

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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

### Product Identifier

**Material Name:** Ceftiofur Hydrochloride Sterile Suspension (EZ)

**Trade Name:** EXCENEL®  
**Synonyms:** EXCENEL® RTU EZ Sterile Suspension; EXCENEL® RTU EZ; EXCENEL® Flow; EXCENEL® Fluid suspension; EXCENEL® Fluid; EXCENEL® Evo

**Chemical Family:** Cephalosporin; beta lactam

**Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against Intended Use:** Veterinary product used as antibiotic agent

### Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**Appearance:** Opaque suspension

### Classification of the Substance or Mixture

#### GHS - Classification

Respiratory Sensitization: Category 1  
Skin Sensitization: Category 1

#### EU Classification:

EU Indication of danger: Harmful

EU Symbol: Xn

EU Risk Phrases:  
R42/43 - May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.

### Label Elements

**Signal Word:** Danger

**Hazard Statements:** H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

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**Precautionary Statements:**

- P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
- P285 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection
- P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace
- P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P342 + P311 - If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician
- P302+ P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water
- P333 + P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention
- P362 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse
- P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with all local and national regulations



**Other Hazards**

**Short Term:**

**Known Clinical Effects:**

May cause eye irritation, skin irritation (based on components) .  
Individuals who are sensitive to beta lactam antibiotics, both penicillins and cephalosporins, may experience contact or systemic hypersensitivity and anaphylaxis upon exposure to this drug.

**Australian Hazard Classification (NOHSC):**

Hazardous Substance. Non-Dangerous Goods.

**Note:**

This document has been prepared in accordance with standards for workplace safety, which requires the inclusion of all known hazards of the product or its ingredients regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warning included may not apply in all cases. Your needs may vary depending upon the potential for exposure in your workplace.

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Hazardous**

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
Ceftiofur Hydrochloride	103980-44-5	Not Listed	Xn; R42/43	Resp. Sens. 1 (H334) Skin Sens. 1 (H317)	6.11

Ingredient	CAS Number	EU EINECS/ELINCS List	EU Classification	GHS Classification	%
Miglyol 812	123465-33-8	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Polysorbate 80	9005-65-6	Not Listed	Not Listed	Not Listed	*
Water for Injection	7732-18-5	231-791-2	Not Listed	Not Listed	*

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**Additional Information:** \* Proprietary  
Ingredient(s) indicated as hazardous have been assessed under standards for workplace safety.

For the full text of the R phrases and CLP/GHS abbreviations mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### Description of First Aid Measures

**Eye Contact:** Flush with water while holding eyelids open for at least 15 minutes. Seek medical attention immediately.

**Skin Contact:** Remove contaminated clothing. Flush area with large amounts of water. Use soap. Seek medical attention. Delayed effects may occur. For information on potential delayed effects, see Section 2 - Hazards Identification and/or Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

**Ingestion:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed by medical personnel. Seek medical attention immediately.

**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep patient at rest. Seek medical attention immediately.

#### Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Both Acute and Delayed

**Symptoms and Effects of Exposure:** For information on potential signs and symptoms of exposure, See Section 2 - Hazards Identification and/or Section 11 - Toxicological Information.

**Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure:** Individuals with a history of hypersensitivity to this material or other materials in its chemical class, individuals with other allergic conditions or diseases (asthma, eczema, etc.).

#### Indication of the Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

**Notes to Physician:** None

### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

**Extinguishing Media:** Extinguish fires with CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder, foam, or water.

#### Special Hazards Arising from the Substance or Mixture

**Hazardous Combustion Products:** Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or fire.

**Fire / Explosion Hazards:** Fine particles (such as dust and mists) may fuel fires/explosions.

#### Advice for Fire-Fighters

During all fire fighting activities, wear appropriate protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personnel involved in clean-up should wear appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Minimize exposure.

#### Environmental Precautions

Place waste in an appropriately labeled, sealed container for disposal. Care should be taken to avoid environmental release.

#### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

**Measures for Cleaning / Collecting:** Contain the source of spill if it is safe to do so. Collect spill with absorbent material. Clean spill area thoroughly.

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**Additional Consideration for Large Spills:** Non-essential personnel should be evacuated from affected area. Report emergency situations immediately. Clean up operations should only be undertaken by trained personnel.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### Precautions for Safe Handling

Use with adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapor or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid accidental injection. When handling, use appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Wash thoroughly after handling. Releases to the environment should be avoided. Review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure or environmental releases. Potential points of process emissions of this material to the atmosphere should be controlled with dust collectors, HEPA filtration systems or other equivalent controls.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions:** Store at controlled room temperature. Protect from freezing.

**Storage Temperature:** 20-25°C

**Incompatible Materials:** No data available

**Specific end use(s):** Veterinary antibiotic agent

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### Control Parameters

Refer to available public information for specific member state Occupational Exposure Limits.

#### Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

Zoetis OEL TWA 8-hr

200 µg/m<sup>3</sup>, Sensitizer

#### Exposure Controls

**Engineering Controls:** Engineering controls should be used as the primary means to control exposures. Keep airborne contamination levels below the exposure limits listed above in this section.

**Personal Protective Equipment:** Refer to applicable national standards and regulations in the selection and use of personal protective equipment (PPE).

**Hands:** Impervious gloves are recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

**Eyes:** Wear safety glasses or goggles if eye contact is possible.

**Skin:** Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations.

**Respiratory protection:** If the applicable Occupational Exposure Limit (OEL) is exceeded, wear an appropriate respirator with a protection factor sufficient to control exposures to below the OEL.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State:</b>	Suspension	<b>Color:</b>	Opaque
<b>Odor:</b>	No data available.	<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	No data available.
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	Mixture	<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	Mixture
<b>Solvent Solubility:</b>	No data available		
<b>Water Solubility:</b>	No data available		
<b>pH:</b>	No data available.		
<b>Melting/Freezing Point (°C):</b>	No data available		
<b>Boiling Point (°C):</b>	No data available.		
<b>Partition Coefficient: (Method, pH, Endpoint, Value)</b>			
No data available			

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### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Decomposition Temperature (°C): No data available.

Evaporation Rate (Gram/s): No data available

Vapor Pressure (kPa): No data available

Vapor Density (g/ml): No data available

Relative Density: No data available

Viscosity: No data available

#### Flammability:

Autoignition Temperature (Solid) (°C): No data available

Flammability (Solids): No data available

Flash Point (Liquid) (°C): No data available

Upper Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

Lower Explosive Limits (Liquid) (% by Vol.): No data available

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical Stability: Stable under normal conditions of use.

#### Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Oxidizing Properties: No data available

Conditions to Avoid: Do not freeze

Incompatible Materials: No data available

Hazardous Decomposition Products: No data available

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on Toxicological Effects

**General Information:** Toxicological properties of the formulation have not been fully investigated. The following information is available for the individual ingredients.

#### Acute Toxicity: (Species, Route, End Point, Dose)

##### Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

Rat Oral LD 50 >7760 mg/kg

Rat Sub-tenon injection (eye) LD 50 927mg/kg

Rat Inhalation LC 50 >8.3mg/L

##### Polysorbate 80

Rat Intravenous LD 50 1790 mg/kg

Mouse Oral LD 50 25g/kg

**Acute Toxicity Comments:** A greater than symbol (>) indicates that the toxicity endpoint being tested was not achievable at the highest dose used in the test.

#### Irritation / Sensitization: (Study Type, Species, Severity)

##### Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

Eye Irritation Rabbit Minimal

Skin Irritation Rabbit Minimal

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### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Repeated Dose Toxicity: (Duration, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Target Organ)

##### **Ceftiofur Hydrochloride**

90 Day(s) Dog Oral 30 mg/kg/day NOEL Blood forming organs

#### Reproduction & Developmental Toxicity: (Study Type, Species, Route, Dose, End Point, Effect(s))

##### **Ceftiofur Hydrochloride**

2 Generation Reproductive Toxicity Rat Oral 1000 mg/kg/day NOEL Fetotoxicity  
Embryo / Fetal Development Rat Oral 3200 mg/kg/day NOAEL Not Teratogenic

#### Genetic Toxicity: (Study Type, Cell Type/Organism, Result)

##### **Ceftiofur Hydrochloride**

Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames) *Salmonella*, *E. coli* Negative  
Unscheduled DNA Synthesis Rat Negative  
Mammalian Cell Mutagenicity Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) cells Negative

#### Carcinogen Status:

None of the components of this formulation are listed as a carcinogen by IARC, NTP or OSHA.

### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Environmental Overview:**

Environmental properties have not been investigated. Releases to the environment should be avoided.

#### **Toxicity:**

No data available

#### **Persistence and Degradability:**

No data available

#### **Bio-accumulative Potential:**

No data available

#### **Mobility in Soil:**

No data available

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

#### **Waste Treatment Methods:**

Dispose of waste in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Member State specific and Community specific provisions must be considered. Considering the relevant known environmental and human health hazards of the material, review and implement appropriate technical and procedural waste water and waste disposal measures to prevent occupational exposure and environmental release. It is recommended that waste minimization be practiced. The best available technology should be utilized to prevent environmental releases. This may include destructive techniques for waste and wastewater.

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### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The following refers to all modes of transportation unless specified below.

Not regulated for transport under USDOT, EUADR, IATA, or IMDG regulations.

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

#### Canada - WHMIS: Classifications

##### WHMIS hazard class:

Class D, Division 2, Subdivision A

Class D, Division 2, Subdivision B

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the CPR and the SDS contains all of the information required by the CPR.



#### Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting Not Listed

California Proposition 65 Not Listed

EU EINECS/ELINCS List Not Listed

#### Miglyol 812

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting Not Listed

California Proposition 65 Not Listed

Australia (AICS): Present

EU EINECS/ELINCS List Not Listed

#### Polysorbate 80

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting Not Listed

California Proposition 65 Not Listed

Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b) Present

Australia (AICS): Present

EU EINECS/ELINCS List Not Listed

#### Water for Injection

CERCLA/SARA 313 Emission reporting Not Listed

California Proposition 65 Not Listed

Inventory - United States TSCA - Sect. 8(b) Present

Australia (AICS): Present

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### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

REACH - Annex IV - Exemptions from the obligations of Register:	Present
EU EINECS/ELINCS List	231-791-2

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

#### Text of R phrases and GHS Classification abbreviations mentioned in Section 3

Sensitization, respiratory-Cat.1; H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled  
Sensitization, skin-Cat.1; H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction

Xn - Harmful

R42/43 - May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.

**Data Sources:** The data contained in this SDS may have been gathered from confidential internal sources, raw material suppliers, or from the published literature.

**Reasons for Revision:** Updated Section 1 - Identification of the Substance/Preparation and the Company/Undertaking.  
Updated Section 7 - Handling and Storage.

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