# Azaserine

## Section 1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of the Company/Undertaking

1.1 **Product Code:** 14834  
**Product Name:** Azaserine  
**Synonyms:** O-(2-diazoacetyl)-L-serine; CI-337; CN 15757; NSC 742; O-Diazoacetyl-L-serine;  

1.2 **Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against:**  
**Relevant identified uses:** For research use only, not for human or veterinary use.  

1.3 **Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet:**  
**Company Name:** Cayman Chemical Company  
1180 E. Ellsworth Rd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
**Web site address:** [www.caymanchem.com](http://www.caymanchem.com)  
**Information:** Cayman Chemical Company +1 (734)971-3335  

1.4 **Emergency telephone number:**  
**Emergency Contact:** CHEMTREC Within USA and Canada: +1 (800)424-9300  
CHEMTREC Outside USA and Canada: +1 (703)527-3887  

## Section 2. Hazards Identification

2.1 **Classification of the Substance or Mixture:**  
**Acute Toxicity:** Oral, Category 3  
**Carcinogenicity:** Category 2  

2.2 **Label Elements:**  

*GHS Signal Word:* Danger  

*GHS Hazard Phrases:*  
H301: Toxic if swallowed.  
H351: Suspected of causing cancer.  

*GHS Precaution Phrases:*  
P201: Obtain special instructions before use.  
P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P264: Wash (hands) thoroughly after handling.  
P280: Wear {protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection}.  

*GHS Response Phrases:*  
P301+310: IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
P308+313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice.  
P330: Rinse mouth.  

*GHS Storage and Disposal Phrases:*  
Please refer to Section 7 for Storage and Section 13 for Disposal information.
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Carcinogenic Hazard: 3

2.3 Adverse Human Health Effects and Symptoms:
- Material may be irritating to the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
- May be harmful by inhalation or skin absorption.
- May cause eye, skin, or respiratory system irritation.
- Suspected of causing cancer.
- Toxic if swallowed.
- To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Section 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

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<th>Hazardous Components (Chemical Name)/ REACH Registration No.</th>
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<td>115-02-6</td>
<td>Azaserine</td>
<td>100.0 %</td>
<td>204-061-6 NA</td>
<td>Acute Tox.(O) 3: H301 Carcinogen 2: H351</td>
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Section 4. First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures:
- In Case of Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Get immediate medical attention.
- In Case of Skin Contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse.
- In Case of Eye Contact: Hold eyelids apart and flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Have eyes examined and tested by medical personnel.
- In Case of Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

5.1 Suitable Extinguishing Media:
- Use alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, water, or dry chemical spray.
- Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:
- A solid water stream may be inefficient.

5.2 Flammable Properties and Hazards:
- No data available.
- No data available.
- No data.
- LEL: No data. UEL: No data.
- No data.

5.3 Fire Fighting Instructions:
- As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (NIOSH approved or equivalent), and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

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Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Protective Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures: Avoid raising and breathing dust, and provide adequate ventilation. As conditions warrant, wear a NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus, or respirator, and appropriate personal protection (rubber boots, safety goggles, and heavy rubber gloves).

6.2 Environmental Precautions: Take steps to avoid release into the environment, if safe to do so.

6.3 Methods and Material For Containment and Cleaning: Contain spill and collect, as appropriate. Transfer to a chemical waste container for disposal in accordance with local regulations.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions To Be Taken in Handling: Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

7.2 Precautions To Be Taken in Storing: Keep container tightly closed. Store in accordance with information listed on the product insert.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Exposure Parameters:

8.2 Exposure Controls:

8.2.1 Engineering Controls: Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits.

8.2.2 Personal protection equipment:

- Eye Protection: Safety glasses
- Protective Gloves: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves
- Other Protective Clothing: Lab coat
- Respiratory Equipment: NIOSH approved respirator, as conditions warrant.
- (Specify Type):
- Work/Hygienic/Maintenance Practices: Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash and a safety shower. Wash thoroughly after handling. No data available.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

- Physical States: [ ] Gas [ ] Liquid [ X ] Solid
- Appearance and Odor: A crystalline solid
- pH: No data.
- Melting Point: No data.
- Boiling Point: No data.
- Flash Pt: No data.
- Evaporation Rate: No data.
- Flammability (solid, gas): No data available.
- Explosive Limits: LEL: No data. UEL: No data.
- Vapor Pressure (vs. Air or mm Hg): No data.
- Vapor Density (vs. Air = 1): No data.
Specific Gravity (Water = 1): No data.
Solubility in Water: No data.
Solubility Notes: ~3 mg/ml in PBS (pH 7.2); soluble (sparingly) in: EtOH; DMSO; DMF;
Octanol/Water Partition Coefficient: No data.
Autoignition Pt: No data.
Decomposition Temperature: No data.
Viscosity: No data.

9.2 Other Information
Percent Volatile: No data.
Molecular Formula & Weight: C5H7N3O4 173.1

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity: No data available.
10.2 Stability: Unstable [ ] Stable [ X ]
10.3 Stability Note(s): Stable if stored in accordance with information listed on the product insert.
10.4 Conditions To Avoid: No data available.
10.5 Incompatibility - Materials acids
To Avoid: chlorinated hydrocarbons
10.6 Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts: carbon dioxide
Byproducts: carbon monoxide
nitrogen oxides

Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on Toxicological Effects: The toxicological effects of this product have not been thoroughly studied.
Azaserine - Toxicity Data: Oral LD50 (rat): 170 mg/kg; Intraperitoneal LD50 (rat): 70 mg/kg; Oral LD50 (mouse): 150 mg/kg; Intraperitoneal LD50 (mouse): 100 mg/kg; Subcutaneous LD50 (mouse): 50 mg/kg; Intraperitoneal TDLO (rat): 30 mg/kg; Oral TDLO (rat): 2500 µg/kg; Intraperitoneal TDLO (rat): 500 µg/kg;
Chronic Toxicological Effects: Azaserine - Investigated as a mutagen, reproductive effector, and tumorigen.
Only select Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) data is presented here. See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.
Azaserine RTECS Number: VT9625000

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Section 12. Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity: Avoid release into the environment.
Runoff from fire control or dilution water may cause pollution.
12.2 Persistence and Degradability: No data available.
12.3 Bioaccumulative Potential: No data available.
12.4 Mobility in Soil: No data available.
12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: No data available.
12.6 Other adverse effects: No data available.
13.1 Waste Disposal Method: Dispose in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

14.1 LAND TRANSPORT (US DOT):
DOT Proper Shipping Name: Toxin, extracted from living sources, solid, n.o.s. (Azaserine)
DOT Hazard Class: 6.1 - POISON
UN/NA Number: UN3462
Packing Group: III

14.1 LAND TRANSPORT (European ADR/RID):
ADR/RID Shipping Name: Toxin, extracted from living sources, solid, n.o.s. (Azaserine)
UN Number: 3462
Packing Group: III
Hazard Class: 6.1 - POISON

14.3 AIR TRANSPORT (ICAO/IATA):
ICAO/IATA Shipping Name: Toxin, extracted from living sources, solid, n.o.s. (Azaserine)
UN Number: 3462
Packing Group: III
Hazard Class: 6.1 - POISON
IATA Classification: 6.1

Additional Transport Information:
Transport in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

When sold in quantities of less than or equal to 1 mL, or 1 g, with an Excepted Quantity Code of E1, E2, E4, or E5, this item meets the De Minimis Quantities exemption, per IATA 2.6.10. Therefore packaging does not have to be labeled as Dangerous Goods/Excepted Quantity.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

EPA SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986) Lists

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Regulatory Information
This SDS was prepared in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200 and Regulation (EC) No.1272/2008.

Section 16. Other Information

Revision Date: 04/17/2019
Additional Information About This Product: No data available.

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