

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND THE COMPANY

**Material** Cefprozil for Oral Suspension, USP  
125 mg/5 mL or 250 mg/5 mL

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## 2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients	CAS	Quantity
Cefprozil	92665-29-7	125 mg/5 mL or 250 mg/5 mL after reconstitution
Non-hazardous ingredients	-----	q.s.

## 3. HAZARDOUS IDENTIFICATION

**Fire and Explosion** Assume that this product is capable of sustaining combustion.

**Health** Approximately 100% administered orally is absorbed in GI tract. It is essentially non-toxic in sub-acute & chronic studies, effects were minor & reversible. See information about the therapeutic use of this product on the package insert.

**Environment** No information is available about the potential of this product to produce adverse environmental effects.

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Ingestion** Never attempt to induce vomiting. Do not attempt to give any solid or liquid by mouth if the exposed subject is unconscious or semi-conscious. Wash out the mouth with water. Obtain medical attention.

**Inhalation** Physical form suggests that risk of inhalation exposure is negligible.

**Skin Contact** Using appropriate personal protective equipment, remove contaminated clothing and flush exposed area with large amounts of water. Obtain medical attention if skin reaction occurs.

**Eye contact** Wash immediately with clean and gently flowing water. Continue for at least 15 minutes. Obtain medical attention if required.

## NOTES TO HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

**Medical Treatment** Treat according to locally accepted protocols. For additional guidance, refer to the current prescribing information or to the local poison control information center. Medical treatment in cases of overexposure should be treated as an overdose of a cephalosporin antibiotic. Gastric lavage may be indicated; otherwise no specific antidote exists. Cefprozil is eliminated primarily by the kidneys. In case of severe overdosage, especially in patients with compromised renal function, hemodialysis will aid in the removal of cefprozil from the body. In allergic individuals, exposure to this material may require treatment for initial or delayed allergic symptoms and signs. This may include immediate and/or delayed treatment of anaphylactic reactions.

**Antidotes** No specific antidote exists.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Fire and Explosion Hazards** Assume that this product is capable of sustaining combustion.

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

**Special Firefighting Procedures** For single units (packages): No special requirements needed.  
For larger amounts (multiple packages/pallets) of product: Since toxic, corrosive or flammable vapors might be evolved from fires involving this product and associated packaging, self contained breathing apparatus and full protective equipment are recommended for firefighters.

**Hazardous Combustion Products** Hazardous combustion or decomposition products are expected when the product is exposed to fire.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions** Wear protective clothing and equipment consistent with the degree of hazard.

**Environmental Precautions** For large spills, take precautions to prevent entry into waterways, sewers, or surface drainage systems.

**Clean-up Methods** Collect and place it in a suitable, properly labeled container for recovery or disposal.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

<b>Handling</b>	No special control measures required for the normal handling of this product. Normal room ventilation is expected to be adequate for routine handling of this product.
<b>Storage</b>	Store dry powder at 20°-25° C (68°-77 °F) [See USP Controlled Room Temperature]. Store constituted suspension in refrigerator.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear appropriate clothing to avoid skin contact. Wash hands and arms thoroughly after handling.

## 9. PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical Form</b>	Pink coloured powder (Granules).
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## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

<b>Oral Toxicity:</b>	Not expected to be toxic following ingestion.
<b>Inhalation Toxicity:</b>	Can produce respiratory irritation. Adverse effects might occur following inhalation.
<b>Skin Effects:</b>	Irritation might occur following direct contact.
<b>Eye Effects:</b>	Irritation might occur following direct contact with eyes.
<b>Gastrointestinal Reactions:</b>	Diarrhea, nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain.
<b>Hypersensitivity Reactions:</b>	Rash, Urticaria, such reaction have been reported more frequently in children than in adults.
<b>Carcinogenicity:</b>	Not expected to be carcinogenic based on animal studies.
<b>Reproductive Effects:</b>	Not expected to produce adverse effects on fertility or development based on animal studies. No adequate and well-controlled studies in pregnant women. No studies during labor and delivery. Should be used during pregnancy only if clearly needed.
<b>Pharmacological Effects:</b>	This material is an antibiotic; a cephalosporin. It is an agent intended for the treatment of bacterial infections.

## **12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No relevant studies identified.

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION**

Incinerate in an approved facility. Follow all federal state and local environmental regulations.

## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

The Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) should accompany all shipments for reference in the event of spillage or accidental release. Transportation and shipping of this product is not restricted. It has no known, significant hazards requiring special packaging or labeling for air, maritime, or ground transport purposes.

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

No information found.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all-inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. Nothing herein shall be deemed to create any warranty, express or implied. It is the responsibility of the user to determine the applicability of this information and the suitability of the material or product for any particular purpose.

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