



Safety Data Sheet

European Format

Synvisc

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

Product Name Synvisc
Common Name Not available
Chemical Name Not applicable
Synonyms HYLAN G-F 20, Hyaluronic acid, WABPB400
Product Use Pharmaceutical product
Classification Cartilaginous Defect Repair Agent

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2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Common Name	CAS-No	EC No.	Composition	Classification
Hylan Polymers (HYLAN A & HYLAN B)	None Assigned	Not assigned	0.8 %	None assigned
Water	7732-18-5	231-791-2	99.2 %	None assigned

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

This contains an active pharmaceutical ingredient that can affect body functions; handle with caution.

Appearance Pharmaceutical Liquid

Physical State Liquid

Odor Not available

Potential Physical Hazards

None known

Potential Health Effects

Eyes May cause eye irritation
Skin None known
Inhalation None known
Ingestion None known
Therapeutic Target Organ(s) Musculoskeletal system

Not listed by OSHA, NTP or IARC.

Potential Environmental Effects

There is no known ecological information for this product.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Eye Contact	In the case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water for 15 minutes and seek medical advice.
Skin Contact	Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.
Inhalation	Move to fresh air. Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Ingestion	If symptoms persist, call a physician. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable Properties	None known
Extinguishing Media	
Suitable Extinguishing Media	Use water spray, foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	Do NOT use water jet.
Fire Fighting	Evacuate area and fight fire from a safe distance. Cool closed containers exposed to fire with water spray. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.
Hazardous Combustion Products	Carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides.
Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters	In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus and special protective equipment for fire fighters.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Precautions	Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.
Environmental Precautions	Prevent product from entering drains. Local authorities should be advised if a significant spill cannot be contained.
Methods for Containment	Not available
Methods for Cleaning up	Take up mechanically and collect in suitable container for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling	For personal protection see Section 8. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Skin should be washed after contact. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.
Storage	No special safety precautions required. Keep container tightly closed.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Risk Based Exposure Control Classification	1
Engineering Controls	Apply technical measures to comply with the occupational exposure guideline. Local exhaust ventilation is needed for limited open handling or where aerosols may be generated.
Personal Protective Equipment	
Eye/face Protection	Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Provide eye protection based on a risk assessment.
Skin Protection	For prolonged or repeated exposure use protective gloves. No special protective clothing required under typical conditions of use.
Respiratory Protection	No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required.
General Hygiene Considerations	When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. General industrial hygiene practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.
Other	Limit access to only personnel trained in the safe handling of this material. Consult a health and safety professional for specific PPE, respirator, and risk assessment guidance.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance	Pharmaceutical Liquid	Physical State	Liquid
Color	Not available	Odor	Not available
Odor Threshold	Not available		
pH	6.9-7.5		
Specific Gravity	1.0	Water Solubility	Soluble
Solubility	Not applicable	Evaporation Rate	1
Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)	Not available	Vapor Pressure	17.5 mmHg @20 C
Boiling Point	100°C	Autoignition Temperature	Not applicable
Flash Point	Not applicable	Melting Point	Not applicable
Flammability Limits in Air	Upper Not applicable	Lower Not applicable	
Explosion Limits	Upper Not applicable	Lower Not applicable	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability	Stable at room temperature.
Conditions to Avoid	No data available
Materials to Avoid	No materials to be especially mentioned.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	None under normal use.
Possibility of Hazardous Reactions	None under normal use.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The following effects are based on the Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient.

Acute Toxicity

Multiple Dose ToxicityMaximum Tolerated Dose (MTD), Oral**12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Chemical Fate Information Not availableEcotoxicity Not available**13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Waste Disposal Method Dispose of in accordance with local and national regulations.**14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**Transport Information This material is not classified as hazardous for transport.**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

According to present data no classification and labeling is required according to Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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