# SAFETY DATA SHEET SPECTRUM®



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## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product Name GUAIFENESIN, USP

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) GU102

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use No information available

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Address** 

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

## Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral Category 4

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

#### Label elements

Warning

#### Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed



**Appearance** Crystalline or Crystalline powder or powder

Physical state Solid

Odor No information available

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

## **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell Rinse mouth

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

#### Other information

No information available.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substance

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade secret
Guaifenesin	93-14-1	100	*

<sup>\*</sup>The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

## 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air.

Eye contact Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids.

Consult a physician.

**Skin contact** Wash skin with soap and water.

**Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician.

## Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** No information available.

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

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

surrounding environment.

Large Fire CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

No information available.

Hazardous combustion products Carbon dioxide (CO2).

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact none.

Sensitivity to static discharge none.

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout

gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**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

Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach

of children.

# 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or

level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other

recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure

limits from the sources listed here.

**Appropriate engineering controls** 

**Engineering controls** Showers

> Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection No special protective equipment required.

Skin and body protection No special protective equipment required.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

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

# 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical state** 

Crystalline or Crystalline powder or powder **Appearance** 

Color White to Off-White or Grayish White

Odor No information available No information available **Odor threshold** 

**Property** Remarks • Method Values

pН no data available None known 78 - 82 °C / 172.4 - 179.6 °F Melting point / freezing point None known Boiling point / boiling range no data available None known Flash point 176 °C / 348.8 °F CC (closed cup) None known **Evaporation rate** no data available Flammability (solid, gas) None known no data available Flammability Limit in Air None known

No data available

Upper flammability or explosive

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressure No data available None known Vapor density no data available None known Relative density 1.2 None known Water solubility Soluble in water None known Soluble in Alcohol Solubility(ies) None known

Soluble in Chloroform Soluble in Glycerol

soluble in dimethylformamide Soluble in Propylene glycol Slightly soluble in Benzene

Partition coefficient No data available None known 550 °C / 1022 °F None known **Autoignition temperature** 

**Decomposition temperature** None known Kinematic viscosity no data available None known Dynamic viscosity No data available None known

Other information

No information available **Explosive properties** No information available **Oxidizing properties** Softening point No information available Molecular weight No information available **VOC Content (%)** No information available **Liquid Density** No information available **Bulk density** No information available

# 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid**None known based on information supplied.

**Incompatible materials** Acids. Oxidizing agent.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Eye contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Ingestion Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Harmful if swallowed. (based

on components).

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** No information available.

**Acute toxicity** 

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Guaifenesin	= 1510 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
93-14-1			

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation
Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Respiratory or skin sensitization
Germ cell mutagenicity

No information available.
No information available.
No information available.

Reproductive toxicity No information available.

STOT - single exposure
STOT - repeated exposure
Aspiration hazard

No information available.
No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

Interactive effects No information available.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Persistence and degradability

**Bioaccumulation** 

No information available. Inherently biodegradable.

Other adverse effects No information available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

# 14. Transport information

**DOT** not regulated

TDG not regulated

MEX not regulated

ICAO (air) not regulated

**IATA** not regulated

**IMDG** not regulated

RID not regulated

ADR not regulated

ADN not regulated

# 15. Regulatory information

#### **International Inventories**

TSCA Complies

DSL/NDSL Complies EINECS/ELINCS Complies

ENCS This product complies with ENCS:

IECSC This product does not comply with china:

KECL Complies PICCS Complies

All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical

Substances (AICS).

#### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

## **US Federal Regulations**

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any 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

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

#### **CWA (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).

## **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

#### **US State Regulations**

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### **U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

This product does not contain any substances regulated under applicable state right-to-know regulations

#### U.S. EPA Label Information

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not applicable

## 16. Other information

#### NFPA

Health hazards 0 Flammability 1

Instability 0

Physical and chemical properties -

HMIS

Health hazards 0 Flammability 1 Physical hazards 0 Personal protection X

#### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

#### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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