



# Safety Data Sheet

Cat. # RC-054

Glycine

Size: 500g





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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Identification

Product form : Substance  
Substance name : Glycine  
Chemical name : Glycine  
CAS-No. : 56-40-6  
Product code : G043\_115G  
Formula : C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>NO<sub>2</sub>  
Synonyms : acetic acid, amino- / aciport / aminoethanoic acid / E640 / GLY / glycine / glycocoll / glycolixir / glycosthene / gyn-hydralin / hampshire glycine / l-glycine / padil  
BIG No : 10577

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemical  
Chemical raw material  
Animal feeding stuff: additive  
Food industry: additive  
Stabilizer  
Veterinary medicine

#### 1.3. Supplier

Geno Technology, Inc./ G-Biosciences  
9800 Page Avenue  
Saint Louis, 63132-1429 - United States  
T 800-628-7730 - F 314-991-1504  
[technical@GBiosciences.com](mailto:technical@GBiosciences.com) - [www.GBiosciences.com](http://www.GBiosciences.com)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec **1-800-424-9300** (USA/Canada), **+1-703-527-3887** (Intl)

### SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

##### GHS US classification

Not classified

#### 2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

##### GHS US labeling

No labeling applicable

#### 2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

#### 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

### SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

#### 3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

Name	Common Name (Synonyms)	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
Glycine	acetic acid, amino- / aciport / aminoethanoic acid / E640 / GLY / glycine / glycocoll / glycolixir / glycosthene / gyn-hydralin / hampshire glycine / l-glycine / padil	(CAS-No.) 56-40-6		Not classified

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

#### 3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

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### SECTION 4: First-aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove the victim into fresh air. Respiratory problems: consult a doctor/medical service.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Rinse with water. Soap may be used. Do not apply (chemical) neutralizing agents. Take victim to a doctor if irritation persists.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse with water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Do not apply neutralizing agents. Take victim to an ophthalmologist if irritation persists.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Rinse mouth with water. Call Poison Information Centre ( <a href="http://www.big.be/antigif.htm">www.big.be/antigif.htm</a> ). Consult a doctor/medical service if you feel unwell.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms	: Non-toxic if swallowed (LD50 oral, rat > 5000 mg/kg). Not irritant to skin. Not irritant to eyes.
Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: AFTER INHALATION OF DUST/MIST: Coughing.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: No effects known.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: No effects known.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: AFTER INGESTION OF HIGH QUANTITIES: Nausea.
Chronic symptoms	: No effects known.

#### 4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

### SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Quick-acting ABC powder extinguisher. Class A foam extinguisher. Water (quick-acting extinguisher, reel). Water. Class A foam.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	: Quick-acting BC powder extinguisher. Quick-acting CO2 extinguisher.

#### 5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Fire hazard	: DIRECT FIRE HAZARD: Non-flammable. In finely divided state: increased fire hazard. INDIRECT FIRE HAZARD: Heating increases the fire hazard.
Explosion hazard	: DIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD: Fine dust is explosive with air. INDIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD: Dust cloud can be ignited by a spark.

#### 5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Precautionary measures fire	: Exposure to fire/heat: keep upwind. Exposure to fire/heat: consider evacuation. Exposure to fire/heat: have neighbourhood close doors and windows.
Firefighting instructions	: Dilute toxic gases with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water.
Protection during firefighting	: Heat/fire exposure: compressed air/oxygen apparatus.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

##### 6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment	: Gloves. Protective clothing. Dust cloud production: compressed air/oxygen apparatus.
Emergency procedures	: Mark the danger area. Prevent dust cloud formation, e.g. by wetting. No naked flames. Wash contaminated clothes. In case of hazardous reactions: keep upwind. In case of reactivity hazard: consider evacuation.
Measures in case of dust release	: In case of dust production: keep upwind. Dust production: have neighbourhood close doors and windows. In case of dust production: stop engines and no smoking. In case of dust production: no naked flames or sparks. Dust: spark-/explosionproof appliances/lighting equipment.

##### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".
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#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

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

- For containment : Contain released product, pump into suitable containers. Plug the leak, cut off the supply. Knock down/dilute dust cloud with water spray. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over spills.
- Methods for cleaning up : Prevent dust cloud formation. Scoop solid spill into closing containers. Powdered: do not use compressed air for pumping over spills. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water. Wash clothing and equipment after handling.
- Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Avoid raising dust. Keep away from naked flames/heat. In finely divided state: use spark-/explosionproof appliances. Finely divided: keep away from ignition sources/sparks. Carry operations in the open/under local exhaust/ventilation or with respiratory protection. Comply with the legal requirements. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over. Keep container tightly closed.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

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

- Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
- Storage temperature : 0 - 40 °C
- Heat-ignition : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: heat sources. ignition sources.
- Information on mixed storage : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: oxidizing agents. (strong) bases. (strong) acids.
- Storage area : Store in a cool area. Protect against frost. Store in a dry area. Meet the legal requirements.
- Special rules on packaging : SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: closing. correctly labelled. meet the legal requirements. Secure fragile packagings in solid containers.
- Packaging materials : SUITABLE MATERIAL: synthetic material.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Glycine (56-40-6)

No additional information available

### 8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

- Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
- Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

### 8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

#### Materials for protective clothing:

GIVE GOOD RESISTANCE: nitrile rubber

#### Hand protection:

Gloves

#### Eye protection:

Safety glasses. In case of dust production: protective goggles

#### Skin and body protection:

Protective clothing

#### Respiratory protection:

Dust production: dust mask with filter type P1

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### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

Physical state	: Solid
Appearance	: Crystalline solid. Powder.
Color	: White
Odor	: Odourless
Odor threshold	: No data available
pH	: 5.9 - 6.4 (5 %)
Melting point	: Not applicable (decomposes)
Freezing point	: Not applicable
Boiling point	: Not applicable (decomposes)
Flash point	: Not applicable
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1)	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Non flammable.
Vapor pressure	: < 0.01 hPa (25 °C, Calculated)
Relative vapor density at 20 °C	: Not applicable
Relative density	: 1.16 (20 °C)
Specific gravity / density	: 1595 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Molecular mass	: 75.07 g/mol
Solubility	: Soluble in water. Water: 25 g/100ml (25 °C) Ethanol: 0.06 g/100ml
Log Pow	: -3.21 (Experimental value)
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	: >= 233 °C (1013 hPa)
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosion limits	: Not applicable
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidizing properties	: No data available

#### 9.2. Other information

VOC content	: 0 %
Other properties	: Acid reaction.

### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Reacts with chlorine bleach: release of (highly) toxic gases/vapours. Reacts with (strong) oxidizers. Reacts with (strong) bases.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products.

### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified

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Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	7930 - 9550 mg/kg (Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral, 7 day(s))
ATE US (oral)	7930 mg/kg body weight

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified  
pH: 5.9 - 6.4 (5 %)

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified  
pH: 5.9 - 6.4 (5 %)

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Non-toxic if swallowed (LD50 oral, rat > 5000 mg/kg). Not irritant to skin. Not irritant to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : AFTER INHALATION OF DUST/MIST: Coughing.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : No effects known.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : No effects known.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : AFTER INGESTION OF HIGH QUANTITIES: Nausea.

Chronic symptoms : No effects known.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

Ecology - air : Not included in the list of fluorinated greenhouse gases (Regulation (EU) No 517/2014). Photodegradation in the air. Not classified as dangerous for the ozone layer (Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009).

Ecology - water : Slightly harmful to crustacea. Not harmful to fishes. No inhibition of activated sludge. Not harmful to algae. pH shift.

Glycine (56-40-6)	
LC50 fish 1	> 1000 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 203, 96 h, Oryzias latipes, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Nominal concentration)
EC50 Daphnia 1	>= 220 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Semi-static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Glycine (56-40-6)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.86 (5 day(s), Literature study)

### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Glycine (56-40-6)	
BCF fish 1	0.893 l/kg (BCFBAF v3.01, Pisces, QSAR)
Log Pow	-3.21 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

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<b>Glycine (56-40-6)</b>	
Log Koc	0 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, QSAR)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

### 12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods	: Waste treatment methods.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations. Recycle/reuse. Remove to an authorized incinerator equipped with an afterburner and a flue gas scrubber with energy recovery. May be discharged to wastewater treatment installation.
Additional information	: Can be considered as non hazardous waste according to Directive 2008/98/EC, as amended by Regulation (EU) No 1357/2014 and Regulation (EU) No 2017/997.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Other information : No supplementary information available.

### Transportation of Dangerous Goods

#### Transport by sea

Not regulated

#### Air transport

Not regulated

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal regulations

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### 15.2. International regulations

#### CANADA

#### EU-Regulations

#### National regulations

No additional information available

### 15.3. US State regulations

## SECTION 16: Other information

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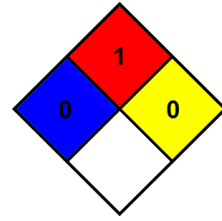
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NFPA health hazard	: 0 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.
NFPA fire hazard	: 1 - Materials that must be preheated before ignition can occur.
NFPA reactivity	: 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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