

**SIGMA-ALDRICH****Material Safety Data Sheet**

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**Section 1 - Product and Company Information**

**Product Name** Epidermal Growth Factor human, >= 97% SDS-PAGE  
**Product Number** E9644  
**Brand** Sigma Chemical

**Company** Sigma-Aldrich  
**Address** 3050 Spruce Street  
**City, State, Zip, Country** SAINT LOUIS, MO 63103 US  
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**Section 2 - Composition/Information on Ingredient**

<b>Substance Name</b>	<b>CAS #</b>	<b>SARA 313</b>	<b>EC no</b>	<b>Annex I Index Number</b>
EPIDERMAL GROWTH FACTOR HUMAN;RECOMBINANT EXPRESSED IN E. COLI	62253-63-8	No		

**Formula**  
**Chemical Family** Bioactive peptide.  
**Synonyms**

**Section 3 - Hazards Identification****Emergency Overview**

Caution: The chemical, physical, and toxicological properties of this product have not been thoroughly investigated. Exercise due care.

**HMIS Rating**  
 Health: 3      Flammability: 0      Reactivity: 0

**NFPA Rating**  
 Health: 3      Flammability: 0      Reactivity: 0

For additional information on toxicity, please refer to Section 11.

**Section 4 - First Aid Measures****Oral Exposure**

If swallowed, wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

**Inhalation Exposure**

If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, call a physician.

**Dermal Exposure**

In case of skin contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Call a physician.

**Eye Exposure**

In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

**Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures**

**Autoignition Temp:** N/A

**Extinguishing Media**  
**Suitable**  
 Water spray. Carbon dioxide, dry chemical powder, or appropriate foam.

**Firefighting**

**Protective Equipment**  
 Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

**Specific Hazard(s)**  
 Emits toxic fumes under fire conditions.

**Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures**

**Procedure to be Followed in Case of Leak or Spill**  
 Evacuate area.

**Procedure(s) of Personal Precaution(s)**  
 Wear respirator, chemical safety goggles, rubber boots, and heavy rubber gloves.

**Methods for Cleaning Up**

Sweep up, place in a bag and hold for waste disposal. Avoid raising dust. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete.

**Section 7 - Handling and Storage****Handling**

**User Exposure**  
 Avoid inhalation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Storage**

**Suitable**  
 Keep tightly closed. Store at -20°C

**Section 8 - Exposure Controls / PPE**

**Engineering Controls**  
 Mechanical exhaust required.

**Personal Protective Equipment**  
**Respiratory**

Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU). Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a dust mask type N95 (US) or type P1 (EN 143) respirator.

**Other**  
 Wear appropriate government approved respirator, chemical-resistant gloves, safety goggles, other protective clothing.

**General Hygiene Measures**  
Wash thoroughly after handling.

## Section 9 - Physical/Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance</b>	
<b>Physical State</b>	Solid
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	N/A
<b>pH</b>	N/A
<b>BP/BP Range</b>	N/A
<b>MP/MP Range</b>	N/A
<b>Freezing Point</b>	N/A
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	N/A
<b>Vapor Density</b>	N/A
<b>Saturated Vapor Conc.</b>	N/A
<b>SG/Density</b>	N/A
<b>Bulk Density</b>	N/A
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	N/A
<b>Volatile%</b>	N/A
<b>VOC Content</b>	N/A
<b>Water Content</b>	N/A
<b>Solvent Content</b>	N/A
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	N/A
<b>Viscosity</b>	N/A
<b>Partition Coefficient</b>	N/A
<b>Decomposition Temp.</b>	N/A
<b>Flash Point °F</b>	N/A
<b>Flash Point °C</b>	N/A
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	N/A
<b>Flammability</b>	N/A
<b>Autogignition Temp</b>	N/A
<b>Solubility</b>	N/A

N/A = not available

## Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

<b>Stability</b>	
Stable	
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**Materials to Avoid**  
Strong acids, Strong bases.

<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	
Hazardous Decomposition Products	Nature of decomposition products not known.

**Hazardous Polymerization**  
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Will not occur.

## Section 11 - Toxicological Information

**Route of Exposure**  
**Skin Contact**  
May cause skin irritation.  
**Skin Absorption**  
May be harmful if absorbed through the skin.  
**Eye Contact**  
May cause eye irritation.  
**Inhalation**  
May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.  
**Ingestion**  
May be harmful if swallowed.

### Conditions Aggravated by Exposure

The toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**RTECS Number:** N/A

## Section 12 - Ecological Information

No data available.

## Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

### Appropriate Method of Disposal of Substance or Preparation

Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.  
Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber.  
Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

## Section 14 - Transport Information

### DOT

**Proper Shipping Name:** None

**Non-Hazardous for Transport:** This substance is considered to be non-hazardous for transport.

### IATA

**Non-Hazardous for Air Transport:** Non-hazardous for air transport.

## Section 15 - Regulatory Information

### US Classification and Label Text

#### US Statements

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### United States Regulatory Information

**SARA Listed:** No

### Canada Regulatory Information

#### WHMIS Classification

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR, and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

**DSL:** No

**NDSL:** No

## Section 16 - Other Information

### Disclaimer

For R&D use only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

### Warranty

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Sigma-Aldrich Inc., shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale. Copyright 2006 Sigma-Aldrich Co. License granted to make unlimited paper copies for internal use only.

