



SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to the (US) Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

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Version 1.0

SECTION 1. Identification

Product identifier

Product number	IX0005
Product name	Imidazole GR ACS
CAS-No.	288-32-4

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses	Reagent for analysis
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Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2. Hazards identification

GHS Classification

Acute toxicity, Category 4, Oral, H302
Skin corrosion, Category 1B, H314
Reproductive toxicity, Category 2, H361d

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

GHS-Labeling

Hazard pictograms



Signal Word
Danger

Hazard Statements

H302 Harmful if swallowed.
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Precautionary Statements

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.

P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P310 IF exposed or concerned: immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

OSHA Hazards

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). This information is based on 29 CFR 1910.1200 criteria prior to adoption of the GHS and may deviate from the GHS information.

Other hazards

None known.

SECTION 3. Composition/information on ingredients

Formula	C ₃ H ₄ N ₂ (Hill)
Molar mass	68.08 g/mol

Hazardous ingredients

Chemical Name (Concentration)

CAS-No.

imidazole (>= 90 % - <= 100 %)

288-32-4

Exact percentages are being withheld as a trade secret.

SECTION 4. First aid measures

Description of first-aid measures

General advice

First aider needs to protect himself.

Inhalation

After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

Skin contact

After skin contact: wash off with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing. Call a physician immediately.

Eye contact

After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist.

Ingestion

After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation!). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralize.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Irritation and corrosion, Cough, Shortness of breath

Risk of blindness!

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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No information available.

SECTION 5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water, Carbon dioxide (CO₂), Foam, Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapors possible in the event of fire.

Fire may cause evolution of:

nitrous gases, nitrogen oxides

Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters

Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapors/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

SECTION 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid substance contact. Avoid inhalation of dusts.

Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.

Advice for emergency responders: Protective equipment see section 8.

Environmental precautions

Do not empty into drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills.

Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10).

Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

SECTION 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Observe label precautions.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Tightly closed. Dry.

Store at room temperature.

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SECTION 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Exposure limit(s)

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

Engineering measures

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentration and quantity of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be inquired at the respective supplier.

Hygiene measures

Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply skin- protective barrier cream. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles

Hand protection

Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

Other protective equipment:

protective clothing

Respiratory protection

required when dusts are generated.

Use a properly fitted, air-purifying or air-fed respirator complying with an approved standard if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Respirator selection must be based on known or anticipated exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.

SECTION 9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state	solid
Color	light yellow
Odor	amine-like
Odor Threshold	No information available.
pH	10.5 at 67 g/l 68 °F (20 °C)
Melting point	89 - 90 °C
Boiling point/boiling range	493 °F (256 °C) at 1,013 hPa

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Flash point	293 °F (145 °C) Method: DIN 51758
Evaporation rate	No information available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available.
Lower explosion limit	No information available.
Upper explosion limit	No information available.
Vapor pressure	0.003 hPa at 68 °F (20 °C)
Relative vapor density	No information available.
Density	1.030 g/cm ³
Relative density	No information available.
Water solubility	633 g/l at 68 °F (20 °C)
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: -0.02 OECD Test Guideline 107 Bioaccumulation is not expected.
Autoignition temperature	No information available.
Decomposition temperature	No information available.
Viscosity, dynamic	No information available.
Explosive properties	Not classified as explosive.
Oxidizing properties	none
Ignition temperature	896 °F (480 °C) Method: DIN 51794
Bulk density	500 - 600 kg/m ³

SECTION 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity

Forms explosive mixtures with air on intense heating.

A range from approx. 15 Kelvin below the flash point is to be rated as critical.

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

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Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature) .

Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

Strong oxidizing agents, Acid chlorides, Acid anhydrides, acids

Caution! In contact with nitrites, nitrates, nitrous acid possible liberation of nitosamines!

Conditions to avoid

Strong heating.

Incompatible materials

no information available

Hazardous decomposition products

in the event of fire: See section 5.

SECTION 11. Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Likely route of exposure

Eye contact, Skin contact, Ingestion

Target Organs

Lungs

Gastro-intestinal system

head

Respiratory organs

Acute oral toxicity

LD50 rat: 970 mg/kg (IUCLID)

absorption

Symptoms: If ingested, severe burns of the mouth and throat, as well as a danger of perforation of the esophagus and the stomach.

Acute inhalation toxicity

Symptoms: mucosal irritations, Cough, Shortness of breath, Possible damages:, damage of respiratory tract, Lung edema

Corrosive to respiratory system

Skin irritation

rabbit

Result: Causes burns.

OECD Test Guideline 404

Causes burns.

Eye irritation

rabbit

Result: Causes serious eye damage.

OECD Test Guideline 405

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Causes serious eye damage.

Risk of blindness!

Genotoxicity in vivo

Mutagenicity (mammal cell test): chromosome aberration.

mouse

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 474

Genotoxicity in vitro

UDS (Unscheduled DNA synthesis assay)

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 482

Ames test

Salmonella typhimurium

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

HGPRT (cell forward mutation assay)

Result: negative

Method: OECD Test Guideline 476

CMR effects

Teratogenicity:

Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity - repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard

Regarding the available data the classification criteria are not fulfilled.

Carcinogenicity

IARC	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.
OSHA	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.
NTP	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.
ACGIH	No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

Further information

After absorption:

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We have no description of any toxic symptoms.

Under given conditions, contact with nitrites or nitric acid can lead to the formation of nitrosamines, which have shown themselves to be carcinogenic in animal experiments.

Other dangerous properties can not be excluded.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 12. Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

Toxicity to fish

LC50 *Leuciscus idus* (Golden orfe): ca. 280 mg/l; 48 h

DIN 37 412 T 15 (External MSDS)

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

EC50 *Daphnia magna* (Water flea): 341.5 mg/l; 48 h

OECD Test Guideline 202

Toxicity to algae

IC50 *Desmodesmus subspicatus* (green algae): 130 mg/l; 72 h (IUCLID)

static test ErC50 *Scenedesmus quadricauda* (Green algae): 133 mg/l; 72 h

DIN 38412 (External MSDS)

Toxicity to bacteria

EC50 *Photobacterium phosphoreum*: 231 mg/l; 30 min (IUCLID)

EC50 *Pseudomonas putida*: 1,200 mg/l; 17 h (IUCLID)

Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability

90 - 100 %; aerobic

OECD Test Guideline 301A

Readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water

log Pow: -0.02

OECD Test Guideline 107

Bioaccumulation is not expected.

Mobility in soil

No information available.

Additional ecological information

When discharged properly, no impairments in the function of adapted biological wastewater treatment plants are to be expected.

Depending on the concentration, phosphorus and/or nitrogen compounds may contribute to the eutrophication of drinking- water supplies.

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

SECTION 13. Disposal considerations

The information presented only applies to the material as supplied. The identification based on characteristic(s) or listing may not apply if the material has been used or otherwise contaminated. It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste identification and disposal methods in compliance with applicable regulations. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

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SECTION 14. Transport information

Land transport (DOT)

UN number	UN 3263
Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (IMIDAZOLE)
Class	8
Packing group	III
Environmentally hazardous	--

Air transport (IATA)

UN number	UN 3263
Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (IMIDAZOLE)
Class	8
Packing group	III
Environmentally hazardous	--
Special precautions for user	no

Sea transport (IMDG)

UN number	UN 3263
Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (IMIDAZOLE)
Class	8
Packing group	III
Environmentally hazardous	--
Special precautions for user	yes
EmS	F-A S-B

SECTION 15. Regulatory information

United States of America

OSHA Hazards

Harmful if swallowed.
Corrosive to skin
Corrosive by inhalation.
Teratogen
Target organ effects

This information is based on 29 CFR 1910.1200 criteria prior to adoption of the GHS, and may deviate from the GHS information on the label and in section 2.

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Acute Health Hazard
Chronic Health Hazard

SARA 313

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SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 302

SARA 302: No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

Clean Water Act

This product does not contain any Hazardous Substances listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 116.4A.

This product does not contain any Hazardous Chemicals listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3.

DEA List I

Not listed

DEA List II

Not listed

US State Regulations

Massachusetts Right To Know

Remarks

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Ingredients

imidazole

New Jersey Right To Know

Ingredients

imidazole

California Prop 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other reproductive defects.

Notification status

TSCA: All components of the product are listed in the TSCA-inventory.

DSL: All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL.

SECTION 16. Other information

Training advice

Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

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

Used abbreviations and acronyms can be looked up at www.wikipedia.org.

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