

Safety data sheet

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1 Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Clostridium difficile Toxin A
- **Article number:** BML-G140
- **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory chemicals
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**
Enzo Life Sciences, Inc.
10 Executive Boulevard
Farmingdale, NY 11735
U.S.A.
msds@enzolifesciences.com
- **Further information obtainable from:** Customer service
- **Emergency telephone number:** During normal opening times: +1 610-941-0430

2 Hazards identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS06 skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

Acute Tox. 2 H330 Fatal if inhaled.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

- **Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC:**



T; Toxic

R23/24/25: Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

- **Information concerning particular hazards for human and environment:**

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

- **Classification system:**

The classification is according to the latest editions of the EU-lists, and extended by company and literature data.

- **Label elements**

- **Labelling according to EU guidelines:**

The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials.

- **Code letter and hazard designation of product:**



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- **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**
C. difficile toxin A
- **Risk phrases:**
23/24/25 Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
- **Safety phrases:**
 - 4 Keep away from living quarters.
 - 9 Keep container in a well-ventilated place.
 - 20 When using do not eat or drink.
 - 36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
 - 45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).
 - 60 This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
- **Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.



3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization: Mixtures**
- **Description:** Lyophilized white solid containing 0.05M HEPES, 0.15M NaCl and 5% Sucrose

- **Dangerous components:**

C. difficile toxin A

30,0%

 T R23/24/25 Acute Tox. 3, H301; Acute Tox. 3, H311; Acute Tox. 2, H330

- **Additional information:** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

4 First aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:**
Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.
Remove breathing equipment only after contaminated clothing have been completely removed.
In case of irregular breathing or respiratory arrest provide artificial respiration.
- **After inhalation:**
Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.
In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.
- **After skin contact:**
Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
Remove contaminated clothing.
- **After eye contact:**
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting; call for medical help immediately.
- **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 Firefighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**
CO2, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

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- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture** No further relevant information available.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:**
 - Mouth respiratory protective device.
 - Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.
 - Do not inhale explosion gases or combustion gases.
 - Wear fully protective suit.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:**
 - Avoid formation of dust.
 - Wear protective clothing.
- **Environmental precautions:** No special measures required.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
 - Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 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.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling:**
 - Thorough dedusting.
 - Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
 - Open and handle receptacle with care.
- **Information about fire - and explosion protection:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:**
 - Store tightly sealed in a cool, dry and well ventilated location (see label for storage temperature and additional specific information).
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:**
 - Keep away from heat, sources of ignition and incompatibles such as oxidizing agents.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
 - Keep container tightly sealed.
 - Store under lock and key and with access restricted to technical experts or their assistants only.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**
 - The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **Personal protective equipment:**
- **General protective and hygienic measures:**
 - Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

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Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing
Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.
Store protective clothing separately.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

• **Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

• **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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

• **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:	Lyophilized
Colour:	White
Odour:	Characteristic
Odour threshold:	Not determined.

• **pH-value:** Not applicable.

• **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Undetermined.

• **Flash point:** Not applicable.

• **Flammability (solid, gaseous):** Not determined.

• **Ignition temperature:**

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

• **Self-igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

• **Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

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· Explosion limits:	
Lower:	Not determined.
Upper:	Not determined.
· Vapour pressure:	Not applicable.
· Density:	Not determined.
· Relative density	Not determined.
· Vapour density	Not applicable.
· Evaporation rate	Not applicable.
· Solubility in / Miscibility with water:	Soluble.
· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):	Not determined.
· Viscosity:	
Dynamic:	Not applicable.
Kinematic:	Not applicable.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0,0 %
Solids content:	100,0 %
· Other information	No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

- **Reactivity**
- **Chemical stability:** Stable. Avoid strong oxidizing agents.
- **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.
- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Not determined
- **on the eye:** Not determined
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
Toxic
Toxic in the bloodstream.

12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **Persistence and degradability:** No further relevant information available.

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- **Behaviour in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential:** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil:** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:** Generally not hazardous for water
- **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:**
After prior treatment product has to be disposed of in an incinerator for hazardous waste adhering to the regulations pertaining to the disposal of particularly hazardous waste.
Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packaging:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agents:** Water, if necessary together with cleansing agents.

14 Transport information

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| · UN-Number | UN3462 |
| · ADR, IMDG, IATA | |
| · UN proper shipping name | 3462 TOXINS, EXTRACTED FROM LIVING SOURCES, SOLID, N.O.S. (C. difficile toxin A) |
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| · IMDG, IATA | |
| · Transport hazard class(es) | |
| · ADR, IMDG, IATA | |
|  | |
| · Class | 6.1 Toxic substances. |
| · Label | 6.1 |
| · Packing group | |
| · ADR, IMDG, IATA | I |
| · Environmental hazards: | |
| · Marine pollutant: | No |
| · Special precautions for user: | Warning: Toxic substances. |
| · Danger code (Kemler): | 66 |
| · EMS Number: | F-A,S-A |
| · Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code: | Not applicable. |

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· **Transport/Additional information:**

- **ADR**
- **Limited quantities (LQ)** 0
- **Transport category** 1
- **Tunnel restriction code** C/E

- **UN "Model Regulation":** UN3462, TOXINS, EXTRACTED FROM LIVING SOURCES, SOLID, N.O.S. (C. difficile toxin A), 6.1, I

15 Regulatory information

- **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. For research use only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

· **Relevant phrases**

- H301 Toxic if swallowed.
- H311 Toxic in contact with skin.
- H330 Fatal if inhaled.

R23/24/25 Toxic by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

- **Department issuing MSDS:** Customer service

- **Contact:** tel. +1 610-941-0430

· **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
 IATA: International Air Transport Association
 GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

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