

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifiers

<b>Product Number:</b>	G0043
<b>Product name:</b>	4-Aminobutanoic acid
<b>CAS Registry Nr:</b>	56-12-2

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances.

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

<b>Company:</b>	Chemodex AG
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	Switzerland
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### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

<b>Tox Info Suisse:</b>	145 or +41 44 251 51 51
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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

### 2.2 Label elements

No hazard pictogram  
no signal word  
no hazard statement(s)

no precautionary statement(s) required.

### 2.3 Other hazards

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### Ecological information:

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

#### Toxicological information:

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

<b>Synonyms:</b>	gam.-Aminobutyric acid 4-Aminobutanoic acid GABA Piperidic acid Piperidinic acid
<b>Mol. Formula:</b>	C4H9NO2
<b>Mol. Weight:</b>	103.12 g/mol
<b>CAS Registry No.:</b>	56-12-2
<b>EC-No.:</b>	200-258-6

No components need to be disclosed according to the applicable regulations.

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

<b>General advice</b>
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
<b>If inhaled</b>
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
<b>In case of skin contact</b>
Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.
<b>In case of eye contact</b>
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.
<b>If swallowed</b>
Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

#### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

#### 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

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### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) Dry powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>)

Combustible.

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

#### 5.4 Further information

Suppress (knock down) gases/vapours/mists with a water spray jet. Prevent fire extinguishing water from contaminating surface water or the ground water system.

No data available

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### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas.

Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. For personal protection see section 8.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Cover drains. Collect, bind, and pump off spills. Observe possible material restrictions (see sections 7 and 10). Take up dry. Dispose of properly. Clean up affected area. Avoid generation of dusts.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. Normal measures for preventive fire protection. For precautions see section 2.2.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Protect from light and moisture. Store at RT.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

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### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

##### **Components with workplace control parameters**

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

##### **Appropriate engineering controls**

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

##### **Personal protective equipment**

###### **Eye/face protection**

Safety glasses with side-shields conforming to EN166 Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

###### **Skin protection**

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated

use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

#### **Body Protection**

impervious clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### **Respiratory protection**

For nuisance exposures use type P95 (US) or type P1 (EU EN 143) particle respirator. For higher level protection use type OV/AG/P99 (US) or type ABEK-P2 (EU EN 143) respirator cartridges. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### **Control of environmental exposure**

Do not let product enter drains.

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## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a)	<b>Appearance:</b>	Color: White crystals or crystalline Form: Powder
b)	<b>Odour:</b>	No data available
c)	<b>Odour Threshold:</b>	No data available
d)	<b>pH:</b>	No data available
e)	<b>Melting point/freezing point:</b>	No data available
f)	<b>Boiling point</b>	No data available
g)	<b>Flash point:</b>	No data available
h)	<b>Evaporation rate:</b>	No data available
i)	<b>Flammability (solid, gas):</b>	No data available
j)	<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:</b>	No data available
k)	<b>Vapour pressure:</b>	No data available
l)	<b>Vapour density:</b>	No data available
m)	<b>Relative density:</b>	No data available
n)	<b>Solubility:</b>	No data available
o)	<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):</b>	No data available
p)	<b>Auto-ignition temperature:</b>	No data available
q)	<b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	No data available
r)	<b>Viscosity:</b>	No data available
s)	<b>Explosive properties:</b>	No data available
t)	<b>Oxidizing properties:</b>	No data available

### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

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## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1 Reactivity

The following applies in general to flammable organic substances and mixtures: in correspondingly fine distribution, when whirled up a dust explosion potential may generally be assumed.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable for at least 2 years under recommended storage conditions.

#### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reactions possible with:

Oxidizing agents

Caution! In contact with nitrites, nitrates, nitrous acid possible liberation of nitrosamines!

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No data available

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

#### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

##### **Acute toxicity**

LD50 Oral - Mouse - 12.680 mg/kg

Remarks: (RTECS)

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

##### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

Skin - reconstructed human epidermis (RhE)

Result: No skin irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 439)

##### **Serious eye damage/eye irritation**

Eyes - Rabbit

Result: No eye irritation

(OECD Test Guideline 405)

##### **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**

Local lymph node assay (LLNA) - Mouse

Result: negative

(OECD Test Guideline 429)

##### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

Test Type: Ames test

Test system: Escherichia coli/Salmonella typhimurium

Metabolic activation: with and without metabolic activation

Method: OECD Test Guideline 471

Result: negative

#### **Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

#### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure**

No data available

#### **Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure**

No data available

#### **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

#### **Additional Information**

Assessment:

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RTECS: ES6300000

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Hazardous properties cannot be excluded but are unlikely when the product is handled appropriately.

Therapeutically used substance.

Under given conditions, contact with nitrites or nitric acid can lead to the formation of nitrosamines, which have shown themselves to be carcinogenic in animal experiments.

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

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## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:

static test NOEC - Daphnia magna (Water flea) -  $\geq$  200 mg/l - 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202)

Toxicity to algae:

static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) -  $>$  100 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)

static test NOEC - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) -  $\geq$  200 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

### Biodegradability:

aerobic - Exposure time 28 d Result: 80 % - Readily biodegradable. (OECD Test Guideline 301F)

## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

## 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This substance/mixture contains no components considered to be either persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT), or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB) at levels of 0.1% or higher.

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

### Assessment:

The substance/mixture does not contain components considered to have endocrine disrupting properties according to REACH Article 57(f) or Commission Delegated regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at levels of 0.1% or higher.

Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

#### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

### DOT (US)

Not dangerous goods

### IMDG

Not dangerous goods

### IATA

Not dangerous goods

#### 14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

#### 14.7 Further information

No data available

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### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

#### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

No data available

#### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

For this product a chemical safety assessment was not carried out.

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### SECTION 16: Other information

#### Further information

The above information is believed to be correct but shall not be taken as being all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Chemodex Ltd. and its affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See [www.chemodex.com](http://www.chemodex.com) and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.