

# Cetyl palmitate 15

## Safety Data Sheet

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH) with its amendment Regulation (EU) 2015/830  
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**424463**

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Substance  
Substance name : Cetyl palmitate 15  
Chemical name : Fatty acids, C16-18, C12-18-alkyl esters  
EC-No. : 306-083-2  
CAS-No. : 95912-87-1  
Product code : 424463  
Synonyms : Cetaceum artificiale, Cetylis palmitas

### 1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

#### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Main use category : Pharmaceutical industry  
Industrial/Professional use spec : Industrial

#### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Supplier

Duchefa Farma BV  
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[farma@ducheffa.nl](mailto:farma@ducheffa.nl) - [www.duchefa-farma.com](http://www.duchefa-farma.com)

### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Supplier contact information:  
+31(0)23-5319093 (M-F 09:00-17:00)  
+31(0)6-30109355 (outside office hours)

Country	Organisation/Company	Address	Emergency number	Comment
United Kingdom	Guy's & St Thomas' Poisons Unit Medical Toxicology Unit, Centre Hospitalier Universitaire de Constantine	Avonley Road SE14 5ER London	0870 243 2241	

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

### Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

## 2.2. Label elements

### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

## 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

# SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

## 3.1. Substances

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Cetyl palmitate 15	(CAS-No.) 95912-87-1 (EC-No.) 306-083-2	100	Not classified

Full text of H-statements: see section 16

## 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

# SECTION 4: First aid measures

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Assure fresh air breathing. Allow the victim to rest.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking or redness persists.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

## 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects	: Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.
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## 4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No additional information available

# SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

## 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Making extinguishing agents environment-friendly.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Do not use a heavy water stream.

## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: Combustible.
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Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : fume.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire fighting water from entering the environment.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

#### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : On land, sweep or shovel into suitable containers. Minimize generation of dust. Store away from other materials.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections (8, 13).

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Additional hazards when processed : No flames. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

Precautions for safe handling : Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapour.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use. Keep only in the original container in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Incompatible products : Strong bases. Strong acids.

Incompatible materials : Sources of ignition. Direct sunlight.

Storage area : VCI storage class: 11.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Pharmaceutical industry.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

## 8.2. Exposure controls

### Personal protective equipment:

Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

### Hand protection:

Type	Material	Permeation	Thickness (mm)	Standard
Gloves	Nitrile rubber (NBR)	6 (> 480 minutes)	0,11	EN 374

### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses

### Respiratory protection:

Approved dust respirator. Dust production: dust mask with filter type P1

### Other information:

Do not eat, drink or smoke during use.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Solid
Colour	: White.
Odour	: odourless.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: 41 - 56 °C
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: 240 °C DIN ISO 2592
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Combustible
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Density	: 0.817 - 0.82 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (80 °C)
Solubility	: Insoluble in water.
Log Pow	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available

**9.2. Other information**

Other properties : Bulk density: (20 °C) 400 kg/m³.

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1. Reactivity**

No additional information available

**10.2. Chemical stability**

Not established.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Not established.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

Overheating. Open flame. Direct sunlight. Sparks.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

No additional information available

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

fume.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1. Information on toxicological effects**

Acute toxicity : Not classified

Additional information	LD50. >5000 mg/kg
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Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

STOT-single exposure : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Additional information : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met

Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms : Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1. Toxicity**

Cetyl palmitate 15 (95912-87-1)	
LC50 fish 1	> 100 mg/l Brachydanio rerio

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

Cetyl palmitate 15 (95912-87-1)	
Persistence and degradability	Not established.
Biodegradation	60 - 70 %

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

Cetyl palmitate 15 (95912-87-1)	
Bioaccumulative potential	Not established.

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

No additional information available

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No additional information available

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

Additional information : Avoid release to the environment

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1. Waste treatment methods**

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

Ecology - waste materials : Avoid release to the environment.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

ADR	IATA
<b>14.1. UN number</b>	
Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.2. UN proper shipping name</b>	
Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.3. Transport hazard class(es)</b>	
Not applicable	Not applicable
Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.4. Packing group</b>	
Not applicable	Not applicable
<b>14.5. Environmental hazards</b>	
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available	

**14.6. Special precautions for user****- Overland transport**

No data available

**- Air transport**

No data available

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

Not applicable

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****15.1.1. EU-Regulations**

No REACH Annex XVII restrictions

Cetyl palmitate 15 is not on the REACH Candidate List

Cetyl palmitate 15 is not on the REACH Annex XIV List

**15.1.2. National regulations**

No additional information available

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

**SECTION 16: Other information**

Indication of changes:

1.4	Emergency telephone	Modified	Added additional information
8.2	Hand protection	Modified	Specified material, thickness, et cetera of gloves

Abbreviations and acronyms:

SDS	Safety Data Sheet
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
IATA	International Air Transport Association
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
CLP	Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Data sources : REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

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