

# Safety Data Sheet



## 1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and the Supplier

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Identity of Substance/Mixture : Certified reference material: NMIJ CRM 6021-a  
 L-Serine  
 Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use : This reference material can be used, in amino acid analysis, for preparation of standard solution, calibration of analysis equipment and validation of analysis method/equipment. Do not use this reference material for other purposes than testing/research.  
 This CRM is a reference material (specified in the Japanese Industrial Standard (JIS) Q 0030).

## 2. Hazards Identification

GHS Classification : Cannot be classified  
 GHS Label Element : -  
 Signal Word : -  
 Hazards Statement : -  
 Other Hazards Statement : No information on hazards, One of amino acids, Weakly sweet  
 Precautionary Statement : [Safety Precaution]  
 Use appropriate personal protective equipment so as to avoid inhalation and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.  
 [First-Aid Measure]  
 If inhaled : Remove victim to fresh air. Make victim gargle thoroughly. Get medical advice/attention if symptoms are observed.  
 If on skin : Rinse away with plenty of soap and water. Get medical advice/attention if inflammation is observed.  
 If in eyes : Rinse away immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes or more.  
 Get medical advice/attention if there is any problem.  
 If ingested : Make victim drink plenty of water to induce vomiting.

Get medical advice/attention if there is any problem.

[Storage]

Store in clean desiccator in a light-shielded environment at room temperature (15 °C to 25 °C).

[Disposal]

Entrust disposal of this reference material to a professional waste disposal company licensed by prefectural governor.

The other hazards than the above do not result in classification or are not covered by the GHS.

### 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Substance/Mixture	:	Substance
Chemical Identity	:	L-Serine
Synonym	:	(S)2-amino-3-hydroxy-propionic acid
Content	:	99 %
Chemical Formula or Structural Formula	:	HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHCH(NH <sub>2</sub> )COOH
Molecular Weight	:	105.09
Content	:	99.9 % or over
Reference Number in Gazetted List in Japan	:	Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc. : (9)-1585 Industrial Safety and Health Act : Published
CAS Number	:	56-45-1

### 4. First-aid Measures

If in Eyes	:	Rinse away immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes or more. Get medical advice/attention if there is any problem.
If on Skin	:	Rinse away with plenty of soap and water. Get medical advice/attention if inflammation is observed.
If Inhaled	:	Remove victim to fresh air. Make victim gargle thoroughly. Get medical advice/attention if symptoms are observed.
If Ingested	:	Make victim drink plenty of water to induce vomiting. Get medical advice/attention if there is any problem.
Measures to be taken to protect the person applying first aid	:	Use personal protective equipment.

### 5. Fire-fighting Measures

Extinguishing Media	:	Water spray, Powder, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), Dry sand
Fire-Specific Hazards	:	As irritating or toxic fume (or gas) is generated in the case of fire, use appropriate personal protective equipment to avoid breathing it.
Specific Fire-Fighting	:	Eliminate ignition sources at the origin of a fire and put out fire

- Method : by using extinguishing media. Remove movable containers promptly to a safe place. In the case of immovable containers, cool their surroundings with sprayed water.
- Protection of Fire-Fighters : Carry out fire-fighting from the windward in order to avoid breathing hazardous gas. Use personal protective equipment such as compressed air open-circuit self-contained breathing apparatus as necessary.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

- Personal Precaution, Personal Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures : Ventilate the affected areas thoroughly, if it is in an indoor environment, until the clean-up operation is completed. Use appropriate personal protective equipment during the operation to avoid skin contact of splash etc. and inhalation of dust and gas.
- Environmental Precautions : Take precautions to prevent spillage from draining into rivers etc. to adversely impact the environment. Make it sure to appropriately treat contaminated wastewater in order to prevent untreated wastewater from being released into the surrounding environment.
- Recovery and Neutralization : Collect spillage in empty containers. Rinse away the remains with plenty of water.
- Prevention of Secondary Disaster : Mark the restricted area with rope etc. to keep out unauthorized people. Carry out the clean-up operation from the windward and make people on the leeward side evacuate.

## 7. Handling and Storage

- Handling
- Engineering Precautions : Nothing special
- Precautions : Avoid rough handling such as turning over, dropping, giving a shock to or dragging containers. Prevent spill, overflow and scattering, and avoid dust and vapor generation. Keep container tightly closed after using this reference material. Wash hands, face etc. thoroughly and gargle after handling this reference material. Restrict drinking, eating and smoking to a designated area. Do not bring gloves and other contaminated personal protective equipment into staff room.
- Precautions for Safe Handling : Use appropriate personal protective equipment to avoid inhalation and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Use local ventilation system when using this reference material in an indoor workplace.
- Storage
- Appropriate Storage : Store in clean desiccator in a light-shielded environment at room

Conditions	temperature (15 °C to 25 °C).
Engineering	: Nothing special
Precautions	
Incompatible	: No data available
Substances	
Safe Container	: Glass
Packaging Material	
hygiene measure	: Treat in accordance with rules on Industrial hygiene and Industrial safety.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

### Threshold Limit Value

Not specified

### Permissible Concentration

- ACGIH TLV-TWA : Not specified
- Values recommended by Japan Society for Occupational Health : Not specified
- OSHA PEL TWA : Not specified

### Engineering Controls

Ventilation/Exhaust : Keep container tightly closed and install local ventilation system when dust is generated.  
Install facilities to rinse eyes and to wash hands and body in the vicinity of a place handling this reference material and label them.

Safety control/ : -

Gas detection

Storage Precautions : Store in a clean light-shielded environment at room temperature (15 °C to 25 °C).

### Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

- Respiratory System : Dust protective mask
- Hands : Protective gloves
- Eyes : Eye protector (Goggle type as necessary)
- Skin and Body : Protective clothing with long sleeves

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

- Appearance, etc. : Powder
- Color : White
- Odor : No data
- pH : No data
- Melting point : 228 °C (Decomposition point)
- Boiling point : No data
- Flashing point : No data
- Explosive range : No data
- Vapor pressure : No data

- Relative vapor density(Air=1) : No data
- Specific gravity or bulk specific gravity : No data
- Solubility : Easily-soluble in water, Hardly-soluble in ethanol, Insoluble to ether
- *n*-Octanol/water partition coefficient (Log Po/w) : No data
- Auto-ignition temperature : No data

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

### Stability

- Stable in normal conditions

### Reactivity

- No data available

### Conditions to Avoid

- Sunlight, Heat

### ◇Hazardous Decomposition Products

- Carbon monoxide (CO), Nitrogen oxide

## 11. Toxicological Information

- No data available

## 12. Ecological Information

### Persistence and Degradability

- No data available

### Bioaccumulative Potential

- No data available

### Ecotoxicity

- No data available

## 13. Disposal Considerations

- Residual Waste : Incineration method  
Incinerate in an incinerator equipped with scrubber.  
Dispose of this reference material in accordance with applicable legislation and local government ordinance.  
When the above-mentioned treatments are not possible, entrust disposal of residual waste to a professional waste disposal company licensed by prefectural governor.
- Contaminated Container and Package : Dispose of containers after thoroughly removing their contents.

#### 14. Transport Information

UN Number : Not applicable

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Classification

Shipping Name : -

Marine : Not applicable

Pollutant

Precautions : Transport this reference material carefully while keeping it away from direct sunlight and fire and preventing accidental release due to falling, overturning, etc.

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#### 15. Regulatory Information

- No applicable legislation

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#### 16. Other Information

Others

The information in this document is not intended to be exhaustive and is based on currently available information and data. The measures given in this document are applicable only to normal handling conditions. When handling this reference material under special conditions etc., it is recommended to take safety measures appropriate to each specific application and context of use. This document is intended to provide information and not intended to guarantee anything in handling this reference material.

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