

Inactivated Influenza Vaccine



SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

Product Name Inactivated Influenza Vaccine

Other Names All Inactivated Influenza Products manufactured or stored by Seqirus Pty. Ltd. Australia are covered by this Safety Data Sheet.

Use For the prevention of influenza caused by Influenza Virus, types A and B

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Not classified as a hazardous chemical according to Australian WHS Regulations

GHS Classification(s) None Allocated

Signal Word No Signal Word

Pictogram(s) No Pictogram(s)

Hazard Statement(s) None Allocated

Prevention statement(s) None Allocated

Response None Allocated

Storage None Allocated

Disposal None Allocated

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

There are no ingredients in this product that are classified as hazardous and/or no hazardous ingredients above the cut-off GHS percentage.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

- Eye** Flush eye thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. If irritation occurs, seek immediate medical attention.
- Swallowed** DO NOT induce vomiting. Wash out mouth with water and give plenty of water to drink. If sensitive to eggs, seek medical attention immediately.
- Skin** Rinse the area with water. If symptoms persist seek medical attention.
- Aggravated Medical Conditions** Inactivated Influenza Vaccines are prepared from virus grown in the allantoic cavity of embryonated eggs
- Advice to Doctor** Treat symptomatically. Cases of anaphylaxis may require treatment with adrenaline, oxygen, intravenous steroid and airway management including intubation.
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5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

- Fire/Explosion Hazard** Not considered a significant fire risk.
- Fire Extinguishing Media** No restrictions.
- Hazchem Code** None allocated
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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

- Minor Spills**
- Wear protective gloves and safety glasses.
 - Clean up spill immediately using absorbent paper towels.
 - Place spilled material in clean, dry, sealed container for disposal.
 - Wash area with copious amounts of water.
- Major Spills**
- Wear protective gloves and safety glasses.
 - Contain and absorb spills using earth, sand or inert absorbent.
 - Collect residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.
 - Wash area with copious amounts of water.
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7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

- Transport and store at 2 to 8 degrees C (do not freeze).
 - Protect from light.
 - Store as per Schedule 4 pharmaceutical.
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8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

- Exposure Standards** No exposure limits set by SWA or ACGIH
- Engineering Controls** None under normal operating conditions.
- Personal Protection** For good infection control, gloves should be worn when administering an injection.

The local concentration of material, quantity and conditions of use determine the type of personal protective equipment required. For further information, consult your Occupational Health and Safety Adviser.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

- Appearance** Clear to slightly opaque liquid containing some sediment, which readily resuspends upon shaking, in pre-filled syringe with and without attached needle and multi-dose vial
- Odour** Odourless
- pH** 6.9 to 7.4
- Boiling Point/Melting Point** Not determined
- Vapour Pressure** Not determined
- Vapour Density** Not determined
- Specific Gravity** Not determined
- Flashpoint** Not determined
- Flammability Limits** Not determined
- Solubility in Water** Aqueous solution
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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

- Reactivity** Not known to be incompatible with any other material.
- Stability** Stable under anticipated storage and handling conditions (refer section 7).
- Decomposition Products** Not determined
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11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Eye May cause mild irritation. In hypersensitive individuals, may precipitate an acute allergic reaction. Local Swelling may be accompanied by systemic symptoms. See under Acute Effects, Swallowed.

Ingestion May cause irritation of the gastro-intestinal tract. In hypersensitive individuals, may precipitate an acute allergic reaction.

Symptoms of an allergic reaction may include shortness of breath; swelling of the face, lips, tongue, or other parts of the body; skin rash, itching or hives.

Skin May cause mild irritation.

Inhaled Not an expected route of exposure.

Chronic Health Effects No chronic health effects expected under conditions of use.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

- No data available.
 - For good environmental practice avoid discharge to waterways.
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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- In accordance with state land and waste management authority.
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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not Classified as a dangerous good by the criteria of the ADG Code

UN Number None allocated

DG Class None allocated

Subsidiary Risk None allocated

Packing Group None allocated

Hazchem Code None allocated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Poisons Schedule Number Schedule 4 (S4) – Prescription only medicine

16. OTHER INFORMATION**Last Revised** 14 February 2017**Reason for Revision**

- Change SDS Product name as the vaccine is now quadrivalent
- Update Product details
- Update to GHS requirements
- Update Business contact details
- Update Composition and Physical properties information
- Updated NOHSC to SWA

Abbreviations

SWA	- Safe Work Australia
GHS	- Globally Harmonised System
WHS	- Work, Health and Safety
ADG Code	- Australian Dangerous Goods Code
UN Number	- United Nations Number
DG Class	- Dangerous Goods Class
CAS Number	- Chemical Abstract Service Number

Contact Point

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