



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

Product Identifier

Material Name: Unasyn® (Ampicillin Sodium/Sulbactam Sodium) Powder for Injection

Trade Name: Unasyn®, UNASYNA; UNACIM; UNACID; UNACIM; BEGALIN-P; DUOCID

Chemical Family: Mixture

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

Intended Use: Pharmaceutical product used as antibiotic agent

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the Substance or Mixture

GHS - Classification

Respiratory Sensitization: Category 1
Skin Sensitization: Category 1
Specific target organ systemic toxicity (repeated exposure): Category 2

US OSHA Specific - Classification

Physical Hazard: Combustible Dust

EU Classification:

EU Indication of danger: Irritant
Harmful

EU Risk Phrases:

R42/43 - May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.
R48/22 - Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.

Label Elements

Signal Word: Danger

Hazard Statements:
H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction
H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure May form combustible dust concentrations in air

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Precautionary Statements:

- P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
- P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
- P285 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection
- P304 + P341 - IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P342 + P311 - If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician
- P302+ P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
- P333 + P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
- P363 - Wash contaminated clothing before reuse
- P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with all local and national regulations



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 require the inclusion of all known hazards of the product or its ingredients regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warnings 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	%
Sulbactam sodium	69388-84-7	273-984-4	Xn;R48/22	STOT RE 2 (H373)	44
Ampicillin sodium	69-52-3	200-708-1	Xn;R42/43	Resp. Sens.1 (H334) Skin Sens.1 (H317)	66

Additional Information: 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.

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.

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- 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.
- 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 Exposure:** For information on potential signs and symptoms of exposure, See Section 2 - Hazards Identification and/or Section 11 - Toxicological Information.
- Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** None known

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 Products: Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or fire.

Fire / Explosion Hazards: Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions.

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 / Collecting: Contain the source of spill if it is safe to do so. Collect spilled material by a method that 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: Non-essential personnel should be evacuated from affected area. Report emergency situations immediately. Clean up operations should only be undertaken by trained personnel.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for Safe Handling

Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid breathing dust. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. When handling, use appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Wash thoroughly after handling. Releases to the environment should be avoided. 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

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Storage Conditions: Store as directed by product packaging.
Specific end use(s): Pharmaceutical drug product

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control Parameters

Sulbactam sodium

Pfizer OEL TWA-8 Hr: 3000 µg/m³, (as free acid)

The purpose of the Occupational Exposure Band (OEB) classification system is to separate substances into different Hazard categories when the available data are sufficient to do so, but inadequate to establish an Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL). The OEB given is based upon an analysis of all currently available data; as such, this value may be subject to revision when new information becomes available.

Ampicillin sodium

Pfizer Occupational Exposure Band (OEB): OEB 2 - Sensitizer (control exposure to the range of 100ug/m³ to < 1000ug/m³, provide additional precautions to protect from skin contact)

Analytical Method: Analytical method available for sulbactam; ampicillin. 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.

Personal Protective Equipment: Refer to applicable national standards and regulations in the selection and use of personal 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:	Powder	Color:	Off-white
Odor:	Odorless	Odor Threshold:	No data available.
Molecular Formula:	Mixture	Molecular Weight:	Mixture

Solvent Solubility:	No data available
Water Solubility:	No data available
Solubility:	Soluble: Water
pH:	8 - 10 (reconstituted)
Melting/Freezing Point (°C):	No data available
Boiling Point (°C):	No data available.
Partition Coefficient: (Method, pH, Endpoint, Value)	

Ampicillin sodium

No data available

Sulbactam sodium

No data available

Ampicillin trihydrate

No data available

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Ampicillin

No data available

Decomposition Temperature (°C): No data available.

Evaporation Rate (Gram/s): No data available

Vapor Pressure (kPa): No data available

Vapor Density (g/ml): No data available

Relative Density: No data available

Viscosity: No data available

Flammability:

Autoignition Temperature (Solid) (°C): No data available

Flammability (Solids): No data available

Flash Point (Liquid) (°C): No data available

Upper Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

Lower Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

Polymerization: Will not occur

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 Products: No data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on Toxicological Effects

General Information: The information included in this section describes the potential hazards of various forms of the active ingredient. The toxicities of the two materials can be expected to be similar.

Short Term: Accidental ingestion may cause effects similar to those seen in clinical use. Ampicillin is reported to induce environmental or occupational asthma. Individuals who are allergic to penicillin antibiotics could have allergic reaction, possibly severe.

Long Term: Repeat-dose studies in animals have shown a potential to cause adverse effects on liver.

Known Clinical Effects: Adverse effects seen during clinical use are infrequent (<3%) and include diarrhea and skin rash. Pseudomembranous colitis has been reported following the use of Unasyn®

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

Ampicillin sodium

Rat Oral LD50 > 5314 mg/kg

Mouse Oral LD50 > 5314mg/kg

Rat SC LD50 > 5314mg/kg

Mouse SC LD50 > 5314mg/kg

Rat IP LD50 7400mg/kg

Sulbactam sodium

Rat Oral LD50 > 4000 mg/kg

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Mouse Oral LD50 > 10,000mg/kg
Rat IV LD50 4582mg/kg
Mouse IV LD50 3604mg/kg

Ampicillin trihydrate

Rat Oral LD50 10,000 mg/kg
Mouse Oral LD50 15,200mg/kg

Ampicillin

Rat Oral LD 50 > 5000 mg/kg
Rat Sub-tenon injection (eye) LD 50 4500mg/kg
Mouse Oral LD 50 > 5000mg/kg

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.

Skin Irritation / Sensitization Hypersensitivity reactions can occur in individuals sensitive to penicillin, streptomycin, and/or other aminoglycosides. Mild irritation was seen in 3-day venous irritation studies in rabbits with sulbactam/ampicillin. Ampicillin is reported to induce environmental or occupational asthma.

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

Sulbactam sodium

6 Month(s) Rat Subcutaneous 20 mg/kg/day NOEL Liver

Ampicillin trihydrate

103 Week(s) Rat Oral 750 mg/kg/day LOEL Gastrointestinal System
103 Week(s) Mouse Oral 1500 mg/kg/day LOEL Gastrointestinal system

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

Sulbactam sodium

Reproductive & Fertility Rat Subcutaneous 120 mg/kg/day NOEL Negative
Prenatal & Postnatal Development Mouse Rat Intramuscular 800 mg/kg/day NOEL Not Teratogenic

Ampicillin trihydrate

Fertility and Embryonic Development Rat Oral 2500 mg/kg/day LOEL Fetotoxicity

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

Ampicillin trihydrate

Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames) *Salmonella* Negative
Mammalian Cell Mutagenicity Mouse Lymphoma Negative
Sister Chromatid Exchange Chromosome Aberration Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) cells Negative

Carcinogenicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

Ampicillin trihydrate

103 Week(s) Mouse Oral 3000 mg/kg/day NOEL Not carcinogenic
103 Week(s) Female Rat Oral 1500 mg/kg/day NOEL Not carcinogenic
103 Week(s) Male Rat Oral 750 mg/kg/day LOEL Malignant tumors, Adrenal gland, Blood

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

Ampicillin sodium IARC: Group 3 (Not Classifiable)

Ampicillin trihydrate IARC: Group 3 (Not Classifiable)

Ampicillin IARC: Group 3 (Not Classifiable)

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental Overview: The environmental characteristics of this mixture have not been fully evaluated. Releases to the environment should be avoided.

Toxicity: No data available

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 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.

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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, Subdivision A



Sulbactam sodium

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	273-984-4

Ampicillin sodium

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting	Not Listed
California Proposition 65	Not Listed
Australia (AICS):	Present
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	200-708-1

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure-Cat.2; H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
Sensitization, respiratory-Cat.1; H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled
Sensitization, skin-Cat.1; H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

Xn - Harmful

R42/43 - May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.

R48/22 - Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.

Data Sources: Pfizer proprietary drug development information. Publicly available toxicity information.

Reasons for Revision: Updated Section 2 - Hazard Identification. Updated Section 11 - Toxicology Information. Updated Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients. Updated Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures. Updated Section 7 - Handling and Storage. Updated Section 1 - Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company/Undertaking. Updated Section 16 - Other Information.

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Product Stewardship Hazard Communication

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