



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

### Product identifier

**Product Name** Kemamide® W-40

### Other means of identification

**Biogenix Product Code** 10646; 10642; 23223; 10948; 40212; 25172; 25212; 10654; 10649; 10653; 12090; 23399; 10939; 10937; 11265; 10952; 40248; 10940

**SDS Code** KEMW40

**Synonyms** None

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended Use** Chemical intermediate.

**Uses advised against** Consumer use

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

#### **Supplier Address**

PMC Biogenix, Inc.  
1231 Pope Street  
Memphis, TN 38108  
USA

#### **Manufacturer Address**

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Memphis, TN 38108  
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### Emergency telephone number

**Company Phone Number** PMC Biogenix Customer Service: 1-800-641-2152

**24 Hour Emergency Phone Number** CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300

**Emergency Telephone** Biogenix Environmental Health and Safety Department +1-901-320-5820

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

#### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is not considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.122)

Not a dangerous substance or mixture according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS)

### Label elements

#### **Emergency Overview**

#### **Hazard statements**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health

**Appearance** flakes, molten, pellets,  
powder

**Physical state** Solid

**Odor** Slight

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

Dust can form an explosive mixture with air

**Other Information**

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS****Chemical Family** Amide.

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Ethylene bisstearamide	110-30-5	100	*

\* The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret. If CAS number is "proprietary", the specific chemical identity and percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****First aid measures**

**Eye contact** Molten product can cause thermal burns. Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. (Call a physician if irritation persists).

**Skin Contact** Molten product can cause thermal burns. In case of burns, immediately cool affected skin for as long as possible with cold water. Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. (Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.).

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. (Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.).

**Ingestion** Molten product can cause thermal burns. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. (Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.).

**Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed****Symptoms** No information available.**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed****Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.**5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable extinguishing media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire.**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Avoid creating dust. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors. Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses.

**Hazardous combustion products** Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Carbon monoxide. Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>).**Explosion data****Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact** None.**Sensitivity to Static Discharge** None.

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

## 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

**Personal precautions** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Avoid creating dust. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air.

**Environmental precautions**

**Environmental precautions** See Section 12 for additional ecological information. The product is insoluble and floats on water. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water. Prevent product from entering drains.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

**Methods for cleaning up** Use personal protective equipment as required. Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading and keep powder dry. Avoid creating dust. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Where possible allow molten material to solidify naturally.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Precautions for safe handling**

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

**Incompatible materials** Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Control parameters****Exposure Guidelines**

Exposure limits are listed below, if they exist.

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH	PMC OEL
Dust DUST	TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Inhl TWA: 3 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Resp	TWA: 5 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Resp TWA: 15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Total 29CFR1910.1000	-	-

**Appropriate engineering controls**

**Engineering Controls** Showers, Eyewash stations, Ventilation systems.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin and body protection** Heat resistant gloves are recommended when handling molten materials.

**Respiratory protection** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

**General Hygiene Considerations** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing (dust, vapor, mist, gas). Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling. Use personal protective equipment as required.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state</b>	Solid	<b>Odor</b>	Slight
<b>Appearance</b>	flakes, molten, pellets, powder	<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available
<b>Color</b>	white		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	No information available	
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	140 - 147 °C / 248 - 297 °F	
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	260 °C / 500 °F	
<b>Flash point</b>	280 °C / 536 °F	Pensky-Marten closed cup ASTM D 93
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No information available	
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No information available	
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		
<b>Upper flammability limit:</b>	No information available	
<b>Lower flammability limit:</b>	No information available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	1.3 × 10E10 kPa	
<b>Vapor density</b>	No information available	
<b>Specific Gravity</b>	No information available	
<b>Water solubility</b>	Insoluble in water	
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available	
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	Log Kow 13.98 (EPIWIN)	
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No information available	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No information available	
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No information available	
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No information available	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Dust can form an explosive mixture with air	
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available	

### Other Information

<b>Softening point</b>	No information available
<b>Molecular weight</b>	593.03
<b>VOC Content (%)</b>	0
<b>Density</b>	0.89 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>Bulk density</b>	No information available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

<b>Hazardous polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
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### Conditions to avoid

Avoid creating dust. Dust can form an explosive mixture with air. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

### Incompatible materials

Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

### Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Carbon monoxide, Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>).

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Product Information</b>	Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information
<b>Inhalation</b>	Inhalation of dust in high concentration may cause irritation of respiratory system. No known effect based on information supplied.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Dust contact with the eyes can lead to mechanical irritation. Molten product can cause thermal burns.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	Molten product can cause thermal burns.
<b>Ingestion</b>	No data available.

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Ethylene bisstearamide	> 5000 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	

### Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** No information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

<b>Sensitization</b>	No information available.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	This product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.

### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document .

<b>ATEmix (oral)</b>	15381 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (dermal)</b>	20000 mg/kg

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

0% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Ethylene bisstearamide 110-30-5		>1000 mg/l: LC50 (rainbow trout; 96h) > 300 mg/l: LC50 (medaka-48h)		140 mg/l: EC50 (Daphnia magna-48h)

**Persistence and degradability**  
NOT READILY BIODEGRADABLE.

**Bioaccumulation**  
Not Likely.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient

Ethylene bisstearamide 110-30-5	13.98
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**Other adverse effects** No information available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### Waste treatment methods

**Disposal of wastes** Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse container. Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT** Not regulated

**TDG** Not regulated

**IATA** Not regulated.  
**Proper shipping name** Not regulated

**IMDG** Not regulated

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists**

The classification and labeling information in this Safety Data Sheet should be viewed as provisional.

#### International Inventories

<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Complies
<b>TSCA</b>	Complies
<b>AICS</b>	Complies
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Complies
<b>ENCS</b>	Complies
<b>KECL</b>	Complies
<b>PICCS</b>	Complies
<b>IECSC</b>	Complies
<b>NZIoC</b>	Complies

#### Legend:

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

#### US Federal Regulations

**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). Any Substance regulated Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372 is listed below, if it exists.

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Acute health hazard	No
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

Any Substance regulated as a pollutant pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42) is listed below, if it exists.

**CERCLA**

Any Substance regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) is listed below, if it exists.

**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations****U.S. EPA Label Information**

EPA Pesticide Registration Number Not Applicable

<b>16. OTHER INFORMATION</b>
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<b>NFPA</b>	Health hazards 1	Flammability 1	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties -
<b>HMIS</b>	Health hazards 1	Flammability 1	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection X

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