



## Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Product identifier

3M(TM) C. diff Solution Tablets

#### Product Identification Numbers

61-0000-6427-1, 61-0000-6428-9, 70-0716-6002-4, 70-0716-6005-7, 70-0716-6106-3, 70-0716-6107-1, 75-0400-5185-8, 7100141038, 7100141032, 7100153237, 7100153238, 7100141025, 7100141036, 7100192638

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

##### Recommended use

Disinfectant, EPA registered, tablet(s) to be dissolved in water to create a hospital-use disinfectant solution capable of killing C. diff. Tablets come in sizes of 3.3 and 13.1 grams. Please see specific product label for the dilution chart and product use instructions.

#### 1.3. Supplier's details

**MANUFACTURER:** 3M  
**DIVISION:** Commercial Solutions Division  
**ADDRESS:** 3M Center, St. Paul, MN 55144-1000, USA  
**Telephone:** 1-888-3M HELPS (1-888-364-3577)

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

1-800-364-3577 or (651) 737-6501 (24 hours)

### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

#### 2.1. Hazard classification

Acute Toxicity (oral): Category 4.

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation: Category 1.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (single exposure): Category 3.

#### 2.2. Label elements

##### Signal word

Danger

##### Symbols

Corrosion | Exclamation mark |

**Pictograms****Hazard Statements**

Harmful if swallowed.  
Causes serious eye damage.  
May cause respiratory irritation.

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention:**

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
Wear eye/face protection.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Wash thoroughly after handling.

**Response:**

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.  
IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.  
Rinse mouth.  
IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.  
IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

**Storage:**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
Store locked up.

**Disposal:**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with applicable local/regional/national/international regulations.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

| Ingredient                  | C.A.S. No. | % by Wt                |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------------------|
| Adipic Acid                 | 124-04-9   | 35 - 40 Trade Secret * |
| SODIUM CARBONATE            | 497-19-8   | 10 - 15 Trade Secret * |
| SODIUM DICHLOROISOCYANURATE | 2893-78-9  | 48.21                  |

\*The specific chemical identity and/or exact percentage (concentration) of this composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

**4.1. Description of first aid measures****Inhalation:**

Remove person to fresh air. If you feel unwell, get medical attention.

**Skin Contact:**

Wash with soap and water. If you are concerned, get medical advice.

**Eye Contact:**

Immediately flush with large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses if easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately get medical attention.

**If Swallowed:**

Rinse mouth. If you feel unwell, get medical attention.

**4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed**

See Section 11.1. Information on toxicological effects.

**4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment required**

Not applicable.

**SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

**5.1. Suitable extinguishing media**

In case of fire: Use a fire fighting agent suitable for ordinary combustible material such as water or foam to extinguish.

**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

None inherent in this product.

**5.3. Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Wear full protective clothing, including helmet, self-contained, positive pressure or pressure demand breathing apparatus, bunker coat and pants, bands around arms, waist and legs, face mask, and protective covering for exposed areas of the head.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

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

Evacuate area. Ventilate the area with fresh air. For large spill, or spills in confined spaces, provide mechanical ventilation to disperse or exhaust vapors, in accordance with good industrial hygiene practice. Refer to other sections of this SDS for information regarding physical and health hazards, respiratory protection, ventilation, and personal protective equipment.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

Avoid release to the environment.

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

Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Use wet sweeping compound or water to avoid dusting. Sweep up. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Clean up residue. Seal the container. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible in accordance with applicable local/regional/national/international regulations.

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

**7.1. Precautions for safe handling**

For industrial/occupational use only. Not for consumer sale or use. Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Avoid contact with oxidizing agents (eg. chlorine, chromic acid etc.)

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store away from heat. Store away from oxidizing agents.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1. Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in the table below, an occupational exposure limit is not available for the component.

| Ingredient  | C.A.S. No. | Agency | Limit type  | Additional Comments |
|-------------|------------|--------|-------------|---------------------|
| Adipic Acid | 124-04-9   | ACGIH  | TWA:5 mg/m3 |                     |

ACGIH : American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

AIHA : American Industrial Hygiene Association

CMRG : Chemical Manufacturer's Recommended Guidelines

OSHA : United States Department of Labor - Occupational Safety and Health Administration

TWA: Time-Weighted-Average

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

CEIL: Ceiling

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Engineering controls

Use general dilution ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation to control airborne exposures to below relevant Exposure Limits and/or control dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray. If ventilation is not adequate, use respiratory protection equipment.

#### 8.2.2. Personal protective equipment (PPE)

##### Eye/face protection

Select and use eye/face protection to prevent contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. The following eye/face protection(s) are recommended:

Full Face Shield

Indirect Vented Goggles

##### Skin/hand protection

Select and use gloves and/or protective clothing approved to relevant local standards to prevent skin contact based on the results of an exposure assessment. Selection should be based on use factors such as exposure levels, concentration of the substance or mixture, frequency and duration, physical challenges such as temperature extremes, and other use conditions. Consult with your glove and/or protective clothing manufacturer for selection of appropriate compatible gloves/protective clothing.

Gloves made from the following material(s) are recommended: Nitrile Rubber

##### Respiratory protection

An exposure assessment may be needed to decide if a respirator is required. If a respirator is needed, use respirators as part of a full respiratory protection program. Based on the results of the exposure assessment, select from the following respirator type(s) to reduce inhalation exposure:

Half facepiece or full facepiece air-purifying respirator suitable for organic vapors and particulates

For questions about suitability for a specific application, consult with your respirator manufacturer.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

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

|                         |                              |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|
| General Physical Form:  | Solid                        |
| Specific Physical Form: | Pellets - Dissolving Tablets |
| Odor, Color, Grade:     | White                        |

|                                         |                   |
|-----------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Odor threshold                          | No Data Available |
| pH                                      | 5.5 - 6.5         |
| Melting point                           | No Data Available |
| Boiling Point                           | No Data Available |
| Flash Point                             | No flash point    |
| Evaporation rate                        | Not Applicable    |
| Flammability (solid, gas)               | Not Classified    |
| Flammable Limits(LEL)                   | No Data Available |
| Flammable Limits(UEL)                   | No Data Available |
| Vapor Pressure                          | Not Applicable    |
| Vapor Density                           | Not Applicable    |
| Density                                 | 1.005 g/cm3       |
| Specific Gravity                        | No Data Available |
| Solubility In Water                     | 100 %             |
| Solubility- non-water                   | No Data Available |
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| Partition coefficient: n-octanol/ water | No Data Available |
| Autoignition temperature                | No Data Available |
| Decomposition temperature               | No Data Available |
| Viscosity                               | Not Applicable    |

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1. Reactivity

This material may be reactive with certain agents under certain conditions - see the remaining headings in this section.

### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable.

### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat

### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

#### Substance

None known.

#### Condition

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, toxicological data on ingredients may not be reflected in the material classification and/or the signs and symptoms of exposure, because an ingredient may be present below the threshold for labeling, an ingredient may not be available for exposure, or the data may not be relevant to the material as a whole.

### 11.1. Information on Toxicological effects

**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure**

Based on test data and/or information on the components, this material may produce the following health effects:

**Inhalation:**

Respiratory Tract Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

**Skin Contact:**

Contact with the skin during product use is not expected to result in significant irritation.

**Eye Contact:**

Corrosive (Eye Burns): Signs/symptoms may include cloudy appearance of the cornea, chemical burns, severe pain, tearing, ulcerations, significantly impaired vision or complete loss of vision.

**Ingestion:**

Harmful if swallowed. Gastrointestinal Irritation: Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, stomach upset, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

**Toxicological Data**

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in a table below, either no data are available for that endpoint or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Acute Toxicity**

| Name                        | Route                          | Species | Value                                               |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Overall product             | Dermal                         |         | No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg      |
| Overall product             | Ingestion                      |         | No data available; calculated ATE 300 - 2,000 mg/kg |
| SODIUM DICHLOROISOCYANURATE | Dermal                         |         | estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg                       |
| SODIUM DICHLOROISOCYANURATE | Inhalation-Dust/Mist           |         | estimated to be > 12.5 mg/l                         |
| SODIUM DICHLOROISOCYANURATE | Ingestion                      |         | estimated to be 300 - 2,000 mg/kg                   |
| Adipic Acid                 | Dermal                         | Rabbit  | LD50 > 7,940 mg/kg                                  |
| Adipic Acid                 | Inhalation-Dust/Mist (4 hours) | Rat     | LC50 > 7.7 mg/l                                     |
| Adipic Acid                 | Ingestion                      | Rat     | LD50 5,560 mg/kg                                    |
| SODIUM CARBONATE            | Dermal                         | Rabbit  | LD50 > 2,000 mg/kg                                  |
| SODIUM CARBONATE            | Ingestion                      | Rat     | LD50 2,800 mg/kg                                    |

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

**Skin Corrosion/Irritation**

| Name             | Species | Value                     |
|------------------|---------|---------------------------|
| Adipic Acid      | Rabbit  | No significant irritation |
| SODIUM CARBONATE | Rabbit  | No significant irritation |

**Serious Eye Damage/Irritation**

| Name             | Species | Value     |
|------------------|---------|-----------|
| Adipic Acid      | Rabbit  | Corrosive |
| SODIUM CARBONATE | Rabbit  | Corrosive |

**Skin Sensitization**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Respiratory Sensitization**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Germ Cell Mutagenicity**

| Name             | Route    | Value         |
|------------------|----------|---------------|
| SODIUM CARBONATE | In Vitro | Not mutagenic |

**Carcinogenicity**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Reproductive Toxicity****Reproductive and/or Developmental Effects**

| Name             | Route     | Value                          | Species | Test Result         | Exposure Duration    |
|------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|---------|---------------------|----------------------|
| SODIUM CARBONATE | Ingestion | Not classified for development | Mouse   | NOAEL 340 mg/kg/day | during organogenesis |

**Target Organ(s)****Specific Target Organ Toxicity - single exposure**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure**

| Name             | Route      | Target Organ(s)    | Value          | Species | Test Result     | Exposure Duration |
|------------------|------------|--------------------|----------------|---------|-----------------|-------------------|
| SODIUM CARBONATE | Inhalation | respiratory system | Not classified | Rat     | LOAEL 0.07 mg/l | 3 months          |

**Aspiration Hazard**

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

**Please contact the address or phone number listed on the first page of the SDS for additional toxicological information on this material and/or its components.**

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****Ecotoxicological information**

Please contact the address or phone number listed on the first page of the SDS for additional ecotoxicological information on this material and/or its components.

**Chemical fate information**

Please contact the address or phone number listed on the first page of the SDS for additional chemical fate information on this material and/or its components.

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1. Disposal methods**

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations.

Dispose of waste product in a permitted industrial waste facility. As a disposal alternative, incinerate in a permitted waste incineration facility. Proper destruction may require the use of additional fuel during incineration processes. Empty drums/barrels/containers used for transporting and handling hazardous chemicals (chemical substances/mixtures/preparations classified as Hazardous as per applicable regulations) shall be considered, stored, treated & disposed of as hazardous wastes unless otherwise defined by applicable waste regulations. Consult with the respective regulating authorities to determine the

available treatment and disposal facilities.

EPA Hazardous Waste Number (RCRA): Not regulated

## SECTION 14: Transport Information

For Transport Information, please visit <http://3M.com/Transportinfo> or call 1-800-364-3577 or 651-737-6501.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

### 15.1. US Federal Regulations

Contact 3M for more information.

#### EPCRA 311/312 Hazard Classifications:

##### Physical Hazards

Not applicable

##### Health Hazards

Acute toxicity

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

#### FIFRA

##### Status

Registered

##### Registration Number

71847-6

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the United States Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets (SDS), and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. The hazard information required on the pesticide label is reproduced below. The pesticide label also includes other important information, including directions for use.

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#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

##### HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

##### DANGER

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through skin.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wear chemical-resistant gloves and safety glasses or face shield when making up solution. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling, and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

##### FIRST AID

IF IN EYES: Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call poison control center or your doctor for treatment advice. IF

SWALLOWED: Call a poison control center, or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an

ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further advice. IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage and disposal.

#### PESTICIDE STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area at a temperatures below 40°C/104°F. Avoid moisture getting into container

#### PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide may be acutely hazardous. Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on-site, or at an approved waste disposal facility.

#### CONTAINER HANDLING

Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill.

#### PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

**STRONG OXIDIZING AGENT:** Use only clean dry utensils. Mix only into water. Contamination with moisture, dirt, organic matter or other chemicals (including other chemicals) or any other foreign matter may start a chemical reaction with generation of heat, liberation of hazardous gases and possible generation of fire and explosion. Avoid any contact with flaming or burning material such as a lighted cigarette. Do not use this product in any chlorinating device which has been used with any inorganic or unstabilized chlorinating compounds (e.g., calcium hypochlorite). Such use may cause fire or explosion.

#### 15.2. State Regulations

Contact 3M for more information.

#### 15.3. Chemical Inventories

Contact 3M for more information.

#### 15.4. International Regulations

Contact 3M for more information.

**This SDS has been prepared to meet the U.S. OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.**

## SECTION 16: Other information

#### NFPA Hazard Classification

**Health: 3 Flammability: 1 Instability: 0 Special Hazards: None**

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) hazard ratings are designed for use by emergency response personnel to address the hazards that are presented by short-term, acute exposure to a material under conditions of fire, spill, or similar emergencies. Hazard ratings are primarily based on the inherent physical and toxic properties of the material but also include the toxic properties of combustion or decomposition products that are known to be generated in significant quantities.

#### HMIS Hazard Classification

**Health: 3 Flammability: 1 Physical Hazard: 0 Personal Protection: X - See PPE section.**

Hazardous Material Identification System (HMIS® IV) hazard ratings are designed to inform employees of chemical hazards in the workplace. These ratings are based on the inherent properties of the material under expected conditions of normal use and are not intended for use in emergency situations. HMIS® IV ratings are to be used with a fully implemented HMIS® IV program. HMIS® is a registered mark of the American Coatings Association (ACA).

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