# FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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#### SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### **Acetylcholine Bromide**

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#### SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Acetylcholine bromide Synonym: pragmoline CAS#: 66-23-9

#### **SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

White, crystalline powder. Strong vinegar-like odor.

Avoid breathing fumes as they are irritating. Irritating to body tissues. Avoid all body tissue contact. Combustible solid. Neurotransmitter, avoid breathing dust.

FLINN AT-A-GLANCE

Health-1 Flammability-0 Reactivity-1 Exposure-1

Exposure-1 Storage-1

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

#### **SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES**

Call a physician and seek medical attention for further treatment, observation, and support after first aid.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye or External: Immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

Internal: Rinse mouth. Give large quantities of water for dilution. Call a physician or poison control at once.

#### **SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

Nonflammable, but combustible solid.

**NFPA CODE** 

**Fire Fighting Instructions:** Use a triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should wear PPE and SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.

None established

#### **SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Restrict unprotected personnel from the area. Remove all ignition sources and water. Ventilate area. Wipe up the spill, place in a sealed bag or container, and dispose. Wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

#### **SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #2. Store with alcohols, glycols, amines, and amides. Store in a cool, dry place.

Deliquescent, store in Flinn Chem-Saf bag.

#### SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves, and chemical-resistant apron. Use exhaust ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

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#### **SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

White, hygroscopic, crystalline powder with a strong vinegar odor.

Solubility: Water soluble.

Formula: CH<sub>3</sub>CO<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>N(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>Br

Formula weight: 226.13

Melting point: 144-146 °C

#### **SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Decomposed by hot water.

Avoid contact with oxidizing materials, acids, and bases. Susceptible to hydrolysis from absorbed moisture.

Shelf life: Poor, hygroscopic; store in a Flinn Chem-Saf bag.

#### **SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Acute effects: Irritant, neurotransmitter. ORL-RAT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A. Chronic effects: N.A. IHL-RAT  $LC_{50}$ : N.A. Target organs: Vascular system. SKN-RBT  $LD_{50}$ : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

#### **SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Data not yet available.

#### SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply, before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #20 is one option.

#### **SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

Shipping name: Not regulated.

Hazard class: N/A UN number: N/A N/A = Not applicable

#### **SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA-listed, EINECS-listed (200-622-4).

#### **SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION**

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