

## 1 Identification

- **Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Cetyltrimethylammonium Bromide
- **Article number:** 195029
- **CAS Number:**  
57-09-0
- **EC number:**  
200-311-3
- **Molecular Formula** C19 H42 Br N
- **Molecular Weight** 364.5 g/mol
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** For Research Use Only
- **Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
MP Biomedicals, LLC  
29525 Fountain Parkway  
Solon, OH 44139  
United States  
www.mpbio.com
- **Information department:** Quality Control Department
- **Emergency telephone number:** CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (1-703-527-3887)

## 2 Hazard(s) identification

- **Classification of the substance or mixture**



GHS08 Health hazard

STOT RE 2 H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.



GHS05 Corrosion

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



GHS07

Acute Tox. 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed.

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

STOT SE 3 H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

- **Label elements**
- **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).
- **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05



GHS07



GHS08

- **Signal word** Danger

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**· Hazard-determining components of labeling:**

cetrimonium bromide

**· Hazard statements**

Harmful if swallowed.

Causes skin irritation.

Causes serious eye damage.

May cause respiratory irritation.

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**· Precautionary statements**

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.

Wear protective gloves.

Wear eye protection / face protection.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

Specific treatment (see on this label).

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Rinse mouth.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Store locked up.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**· Classification system:**
**· NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)**


Health = 2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 1

**· HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)**


Health = \*2

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 1

**· Other hazards**
**· Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
· **PBT:** Not applicable.· **vPvB:** Not applicable.

### 3 Composition/information on ingredients

**· Chemical characterization: Substances**
**· CAS No. Description**

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- **Identification number(s)**
- **EC number:** 200-311-3

## 4 First-aid measures

- **Description of first aid measures**
- **General information:**  
Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.  
Consult your Doctor. Show the safety data sheet to the Doctor. Away from the dangerous area.
- **After inhalation:** If breathed in, supply fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a Doctor.
- **After skin contact:** Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a Doctor.
- **After eye contact:** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.
- **After swallowing:**  
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. If symptoms persist consult a Doctor.
- **Information for doctor:**
- **Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- **Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

## 5 Fire-fighting measures

- **Extinguishing media**
- **Suitable extinguishing agents:**  
CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
- **Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**  
During heating or in case of fire poisonous gases are produced.
- **Advice for firefighters**
- **Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

## 6 Accidental release measures

- **Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**  
Mount respiratory protective device.  
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
- **Environmental precautions:** Do not allow to enter sewers/ surface or ground water.
- **Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**  
Use neutralizing agent.  
Pick up mechanically, dispose contaminated material as waste according to Section 13.  
Ensure adequate ventilation.
- **Reference to other sections**  
See Section 7 for information on safe handling.  
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.  
See Section 13 for disposal information.

## 7 Handling and storage

- **Handling:**
- **Precautions for safe handling**  
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- Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace. Avoid direct contact with skin and eyes.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** Keep respiratory protective device available.
- **Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage:** 15 - 30 °C
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** Keep container tightly sealed.
- **Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see Section 7.
- **Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:** Not required.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- **Exposure controls**
- **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.
  - Store protective clothing separately.
  - Avoid contact with the skin.
  - Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
- **Breathing equipment:**
  - In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.
- **Protection of hands:**



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

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.

- **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

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## 9 Physical and chemical properties

### · Information on basic physical and chemical properties

#### · General Information

#### · Appearance:

Form: Powder

Color: White

· Odor: Indeterminate

· Odor threshold: Not determined.

· pH-value at 25 °C (77 °F): 5.0-7

#### · Change in condition

Boiling point/Boiling range: Undetermined.

· Flash point: Not applicable.

· Flammability (solid, gaseous): Product is not flammable.

#### · Ignition temperature:

Decomposition temperature: Not determined.

· Auto igniting: Not determined.

· Danger of explosion: See section 10

#### · Explosion limits:

Lower: Not Applicable

Upper: Not Applicable

· Vapor pressure: Not applicable.

· Density: Not Applicable

· Relative density: Not determined.

· Vapor density: Not applicable.

· Evaporation rate: Not applicable.

· Solubility in / Miscibility with: Not Determined

· Water at 20 °C (68 °F): 36.4 g/l

· Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

#### · Viscosity:

Dynamic: Not applicable.

Kinematic: Not applicable.

#### · Solvent content:

Organic solvents: 0.0 %

VOC content: 0.0 g/l / 0.00 lb/gl

Solids content: 100.0 %

· Other information: No further relevant information available.

## 10 Stability and reactivity

· Reactivity: No further relevant information available.

· Chemical stability

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

· Possibility of hazardous reactions: No dangerous reactions known.

· Conditions to avoid: No further relevant information available.

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- **Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known.

### 11 Toxicological information

- **Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity:**

- **LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

**57-09-0 cetrimonium bromide**

Oral	LD50	410 mg/kg (rat)
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- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- **on the eye:** Strong irritant with the danger of severe eye injury.
- **Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.
- **Additional toxicological information:**

- **Carcinogenic categories**

- **IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)**

Substance is not listed.

- **NTP (National Toxicology Program)**

Substance is not listed.

- **OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)**

Substance is not listed.

### 12 Ecological information

- **Toxicity**

- **Aquatic toxicity:**

**57-09-0 cetrimonium bromide**

Oral	LC50 / 96 h	0.3 mg/L (Danio rerio (zebra fish))
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- **Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **Behavior in environmental systems:**
- **Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**
  - Water hazard class 3 (Assessment by list): extremely hazardous for water
  - Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.
  - Must not reach bodies of water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.
  - Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** Not applicable.
- **vPvB:** Not applicable.
- **Other adverse effects** No further relevant information available.

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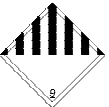

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### 13 Disposal considerations

- **Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation:**  
Can not be disposed together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Discard must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleaning agents.

### 14 Transport information

· <b>UN-Number</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>	UN3077
· <b>UN proper shipping name</b>	
· <b>DOT</b>	Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (cetrimonium bromide)
· <b>ADR</b>	3077 Environmentally hazardous substances, solid, n.o.s. (cetrimonium bromide)
· <b>IMDG</b>	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (cetrimonium bromide), MARINE POLLUTANT
· <b>IATA</b>	ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (cetrimonium bromide)
· <b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>	
 	
· <b>Class</b>	9 Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles
· <b>Label</b>	9
· <b>Packing group</b>	
· <b>DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA</b>	III
· <b>Environmental hazards:</b>	
· <b>Marine pollutant:</b>	Yes (DOT) Symbol (fish and tree)
· <b>Special marking (ADR):</b>	Symbol (fish and tree)
· <b>Special marking (IATA):</b>	Symbol (fish and tree)
· <b>Special precautions for user</b>	Warning: Miscellaneous dangerous substances and articles
· <b>Danger code (Kemler):</b>	M7
· <b>EMS Number:</b>	F-A,S-F
· <b>Stowage Category</b>	A
· <b>Stowage Code</b>	SW23 When transported in BK3 bulk container, see 7.6.2.12 and 7.7.3.9.
· <b>Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code</b>	Not applicable.

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· **Transport/Additional information:**· **DOT**· **Quantity limitations**

On passenger aircraft/rail: No limit

On cargo aircraft only: No limit

· **Remarks:**

Special marking with the symbol (fish and tree).

· **ADR**· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 g

· **IMDG**· **Limited quantities (LQ)**

5 kg

· **Excepted quantities (EQ)**

Code: E1

Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 g

Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 1000 g

· **UN "Model Regulation":**UN 3077 ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES,  
SOLID, N.O.S. (CETRIMONIUM BROMIDE), 9, III

## 15 Regulatory information

· **Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**· **Sara**· **Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):**

Substance is not listed.

· **Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):**

Substance is not listed.

· **TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act):**

Substance is listed.

· **Proposition 65**· **Chemicals known to cause cancer:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:**

Substance is not listed.

· **Carcinogenic categories**· **EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)**

Substance is not listed.

· **TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)**

Substance is not listed.

· **NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)**

Substance is not listed.

· **GHS label elements** The substance is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

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· **Hazard pictograms**· **Signal word** *Danger*· **Hazard-determining components of labeling:***cetrimonium bromide*· **Hazard statements***Harmful if swallowed.**Causes skin irritation.**Causes serious eye damage.**May cause respiratory irritation.**May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.*· **Precautionary statements***Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.**Wear protective gloves.**Wear eye protection / face protection.**Wash thoroughly after handling.**Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.**Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.**If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.**Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.**Specific treatment (see on this label).**IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.**IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.**If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.**Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.**Rinse mouth.**IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.**Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.**Store locked up.**Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.**Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.*· **Chemical safety assessment:** *A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.*

## 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.*

· **Department issuing SDS:** *Quality Control Dept.*· **Date of preparation / last revision** *10/05/2016 / -*· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

*ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)*

*IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods*

*DOT: US Department of Transportation*

*IATA: International Air Transport Association*

*ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists*

*EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances*

*CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)*

*NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)*

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*HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)**VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU)**LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent**LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent**PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic**vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative**NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety**OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health**TLV: Threshold Limit Value**PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit**REL: Recommended Exposure Limit**Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity – Category 4**Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2**Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1**STOT SE 3: Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) – Category 3**STOT RE 2: Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) – Category 2*

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