Material Safety Data Sheet
L-Thyroxine, sodium salt MSDS

Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

**Product Name:** L-Thyroxine, sodium salt  
**Catalog Codes:** SLT3193, SLT2473  
**CAS #:** 6106-07-6  
**RTECS:** YP2833760  
**TSCA:** TSCA 8(b) inventory: No products were found.  
**CI#:** Not available.  
**Synonym:** Levothyroxine, sodium, B.P.; Sodium L-Thyroxine; Sodium L-Thyroxine pentahydrate; L-Tyrosine, O-(4-hydroxy-3,5-diiodophenyl)-3,5-diido-, sodium salt, pentahydrate  
**Chemical Name:** L-Thyroxine, sodium salt  
**Chemical Formula:** C15-H10-N-Na-O4.5H2O  
**Contact Information:**  
Sciencelab.com, Inc.  
14025 Smith Rd.  
Houston, Texas 77396  
US Sales: 1-800-901-7247  
International Sales: 1-281-441-4400  
Order Online: ScienceLab.com  
CHEMTREC (24HR Emergency Telephone), call: 1-800-424-9300  
International CHEMTREC, call: 1-703-527-3887  
For non-emergency assistance, call: 1-281-441-4400

Section 2: Composition and Information on Ingredients

**Composition:**

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**Toxicological Data on Ingredients:** L-Thyroxine, sodium salt LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.

Section 3: Hazards Identification

**Potential Acute Health Effects:** Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation.

**Potential Chronic Health Effects:**
CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

Section 4: First Aid Measures

**Eye Contact:**
Check for and remove any contact lenses. In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
Skin Contact:
In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.

Serious Skin Contact:
Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek medical attention.

Inhalation:
If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.

Serious Inhalation: Not available.

Ingestion:
Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband.

Serious Ingestion: Not available.

Section 5: Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product: May be combustible at high temperature.

Auto-Ignition Temperature: Not available.

Flash Points: Not available.

Flammable Limits: Not available.

Products of Combustion: These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO2), nitrogen oxides (NO, NO2...). Some metallic oxides.

Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:
Slightly flammable to flammable in presence of open flames and sparks, of heat. Non-flammable in presence of shocks.

Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances:
Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.

Fire Fighting Media and Instructions:
SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.

Special Remarks on Fire Hazards: Not available.

Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards: Not available.

Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill:
Use appropriate tools to put the spilled solid in a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and dispose of according to local and regional authority requirements.

Large Spill:
Use a shovel to put the material into a convenient waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow to evacuate through the sanitary system.

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Precautions:
Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Empty containers pose a fire risk, evaporate the residue under a fume hood. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not breathe dust. Wear suitable protective clothing. In case of
insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If you feel unwell, seek medical attention and show the label when possible. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

**Storage:**

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### Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

**Engineering Controls:**
Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If user operations generate dust, fume or mist, use ventilation to keep exposure to airborne contaminants below the exposure limit.

**Personal Protection:**
Splash goggles. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Gloves.

**Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill:**
Splash goggles. Full suit. Dust respirator. Boots. Gloves. A self contained breathing apparatus should be used to avoid inhalation of the product. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.

**Exposure Limits:** Not available.

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### Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

**Physical state and appearance:** Solid. (crystalline powder.)

**Odor:** Odorless.

**Taste:** Not available.

**Molecular Weight:** 888.94g/mole

**Color:** Off-white.

**pH (1% soln/water):** Not available.

**Boiling Point:** Not available.

**Melting Point:** Not available.

**Critical Temperature:** Not available.

**Specific Gravity:** Not available.

**Vapor Pressure:** Not applicable.

**Vapor Density:** Not available.

**Volutility:** Not available.

**Odor Threshold:** Not available.

**Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.:** Not available.

**Ionicity (in Water):** Not available.

**Dispersion Properties:** Not available.

**Solubility:** Not available.

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### Section 10: Stability and Reactivity Data
### Section 11: Toxicological Information

**Routes of Entry:** Inhalation. Ingestion.

**Toxicity to Animals:**
LD50: Not available. LC50: Not available.

**Chronic Effects on Humans:** Not available.

**Other Toxic Effects on Humans:** Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of ingestion, of inhalation.

**Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals:** Not available.

**Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans:**
May cause adverse reproductive effects (Maternal effects on fertility, fetotoxicity) and birth defects based on animal data.

**Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans:**
Acute Potential Health Effects; Skin: May cause skin irritation. Eyes: May cause eye irritation by mechanical action. Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation. Ingestion: May cause digestive tract irritation. May affect metabolism, thyroid, urinary system, behavior (excitement, headache, coma), cardiovascular system (increased pulse rate),

### Section 12: Ecological Information

**Ecotoxicity:** Not available.

**BOD5 and COD:** Not available.

**Products of Biodegradation:**
Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.

**Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation:** The product itself and its products of degradation are not toxic.

**Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation:** Not available.

### Section 13: Disposal Considerations

**Waste Disposal:**
Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

### Section 14: Transport Information

**DOT Classification:** Not a DOT controlled material (United States).

**Identification:** Not applicable.
Special Provisions for Transport: Not applicable.

Section 15: Other Regulatory Information

**Federal and State Regulations:** No products were found.

**Other Regulations:** Not available.

**Other Classifications:**

**WHMIS (Canada):** Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).

**DSCL (EEC):**
R36/38- Irritating to eyes and skin. S2- Keep out of the reach of children. S46- If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

**HMIS (U.S.A.):**
- Health Hazard: 2
- Fire Hazard: 1
- Reactivity: 0
- Personal Protection: E

**National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.):**
- Health: 2
- Flammability: 1
- Reactivity: 0
- Specific hazard:

**Protective Equipment:**
Gloves. Lab coat. Dust respirator. Be sure to use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Splash goggles.

Section 16: Other Information

**References:** Not available.

**Other Special Considerations:** Not available.

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