

**Safety Data Sheet**  
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\* **1 Identification of substance**

**Trade name:** Protein Precipitation Solution

**Article number:** A795

**Application of the substance / the preparation:** Laboratory chemicals

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\* **2 Hazards identification**

**Hazard description:**



Xi Irritant

**Information concerning to particular hazards to man and environment**

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

R 36 Irritating to eyes.

**Classification system:**

The classification is in line with current EC lists. It is extended, by information from technical literature and company information.

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### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

#### Chemical characterization

**Description:** Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

#### Components:

CAS: 631-61-8	ammonium acetate	☒ Xi; R 36	50-75%
EINECS: 211-162-9			

**Additional information:** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

### 4 First aid measures

**After inhalation:** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

**After skin contact:** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

**After eye contact:**

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

**After swallowing:** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

### 5 Fire fighting measures

#### Suitable extinguishing agents:

CO<sub>2</sub>, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

### 6 Accidental release measures

**Person-related safety precautions:** Not required.

**Measures for environmental protection:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.

#### Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Ensure adequate ventilation.

### 7 Handling and storage

#### Handling

##### Information for safe handling:

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.

**Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.

#### Storage

**Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.

**Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.

**Further information about storage conditions:** Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

### 8 Exposure controls and personal protection gear

**Additional information about design of technical facilities:** No further data; see item 7.

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**Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

**Additional information:** The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

**Personal protective equipment****General protective and hygienic measures**

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

**Respiratory protection:**

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use self-contained respiratory protective device.

**Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

**Material of gloves:**

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

**Penetration time of glove material:**

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

**Eye protection:** Tightly sealed goggles.

## 9 Physical and chemical properties

**General Information**

<b>Form:</b>	Fluid
<b>Colour:</b>	Colourless
<b>Odour:</b>	Characteristic

**Change in condition**

<b>Melting point/Melting range:</b>	undetermined
<b>Boiling point/Boiling range:</b>	100°C

**Flash point:** Not applicable

**Self-igniting:** Product is not selfigniting.

**Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

**Density at 20°C:** 0.776 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

**Solubility in / Miscibility with**

**Water:** Not miscible or difficult to mix

**pH-value at 20°C:** 0

**Solvent content:**

<b>Organic solvents:</b>	0.0 %
<b>Water:</b>	30.6 %

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**Solids content:** 70.0 %

## 10 Stability and reactivity

**Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

**Dangerous reactions:** No dangerous reactions known

**Dangerous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

## 11 Toxicological information

**Acute toxicity:**

**Primary irritant effect:**

**on the skin:** No irritant effect.

**on the eye:** Irritating effect.

**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.

**Additional toxicological information:**

The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version.

Irritant

## 12 Ecological information

**General notes:**

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to decreased pH-values. A low pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably increased, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.

## 13 Disposal considerations

**Product:**

**Recommendation**

Must not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

**Uncleaned packaging:**

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

## 14 Transport information

Contact Promega Safety Department for additional transport information.

**Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**

**ADR/RID class:** -

Not regulated

**Maritime transport IMDG:**

**IMDG Class:** -

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**Marine pollutant:** No

**Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**

**ICAO/IATA Class:** -

## 15 Regulations

**Labelling according to EU guidelines:**

The product has been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials

**Risk phrases:**

36 Irritating to eyes.

**Safety phrases:**

2 Keep out of the reach of children.

23 Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray (appropriate wording to be specified by the manufacturer).

25 Avoid contact with eyes.

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

56 Dispose of this material and its container to hazardous or special waste collection point.

**National regulations**

**Waterhazard class:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

## 16 Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

**Relevant R-phrases**

36 Irritating to eyes.

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