data available

Vapour density

No data available

Specific Gravity / Relative density

No data available

Solubilities

Cold water : insoluble . Hot water : freely soluble .

n-Octanol/water partition coefficient:(log Pow)

No data available

Auto-ignition temperature:

No data available

Decomposition temperature:

No data available

Viscosity (coefficient of viscosity)

No data available

Dynamic viscosity

No data available

Section 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability

Stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.
Reactivity No data available

Hazardous reactions

None under normal processing

Conditions to avoid

Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight

Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Section 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Agar	11 g/kg (Rat)	N/A	N/A

Skin irritation/corrosion

No data available

Serious eye damage/ irritation

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

Reproductive cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

No data available

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

STOT-single exposure

No data available

STOT-repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Section 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No information available

Other data

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available

Mobility in soil

No information available

Hazard to the ozone layer

No information available

Section 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste from residues

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated container and contaminated packaging

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Section 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR/RID

Not regulated

UN number	-
Proper shipping name:	
UN classification	
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	
Marine pollutant	Not applicable
IMDG	Not regulated
UN number	-
Proper shipping name:	
UN classification	
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	
Marine pollutant (Sea)	Not applicable
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code	No information available
IATA	Not regulated
UN number	-
Proper shipping name:	
UN classification	
Subsidiary hazard class	
Packing group	
Environmentally Hazardous Substance	Not applicable

Section 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

EINECS/ELINCS	Listed
TSCA	Listed

Japanese regulations

Fire Service Act	Not applicable
Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law	Not applicable
Industrial Safety and Health Act	Not applicable
Regulations for the carriage and storage of dangerous goods in ship	Not applicable
Civil Aeronautics Law	Not applicable
Pollutant Release and Transfer Register Law	Not applicable
Export Trade Control Order	Not applicable

Section 16: OTHER INFORMATION

Key literature references and sources for data etc.

NITE: National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (JAPAN)
<http://www.safe.nite.go.jp/japan/db.html>
 IATA dangerous Goods Regulations
 RTECS:Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances
 Japan Industrial Safety and Health Association GHS Model SDS
 Dictionary of Synthetic Organic Chemistry, SSOCJ, Koudansha Scientific Co.Ltd.
 Chemical Dictionary, Kyouritsu Publishing Co., Ltd.
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