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# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product Identifier** 

Material Name: Clindamycin Hydrochloride Capsules

Trade Name: Cleocin; Dalacin; SOBELIN; DALACINE; DALACIN C

Chemical Family: Mixture

Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against

Intended Use: Pharmaceutical product used as antibiotic agent

Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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New York, New York 10017

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**Emergency telephone number:** 

International CHEMTREC (24 hours): +1-703-527-3887

### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# **Classification of the Substance or Mixture**

**GHS - Classification** 

Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation: Category 2A

Skin Sensitization: Category 1

**EU Classification:** 

EU Indication of danger: Irritant

EU Risk Phrases:

R36 - Irritating to eyes.

R43 - May cause sensitization by skin contact.

**Label Elements** 

Signal Word: Warning

Hazard Statements: H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

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Precautionary Statements: P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling

P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

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contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention P302+ P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

P333 + P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention

P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental instructions on the administration of antidotes on

this label)

P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse



Other Hazards
Australian Hazard Classification
(NOHSC):

No data available

Hazardous Substance. Non-Dangerous Goods.

Note:

This document has been prepared in accordance with standards for workplace safety, which requires the inclusion of all known hazards of the product or its ingredients regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warning included may not apply in all cases. Your needs may vary depending upon the potential for exposure in your workplace.

### 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

#### **Hazardous**

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
Talc (non-asbestiform)	14807-96-6	238-877-9	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
,					*
Magnesium stearate	557-04-0	209-150-3	Not Listed	Not Listed	
Corn Starch	9005-25-8	232-679-6	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Clindamycin Hydrochloride	21462-39-5	244-398-6	Xi;R36-43	Acute Tox 5 (H303)	20-30.2
				Eye Irrit. 2A (H319)	
				Skin Sens.1 (H317)	

Ingredient	CAS Number	_	EU Classification		%
		EINECS/ELINCS		Classification	
		List			
Lactose	63-42-3	200-559-2	Not Listed	Not Listed	*

Additional Information: \* Proprietary

Ingredient(s) indicated as hazardous have been assessed under standards for workplace

safety.

In accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200, the exact percentage composition of this mixture has

been withheld as a trade secret.

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#### For the full text of the R phrases and CLP/GHS abbreviations mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Description of First Aid Measures** 

**Eye Contact:** Flush with water while holding eyelids open for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention

immediately.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Flush area with large amounts of water. Use soap. Seek

medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Wash out mouth with water. Do not

induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Seek medical attention immediately.

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**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep patient at rest. Seek medical attention immediately.

Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

Symptoms and Effects of For information on potential signs and symptoms of exposure, See Section 2 - Hazards

**Exposure:** Identification and/or Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

Medical Conditions None known

Aggravated by Exposure:

Indication of the Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

Notes to Physician: None

## 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media:** Extinguish fires with CO2, extinguishing powder, foam, or water.

Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

**Hazardous Combustion** Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or fire. May include oxides of carbon,

**Products:** nitrogen, sulfur, and chlorine.

Fire / Explosion Hazards: Not applicable

Advice for Fire-Fighters

During all fire fighting activities, wear appropriate protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personnel involved in clean-up should wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Minimize exposure.

### **Environmental Precautions**

Place waste in an appropriately labeled, sealed container for disposal. Care should be taken to avoid environmental release.

Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

Measures for Cleaning / Contain the source of spill if it is safe to do so. Collect spilled material by a method that

Collecting: controls dust generation. A damp cloth or a filtered vacuum should be used to clean spills of

dry solids. Clean spill area thoroughly.

**Additional Consideration for** 

Large Spills: situations immediately. Clean up operations should only be undertaken by trained personnel.

Non-essential personnel should be evacuated from affected area. Report emergency

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

## **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. If tablets or capsules are crushed and/or broken, avoid breathing dust and avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. When handling, use appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash hands and any exposed skin after removal of PPE. Review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure or environmental releases. Potential points of process emissions of this material to the atmosphere should be controlled with dust collectors, HEPA filtration systems or other equivalent controls.

### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions:** Store as directed by product packaging.

Specific end use(s): Pharmaceutical drug product

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Control Parameters**

Refer to available public information for specific member state Occupational Exposure Limits.

#### Talc (non-asbestiform)

(non-asbestiform)	
ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TWA)	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Australia TWA	2.5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Austria OEL - MAKs	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Belgium OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Bulgaria OEL - TWA	1.0 fiber/cm3
-	6.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	3.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Czech Republic OEL - TWA	2.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Denmark OEL - TWA	0.3 fiber/cm3
Finland OEL - TWA	0.5 fiber/cm3
Greece OEL - TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Hungary OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Ireland OEL - TWAs	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	0.8 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Lithuania OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Netherlands OEL - TWA	0.25 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
OSHA - Final PELs - Table Z-3 Mineral D:	20 mppcf
Poland OEL - TWA	4.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	1.0 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Portugal OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Romania OEL - TWA	2 mg/m³
Slovakia OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
0	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Slovenia OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Spain OEL - TWA	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Sweden OEL - TWAs	2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
0. % . 1 1.051. TWA	1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Switzerland OEL -TWAs	2 mg/m³

### Magnesium stearate

ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TWA)	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>		
Lithuania OEL - TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>		
Sweden OEL - TWAs	5 ma/m <sup>3</sup>		

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Corn Starch

**ACGIH Threshold Limit Value (TWA)** 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> **Australia TWA** 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> **Belgium OEL - TWA** 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 10.0 mg/m<sup>3</sup> **Bulgaria OEL - TWA** Czech Republic OEL - TWA 4.0 mg/m<sup>3</sup> **Greece OEL - TWA** 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Ireland OEL - TWAs 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup>  $4 \text{ mg/m}^3$ **OSHA - Final PELS - TWAs:** 15 mg/m<sup>3</sup> Portugal OEL - TWA 10 ma/m<sup>3</sup> Slovakia OEL - TWA  $4 \text{ mg/m}^3$ Spain OEL - TWA 10 mg/m<sup>3</sup> **Switzerland OEL -TWAs**  $3 \text{ mg/m}^3$ 

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Pfizer OEL TWA-8 Hr: 100 μg/m<sup>3</sup>

Analytical Method: Analytical method available for clindamycin. Contact Pfizer Inc for further information.

**Exposure Controls** 

Engineering Controls: Engineering controls should be used as the primary means to control exposures. General

room ventilation is adequate unless the process generates dust, mist or fumes. Keep airborne

contamination levels below the exposure limits listed above in this section.

Refer to applicable national standards and regulations in the selection and use of personal

Personal Protective

**Equipment:** protective equipment (PPE).

Hands: Impervious gloves are recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk

processing operations.

**Eyes:** Wear safety glasses or goggles if eye contact is possible.

**Skin:** Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and

for bulk processing operations.

Respiratory protection: If the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate

respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Capsule Color: Green (75 mg), Light blue

/ green (150 mg), light

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blue (300 mg)

Odor: No data available. Odor Threshold: No data available.

Molecular Formula: Mixture Molecular Weight: Mixture

Solvent Solubility:

Water Solubility:

PH:

No data available

Boiling Point (°C):

No data available.

Partition Coefficient: (Method, pH, Endpoint, Value)

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No data available

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# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

No data available

**Talc (non-asbestiform)** No data available

Magnesium stearate No data available

Corn Starch
No data available

**Decomposition Temperature (°C):** No data available.

Evaporation Rate (Gram/s):

Vapor Pressure (kPa):

Vapor Density (g/ml):

Relative Density:

Viscosity:

No data available

No data available

No data available

No data available

Flammablity:

Autoignition Temperature (Solid) (°C):

Flammability (Solids):

Flash Point (Liquid) (°C):

Upper Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.):

Lower Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.):

No data available
No data available
No data available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions of use.

**Possibility of Hazardous Reactions** 

Oxidizing Properties: No data available

**Conditions to Avoid:** Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions. **Incompatible Materials:** As a precautionary measure, keep away from strong oxidizers

Hazardous Decomposition No data available

**Products:** 

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

General Information: The information included in this section describes the potential hazards of the individual

ingredients.

Known Clinical Effects: Adverse effects associated with therapeutic use include gastrointestinal disturbances such as

nausea, dyspepsia, and vomiting and gastrointestinal irritation. Pseudomembranous colitis (manifested by watery diarrhea, urge to defecate, abdominal cramps, low-grade fever, bloody stools, and abdominal pain) may also occur. Individuals sensitive to this material or other

materials in its chemical class may develop allergic reactions.

Acute Toxicity: (Species, Route, End Point, Dose)

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Rat Oral LD 50 2618 mg/kg

Rat Sub-tenon injection (eye) LD 50 279mg/kg

Rat Subcutaneous LD 50 891mg/kg Mouse Oral LD 50 1479mg/kg Mouse Intravenous LD 50 143mg/kg

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#### Talc (non-asbestiform)

Rat Oral LD50 > 1600 mg/kg

#### Magnesium stearate

Rat Oral LD50 > 2000 mg/kg Rat Inhalation LC50 > 2000 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

Acute Toxicity Comments: A greater than symbol (>) indicates that the toxicity endpoint being tested was not achievable

at the highest dose used in the test.

### Irritation / Sensitization: (Study Type, Species, Severity)

### Clindamycin Hydrochloride

Eye Irritation Rat No effect
Eye Irritation Rabbit Moderate
Skin Irritation Rat No effect

## Repeated Dose Toxicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Target Organ)

### Clindamycin Hydrochloride

6 Month(s) Rat Oral 600 mg/kg/day NOAEL No effects at maximum dose Oral 6 Month(s) Dog 600 mg/kg/day LOAEL Gastrointestinal system No effects at maximum dose 1 Year(s) Rat Oral 300 mg/kg/day NOAEL No effects at maximum dose 1 Month(s) Dog Oral 300 mg/kg/day NOAEL

### Reproduction & Developmental Toxicity: (Study Type, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

# Clindamycin Hydrochloride

Reproductive & Fertility Rat Oral 300 mg/kg/day NOAEL Fertility
Embryo / Fetal Development Mouse Oral 600 mg/kg/day NOAEL Not Teratogenic

Embryo / Fetal Development Rat Oral 600 mg/kg/day NOAEL Not Teratogenic

Embryo / Fetal Development Rat Subcutaneous 250 mg/kg/day NOAEL Not Teratogenic

# Genetic Toxicity: (Study Type, Cell Type/Organism, Result)

#### Clindamycin Hydrochloride

Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames) Salmonella Negative

In Vitro Micronucleus Negative

Carcinogen Status: None of the components of this formulation are listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

See below

Talc (non-asbestiform)

IARC: Group 3 (Not Classifiable)

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Overview: Environmental properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Releases to the environment

should be avoided.

**Toxicity:** No data available

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Persistence and Degradability: No data available

Bio-accumulative Potential: No data available

Mobility in Soil: No data available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Treatment Methods: Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Member State

specific and Community specific provisions must be considered. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental

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releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The following refers to all modes of transportation unless specified below.

Not regulated for transport under USDOT, EUADR, IATA, or IMDG regulations.

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

Canada - WHMIS: Classifications
WHMIS hazard class:

Class D, Division 2, and Subdivision B.



#### Lactose

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting

California Proposition 65

Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)

Australia (AICS):

REACH - Annex IV - Exemptions from the

Not Listed

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Present

obligations of Register:

EU EINECS/ELINCS List 200-559-2

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# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Talc (non-asbestiform)

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California Proposition 65

Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)

Australia (AICS):

Present

EU EINECS/ELINCS List

Not Listed

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Not Listed

Present

238-877-9

Magnesium stearate

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting

California Proposition 65

Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)

Australia (AICS):

Present

EU EINECS/ELINCS List

Not Listed
Present
Present
209-150-3

Corn Starch

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting

California Proposition 65

Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b)

Australia (AICS):

REACH - Annex IV - Exemptions from the

Not Listed

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obligations of Register:

EU EINECS/ELINCS List 232-679-6

Clindamycin Hydrochloride

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting

California Proposition 65

EU EINECS/ELINCS List

Not Listed
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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

### Text of R phrases and GHS Classification abbreviations mentioned in Section 3

Acute toxicity, oral-Cat.5; H303 - May be harmful if swallowed

Serious eye damage/eye irritation-Cat.2A; H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

Sensitization, skin-Cat.1; H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

R36 - Irritating to eyes.

R43 - May cause sensitization by skin contact.

**Data Sources:** Pfizer proprietary drug development information. Safety data sheets for individual ingredients.

Reasons for Revision: Updated Section 2 - Hazard Identification. Updated Section 7 - Handling and Storage. Updated

Section 1 - Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company/Undertaking. Updated

Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients. Updated Section 11 - Toxicology

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Product Stewardship Hazard Communication

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