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1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Chloramphenicol
- **Article number:** 190321
- **CAS Number:**
56-75-7
- **EC number:**
200-287-4
- **Molecular Formula** C11 H12 Cl2 N2 O5
- **Molecular Weight** 323.13
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** For Research Use Only
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
MP Biomedicals, LLC
29525 Fountain Parkway
Solon, OH 44139
United States
www.mpbio.com
- **Information department:** Quality Control Department
- **Emergency telephone number:** CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (1-703-527-3887)

2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS08 Health hazard

Carc. 1B H350 May cause cancer.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



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- **Signal word** Danger
- **Hazard-determining components of labeling:**
chloramphenicol
- **Hazard statements**
May cause cancer.
- **Precautionary statements**
Obtain special instructions before use.
Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.
Store locked up.
Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

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- **Classification system:**

- **NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**



- **HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**

HEALTH	1	Health = *1
FIRE	0	Fire = 0
REACTIVITY	0	Reactivity = 0

- **Other hazards**

- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

- **PBT:** Not applicable.

- **vPvB:** Not applicable.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Substances**

- **CAS No. Description**

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- **EC number:** 200-287-4

4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**

- **After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

- **After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

- **After eye contact:** Flush eyes with running water as a precaution.

- **After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

- **Information for doctor**

- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.

- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**

- **Suitable extinguishing agents:** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.

- **Advice for firefighters**

- **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

For personal protection see section 8.

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- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Pick up mechanically, dispose contaminated material as waste according to Section 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for disposal information.
- **Protective Action Criteria for Chemicals**

· PAC-1:

1.5 mg/m³

· PAC-2:

10 mg/m³

· PAC-3:

500 mg/m³

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. Avoid direct contact with skin and eyes.
Open and handle receptacle with care.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:** 15-30°C
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see Section 7.
- **Control parameters**

· **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

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WEEL Long-term value: 0.5 mg/m³

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Store protective clothing separately.

- **Breathing equipment:**
In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

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· **Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

· **Material of gloves**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

· **Penetration time of glove material**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

· **Eye protection:**

Tightly sealed goggles

9 Physical and chemical properties

· **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**· **General Information**· **Appearance:**

Form:	Powder
Color:	Off White
Odor:	Indeterminate
Odor threshold:	Not determined.

· **pH-value:** Not applicable.· **Change in condition**

Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.
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· **Flash point:** Not applicable.· **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Product is not flammable.· **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.· **Auto igniting:** Not determined.· **Danger of explosion:** See section 10· **Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not Applicable
Upper:	Not Applicable

· **Vapor pressure:** Not applicable.· **Density:** Not Applicable· **Relative density** Not determined.· **Vapor density** Not applicable.· **Evaporation rate** Not applicable.

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| · Solubility in / Miscibility with Water: | Not Determined
Not determined.
Insoluble. |
| · Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): | Not determined. |
| · Viscosity: | |
| Dynamic: | Not applicable. |
| Kinematic: | Not applicable. |
| VOC content: | 0.00 % |
| · Solids content: | 100.0 % |
| · Other information | No further relevant information available. |

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Conditions to avoid**
No further relevant information available.
Avoid contact with acids. Contact liberates a toxic gas.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

ATE (Acute Toxicity Estimate)

Oral LD50 2,500 mg/kg (rat)

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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** No irritant effect.
- **on the eye:** Irritant and potentially harmful
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

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- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

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· **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**
Can not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Discard must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

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| · UN-Number | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| · UN proper shipping name | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| · Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · DOT, ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA | |
| · Class | Not regulated |
| · Packing group | |
| · DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA | Not regulated |
| · Environmental hazards: | |
| · Marine pollutant: | No |
| · Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |

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· UN "Model Regulation":	Not regulated
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15 Regulatory information

- Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
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- Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):

Substance is not listed.

- Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

Substance is not listed.

- TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):

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- Hazardous Air Pollutants

Substance is not listed.

- Proposition 65

- Chemicals known to cause cancer:

Substance is not listed.

- Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

Substance is not listed.

- Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

Substance is not listed.

- Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

Substance is not listed.

- Carcinogenic categories

- EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Substance is not listed.

- TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)

Substance is not listed.

- NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

Substance is not listed.

- GHS label elements The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

- Hazard pictograms



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- Signal word Danger

- Hazard-determining components of labeling:

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- Hazard statements

May cause cancer.

- Precautionary statements

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· **National regulations:**

· **Additional classification according to Decree on Hazardous Materials:**

Carcinogenic hazardous material group I (extremely dangerous).

Carcinogenic hazardous material group II (very dangerous).

Carcinogenic hazardous material group III (dangerous).

· **Information about limitation of use:**

Workers are not allowed to be exposed to this hazardous material. Exceptions can be made by the authorities in certain cases.

· **Chemical safety assessment:** *A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.*

16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

· **Department issuing SDS:** *Quality Control Dept.*

· **Date of preparation / last revision** 07/29/2019 / -

· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Carc. 1B: Carcinogenicity – Category 1B