

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**  
REQUIRED UNDER SAFETY AND HEALTH REGULATION FOR SHIP REPAIRING

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**SECTION 1. ----- CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION-----**

**Product Name** Histamine dihydrochloride  
**Product Code(s)** HB0501  
**Recommended Use** For Laboratory Use Only  
 Not for Human or Animal Drug Use

**SECTION 2. ----- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION -----**

**Emergency Overview**

**Target Organs**

Smooth muscle., HeartSmooth muscle., Heart

**WHMIS Classification**

D2A	Very Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects	Respiratory sensitiser
D2B	Toxic Material Causing Other Toxic Effects	Moderate skin irritant Moderate eye irritant Skin sensitiser

**GHS Classification**

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 5)  
 Skin irritation (Category 2)  
 Eye irritation (Category 2A)  
 Respiratory sensitisation (Category 1)  
 Skin sensitisation (Category 1)  
 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3)

**GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

Pictogram 

Signal word **Danger**

<b>Hazard statement(s)</b>	
H303	May be harmful if swallowed.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H334	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.

<b>Precautionary statement(s)</b>	
P261	Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.
P280	Wear protective gloves.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P342 + P311	If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.

**HMIS Classification**

**Health hazard:** 2  
**Chronic Health Hazard:** \*  
**Flammability:** 0  
**Physical hazards:** 0

**Potential Health Effects**

**Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.  
**Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.  
**Eyes** Causes eye irritation.  
**Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.

**SECTION 3. ----- COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS -----**

<b>Chemical Name</b>	<b>EC No.</b>	<b>REACH Reg. No.</b>	<b>CAS-No</b>	<b>Weight %</b>	<b>Classification</b>
2-Imidazol-4-ylethylamine dihydrochloride	200-298-4	Not available	56-92-8	95-100	

**SECTION 4. ----- FIRST-AID MEASURES-----****General advice**

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

**If inhaled**

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

**In case of skin contact**

Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact**

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**If swallowed**

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

**SECTION 5. ----- FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES -----****Conditions of flammability**

Not flammable or combustible.

**Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

**Special protective equipment for firefighters**

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

**Hazardous combustion products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen chloride gas

**Explosion data - sensitivity to mechanical**

**impact** no data available

**Explosion data - sensitivity to static discharge**

no data available

**SECTION 6. ----- ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES-----****Personal precautions**

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

**Environmental precautions**

Do not let product enter drains.

### Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## SECTION 7. ----- HANDLING AND STORAGE-----

### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

### Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Recommended storage temperature: 2 - 8 °C

Keep in a dry place. Keep in a dry place.

## SECTION 8. ----- EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION-----

### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

#### Eye protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

#### Specific engineering controls

Use mechanical exhaust or laboratory fumehood to avoid exposure.

## SECTION 9. ----- PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES -----

### Appearance

Form powder

Colour white

### Safety data

pH no data available

Melting point/freezing point Melting point/range: 249 - 252 °C (480 - 486 °F)

Boiling point no data available

Flash point no data available

Ignition temperature no data available

Auto-ignition temperature no data available

Lower explosion limit	no data available
Upper explosion limit	no data available
Vapour pressure	no data available
Density	no data available
Water solubility	no data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	no data available
Relative vapour density	no data available
Odour	no data available
Odour Threshold	no data available
Evaporation rate	no data available

## SECTION 10. -----STABILITY AND REACTIVITY -----

### **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### **Possibility of hazardous reactions**

no data available

### **Conditions to avoid**

no data available

### **Materials to avoid**

Strong oxidizing agents

### **Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen chloride gas

Other decomposition products - no data available

## SECTION 11. ----- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----

### **Acute toxicity**

#### **Oral LD50**

LD50 Oral - mouse - 2,534 mg/kg

#### **Inhalation LC50**

#### **Dermal LD50**

no data available

#### **Other information on acute toxicity**

no data available

### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

no data available

### **Serious eye damage/eye**

irritation no data available

### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

May cause allergic respiratory and skin reactions

### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

no data available

**Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

**Reproductive toxicity**

no data available

**Teratogenicity**

no data available

**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Globally Harmonized System)**

Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.

**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure (Globally Harmonized System)**

no data available

**Aspiration hazard**

no data available

**Potential health effects**

- Inhalation** May be harmful if inhaled. Causes respiratory tract irritation.
- Ingestion** May be harmful if swallowed.
- Skin** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. Causes skin irritation.
- Eyes** Causes eye irritation.

**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

**Synergistic effects**

no data available

**Additional Information**

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**SECTION 12. ----- ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----**

**Ecotoxicity**

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated

**SECTION 13. ----- DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS -----**

**Waste Disposal Method** Dispose of material in accordance with all federal, state, and local regulations

**Contaminated Packaging** Dispose of in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations

**SECTION 14. ----- TRANSPORT INFORMATION -----**

**IATA** Not Regulated

**DOT** Not Regulated

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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**SECTION 16. ----- OTHER INFORMATION-----**

<b>Issuing Date</b>	13-Aug-2009
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<b>Recommended Restrictions</b>	No information available

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