Safety (MSDS) data for riboflavin

General

Synonyms: 6,7-dimethyl-9-d-ribitylisoalloxazine, flavaxin, beflavin, 7,8-dimethyl-10-(d-ribo-2,3,4,5-tetrahydroxypentyl)riboflavinequinone, hyflavin, lactoflavin, lactoflavine, ribipca, riboderm, riboflavinequinone, vitamin B2, vitamin G
Use: dietary supplement
Found in: cheese, milk, lean meat, fish, green vegetables, whole grain foods
Molecular formula: C_{17}H_{20}N_{4}O_{6}
CAS No: 83-88-5
EINECS No: 201-507-1

Physical data

Appearance: yellow-gold powder
Melting point: ca. 290 °C (decomposes)
Boiling point:
Vapour density:
Vapour pressure:
Density (g cm^{-3}):
Flash point:
Explosion limits:
Autoignition temperature:
Water solubility: soluble

Stability

Stable, but light-sensitive. Incompatible with strong oxidizing
agents, reducing agents, bases, calcium, metallic salts. May be moisture sensitive.

**Toxicology**

Not hazardous according to Directive 67/548/EEC.

**Toxicity data**
(The meaning of any abbreviations which appear in this section is given here.)
ORL-RAT LD50 > 10000 mg kg\(^{-1}\)
IPR-RAT LD50 560 mg kg\(^{-1}\)
SCU-RAT LD50 5000 mg kg\(^{-1}\)
IVN-RAT LD50 50 mg kg\(^{-1}\)

**Risk phrases**
(The meaning of any risk phrases which appear in this section is given here.)

**Transport information**

(The meaning of any UN hazard codes which appear in this section is given here.)
Non-hazardous for air, sea and road freight.

**Personal protection**

None.

**Safety phrases**
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