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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

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### Identification of the substance or mixture

**Catalog #:** 10207, 10207-1, 10207-2  
**Product Name:** Agarose IV, Highest Gel Strength  
**CAS-No.:** 9012-36-6

### Company/undertaking identification

Cepharm Life Sciences Inc.  
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USA  
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**24-hour Emergency Response for Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incident, Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTREC Toll Free: 1-800-424-9300/ +1 703-527-3887 CCN 1010970**

**For Research Use Only. Not for use in diagnostic procedures.**

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

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### Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

### GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS – none**

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## SECTION 3: Composition / Information on Ingredients

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### Substances

**CAS-No.:** 9012-36-6  
**EC-No.:** 232-731-8

No ingredients are hazardous according to OSHA criteria.  
No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

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## SECTION 4: First Aid Measures

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### Description of first aid measures

#### **If inhaled**

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.

#### **In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water.

#### **In case of eye contact**

Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

#### **If swallowed**

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling.

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

No data available.

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## **SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures**

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**Extinguishing Media**

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Carbon oxides

**Advice for firefighters**

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

**Further information**

No data available.

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## **SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures**

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

Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. For personal protection see section 8.

**Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

**Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

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## **SECTION 7: Handling & Storage**

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**Precautions for safe handling**

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection.

For precautions see section 2.2.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Keep in a dry place.

**Specific end use(s)**

Apart from the users mentioned in section 1.2, no other specific uses are stipulated.

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## **SECTION 8: Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**

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**Control parameters**

**Components with workplace control parameters**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Exposure controls**

**Appropriate engineering controls**

General industrial hygiene practice.

**Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/face protection**

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

**Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

**Body protection**

Choose body protection in relation to its type, to the concentration and amount of dangerous substances, and to the specific workplace. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

**Respiratory protection**

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

**Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

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**SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

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**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

a) Appearance	Form: powder Color: white
b) Odor	No data available
c) Odor Threshold	No data available
d) pH	No data available
e) Melting point/freezing point	No data available
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available
g) Flash point	No data available
h) Evaporation rate	No data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available
k) Vapour pressure	No data available
l) Vapour density	No data available
m) Relative density	No data available
n) Water solubility	10 g/l @ 80 degrees C (176 degrees F)
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available
p) Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
q) Decomposition temperature	No data available
r) Viscosity	No data available
s) Explosive properties	No data available
t) Oxidizing properties	No data available

**Other safety information**

No data available

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**SECTION 10: Stability & Reactivity**

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**Reactivity**

No data available

**Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

No data available

**Conditions to avoid**

No data available

**Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizing agents

**Hazardous decomposition products**

Other decomposition products - No data available  
In the event of fire: see section 5

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**SECTION 11: Toxicological Information**

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## Information on toxicological effects

### Acute toxicity

no data available

Inhalation: no data available

Dermal: no data available

### Skin corrosion / irritation

No data available

### Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

No data available

### Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

### Carcinogenicity

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

### Reproductive toxicity

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

### Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

### Aspiration hazard

No data available

### Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological Information

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### Toxicity

No data available

### Persistence and degradability

No data available

### Bio-accumulative potential

No data available

### Mobility in soil

No data available

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### Other adverse effects

No data available

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## SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

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### Waste treatment methods

**Product**

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

**Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of as unused product

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## SECTION 14: Transport Information

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**DOT (US)**

Not dangerous goods

**IMDG**

Not dangerous goods

**IATA**

Not dangerous goods

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

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**SARA 302 Components**

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

**SARA 313 Components**

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 311/312 Hazards**

No SARA Hazards

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

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

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components**

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**New Jersey Right To Know Components**

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**California Prop. 65 Components**

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

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## SECTION 16: Other Information

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**HMIS Rating**

Health hazard:	0
Chronic Health Hazard:	
Flammability:	0
Physical Hazard	0

**NFPA Rating**

Health hazard:	0
Fire Hazard:	0
Reactivity Hazard:	0

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