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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc.

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

Product Name Hydroxyethyl-cellulose  
Product Code SC-215160

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

For research use only. Not intended for diagnostic or therapeutic use.

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

Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc.  
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Dallas, TX 75220  
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800.457.3801  
scbt@scbt.com

### Emergency telephone number

Chemtrec  
800.424.9300 (Within USA)  
703.527.3887 (Outside USA)

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.122).

### Classification

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

### Label elements

Signal word Not classified  
Hazard statements  
Symbols/Pictograms Not classified  
Precautionary Statements - Prevention Wash hands thoroughly after handling  
Precautionary Statements - Response IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) Not applicable

### Other Information

Unknown acute toxicity 100% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

**NFPA** Health hazards 0  
Flammability 1  
Stability 0  
Physical and chemical properties -



**HMIS** Health hazards 0  
Flammability 1  
Physical hazards 0  
Personal protection -

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS No 9004-62-0  
Molecular Weight No information available  
Formula No information available

Chemical Name	CAS No	weight-%	Oral LD50	dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
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Hydroxyethyl-cellulose	9004-62-0	>98	-	-	-
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#### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

##### First Aid Measures

General advice	Consult a physician if necessary. Remove to fresh air.
Eye contact	Wash with plenty of water.
Skin Contact	Wash skin with soap and water.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. If not breathing, give artificial respiration.
Ingestion	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Clean mouth with water.

##### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No information available.

##### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

##### Suitable Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	None.

##### Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the chemical	No information available.
Hazardous combustion products	Carbon oxides.

##### Explosion data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	No information available.
Sensitivity to Static Discharge	No information available.

##### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

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

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

##### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

##### Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions See Section 12 for additional Ecological Information.

##### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.
Methods for cleaning up	Use personal protective equipment as required. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading and keep powder dry. Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Avoid creating dust. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

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### Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Store at room temperature.

Incompatible materials None known based on information supplied.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

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### Control parameters

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

### Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Controls Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin and Body Protection Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene Considerations Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Physical State Solid

Appearance powder or chunks

Odor No information available

### Property

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>
pH	No information available
Melting point/freezing point	No information available
Boiling point	279.5 °C
Flash point	149.3 °C
Density	1.3 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Evaporation rate	No information available
Upper flammability limits	No information available
Lower flammability limit	No information available
Vapor pressure	0
Vapor density	No information available
Specific gravity	No information available
Water solubility	No information available
Solubility in other solvents	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	No information available
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Kinematic viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available

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Oxidizing properties No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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Reactivity Not applicable  
Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.  
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions None under normal processing.  
Hazardous polymerization No information available.  
Conditions to avoid Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.  
Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.  
Hazardous Decomposition Products Carbon oxides.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation No data available.  
Eye contact No data available.  
Skin Contact No data available.  
Ingestion No data available.

### Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms No information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic Toxicity No information available.

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

Unknown acute toxicity 100% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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Ecotoxicity May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life

100% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

Persistence and degradability No information available.  
Bioaccumulation No information available.  
Mobility No information available.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.  
Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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<b>DOT</b>	Not regulated
<b>IMDG</b>	Not regulated
<b>IATA</b>	Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories

#### All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists

TSCA (United States): Canada (DSL/NDSL) Australia (AICS) South Korea (KECL): China (IECSC) ENCS (Japan): Philippines (PICCS)

Chemical Name	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	ENCS	IECSC	KECL	PICCS	AICS
Hydroxyethyl-cellulose	X	X	-	-	-	X	X	X	X	X

X - Listed

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

### US Federal Regulations

#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

#### **SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute health hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive hazard	No

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

### US State Regulations

#### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

#### **U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

This product does not contain any substances regulated by state right-to-know regulations

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Revision note No information available

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