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

### Product Identifier

Product Description:

Selenium sulfide

Cat No.

318140000; 318140250

Synonyms

Selenium disulfide

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

Recommended Use

Laboratory chemicals

Uses advised against

No Information available

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Company

Acros Organics BVBA  
Janssen Pharmaceuticaaan 3a  
2440 Geel, Belgium

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### Emergency Telephone Number

For information in the US, call: 001-800-ACROS-01

For information in Europe, call: +32 14 57 52 11

Emergency Number, Europe: +32 14 57 52 99

Emergency Number, US: 001-201-796-7100

CHEMTREC Phone Number, US: 001-800-424-9300

CHEMTREC Phone Number, Europe: 001-703-527-3887

## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification of the substance or mixture

REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute oral toxicity	Category 3
Acute Inhalation Toxicity - Dusts and Mists	Category 3
Specific target organ toxicity - (repeated exposure)	Category 2
Acute aquatic toxicity	Category 1
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Category 1

### Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC

For the full text of the R-phrases and H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

Symbol(s)

T - Toxic

N - Dangerous for the environment

R-phrases

R33 - Danger of cumulative effects

Risk Combination Phrases

R23/25 - Toxic by inhalation and if swallowed

R50/53 - Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment

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## SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Label Elements



### Signal Word

**Danger**

### Hazard Statements

H373 - May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure

H410 - Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

H301 - Toxic if swallowed

H331 - Toxic if inhaled

### Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)

P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician

P280 - Wear eye protection/ face protection

P310 - Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician

P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

P273 - Avoid release to the environment

### Other Hazards

No information available.

## SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	EC-No.	Weight %	CAS-No	67/548/EEC Classification	CLP Classification - Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008	REACH No.
Selenium sulfide 7488-56-4	EEC No. 231-303-8	98	7488-56-4	T; R23/25 R33 N; R50-53	Acute Tox. 3 (H301) STOT RE 2 (H373) Aquatic Acute 1 (H400) Aquatic Chronic 1 (H410)	-

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**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES****Description of first aid measures****Eye Contact**

Immediate medical attention is required. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. Immediate medical attention is required.

**Ingestion**

Call a physician immediately. Clean mouth with water.

**Inhalation**

Remove from exposure, lie down. Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Obtain medical attention.

**Notes to Physician**

Treat symptomatically

**SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Extinguishing media****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Substance is nonflammable; use agent most appropriate to extinguish surrounding fire..

**Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

No information available.

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

Non-combustible.

**Advice for fire-fighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Ensure adequate ventilation

**Environmental precautions**

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for disposal.

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## SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for Safe Handling

Do not breathe dust. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust ventilation.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

### Specific End Uses

## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

#### Exposure limits

##### Component

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European Union	The United Kingdom	France	Belgium	Spain
	STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 min TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hr			VLA-ED: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 horas

##### Component

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Italy	Germany	Portugal	The Netherlands	Finland
	MAK: 0.02 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden. inhalable fraction Skin Peak: 0.16 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden. inhalable fraction exposure factor 1	TWA: 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 horas		

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Austria	Denmark	Switzerland	Poland	Norway
STEL: 0.3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten TWA: 0.1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden		STEL: 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 Minuten MAK: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 Stunden		TWA: 0.05 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 timer

### Biological limit values

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

### Derived No Effect Level (DNEL)

No information available.

### Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)

No information available.

### Exposure controls

#### Engineering Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas

#### Personal protective equipment

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**Eye Protection**  
**Hand Protection**  
**Skin and body protection**  
**Respiratory Protection**

Goggles  
 Protective gloves  
 Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure  
 Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced

**Hygiene Measures**  
**Environmental exposure controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice  
 No information available.

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State</b>	Powder, Solid
<b>Appearance</b>	Red
<b>odor</b>	slight
<b>pH</b>	2 - 6
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	No information available.
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	100°C / 212°F
<b>Flash Point</b>	No information available.
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No information available.
<b>Water Solubility</b>	Insoluble
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	2.44
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	S <sub>2</sub> Se
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	143.08

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

### Chemical Stability

Stable under normal conditions

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
<b>Hazardous Reactions .</b>	No information available.

### Conditions to Avoid

Incompatible products, Exposure to moist air or water.

### Incompatible Materials

Strong acids, Ammonia, Reducing agents, Powdered metals.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Sulfur oxides. Sulfides.

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## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on Toxicological Effects

#### Acute Toxicity

##### **Product Information**

No acute toxicity information is available for this product

#### **Component Information**

##### **Component**

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LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
138 mg/kg ( Rat )		

#### Chronic Toxicity

##### **Carcinogenicity**

There are no known carcinogenic chemicals in this product

##### **Sensitization**

No information available.

##### **Mutagenic Effects**

No information available

##### **Reproductive Effects**

No information available.

##### **Developmental Effects**

No information available.

##### **Target Organs**

No information available.

##### **Endocrine Disruptor Information**

None known

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Toxicity

#### **Ecotoxicity effects**

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or that are not degradable in waste water treatment plants

#### Persistence and degradability

No information available

#### Bioaccumulative potential

No information available.

#### Mobility in soil

No information available.

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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## Other adverse effects

No information available

## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

**Waste from Residues / Unused Products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations

**Contaminated Packaging** Empty containers should be taken to local recyclers for disposal

## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### IMDG/IMO

UN-No 3283  
Hazard Class 6.1  
Packing Group III  
Proper Shipping Name SELENIUM COMPOUND, SOLID, N.O.S.

### ADR

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Hazard Class 6.1  
Packing Group III  
Proper Shipping Name SELENIUM COMPOUND, SOLID, N.O.S.

### IATA

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## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

### International Inventories

Component	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	PICCS	ENCS	CHINA	AICS	KECL
Selenium sulfide	231-303-8	-		X	X	-	X	X	X	X	X

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**Legend****TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances/EU List of Notified Chemical Substances**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances**CHINA** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances**AICS** - Inventory of Chemical Substances**KECL** - Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances**Chemical Safety Assessment****SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION****Full text of R-phrases referred to under sections 2 and 3**

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Revision Summary

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This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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