



SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to HSNO Act 1996, as amended

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product name	Columbia Agar
Product code	NCM0013, HP012, 7734

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

Product Use	[SU22] Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen); [PC21] Laboratory chemicals; [PROC15] Use as laboratory reagent;
Description	Intended for laboratory use only.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company	Neogen Corporation
Address	620 Leshar Place Lansing MI 48912 USA
Web	www.neogen.com
Telephone	517-372-9200/800-234-5333
Email	SDS@neogen.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

24 hours:
Medical: 1-800-498-5743 (U.S. and Canada) or 1-651-523-0318 (international)
Spill/CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (U.S. and Canada) or 1-703-527-3887 (international)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.2. Label elements

Hazard Statement	No Significant Hazard
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2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards	May form combustible dust/air mixture.
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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

EC 1272/2008

Chemical Name	Index No.	CAS No.	EC No.	REACH Registration Number	Conc. (%w/w)	Classification
Starch, soluble (Starch)		9005-25-8	232-679-6		1 - 10%	

Description

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	Concentrations listed are not product specifications.
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Further information

	Full text of Hazard Statements listed in this Section is provided in Section 16.
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SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1. Description of first aid measures**

Inhalation	Move the exposed person to fresh air. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. If breathing stops, provide artificial respiration. Seek medical attention if irritation or symptoms persist.
Eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Contact lenses should be removed. Seek medical attention if irritation or symptoms persist.
Skin contact	Remove contaminated clothing. Wash with soap and water. Seek medical attention if irritation or symptoms persist.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Rinse mouth thoroughly. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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

Inhalation	May cause irritation to respiratory system.
Eye contact	May cause irritation to eyes.
Skin contact	May cause irritation to skin.
Ingestion	Ingestion may cause nausea and vomiting.

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

	Remove the affected person from the source of contamination immediately. Transfer to hospital if there are burns or symptoms of poisoning. Seek medical attention if irritation or symptoms persist. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**5.1. Extinguishing media**

	Use extinguishing media appropriate to the surrounding fire conditions.
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5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

	Avoid raising dust. May form combustible dust/air mixture.
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5.3. Advice for firefighters

	Do not breathe dust or vapour. Wear suitable respiratory equipment when necessary.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

	Avoid formation of dust. Use as appropriate: Protective equipment, Protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.
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6.2. Environmental precautions

	Prevent further spillage if safe. Clean spillage area thoroughly with plenty of water. Do not flush into surface water. Do not let product contaminate subsoil.
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6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

	Avoid formation of dust. Clean spillage area thoroughly with plenty of water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.
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6.4. Reference to other sections

See Section(s) 2, 8, and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Adopt best Manual Handling considerations when handling, carrying and dispensing. Avoid contact with eyes. Do not eat, drink or smoke in areas where this product is used or stored. Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Use as appropriate: Protective clothing.
Read the entire label and follow all use directions, restrictions, and precautions.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in correctly labelled containers. Keep container tightly closed. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Follow label instructions.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

See Section(s) 1.2 for further information.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1. Exposure Limit Values

Starch, soluble (Starch)	TWA ppm:	TWA mg/m3: 10
	STEL ppm:	STEL mg/m3:

8.2. Exposure controls



8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area.

8.2.2. Individual protection measures

Use as appropriate: Protective equipment.

Eye / face protection

Use as appropriate: Suitable eye protection.

Skin protection - Handprotection

Use as appropriate: Chemical-resistant gloves made of any waterproof material.

Skin protection - Other

Use as appropriate: Protective clothing.

Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Occupational exposure controls

Exposure above the recommended occupational exposure limit (OEL) may cause adverse health effects. Protect clothing from contact with the product. Provide chemical shower. Provide eye wash station.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Powder
Colour	Beige
Odour	Characteristic
Odour threshold	No data available
pH	7.1 - 7.5
Melting point	No data available
Freezing Point	No data available
Initial boiling point	No data available
Flash point	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Vapour pressure	No data available
Vapour density	No data available
Relative density	No data available
Fat Solubility	No data available
Partition coefficient	No data available
Autoignition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	Not applicable.
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidising properties	No data available
Solubility	Soluble in water

9.2. Other information

Conductivity	No data available
Surface tension	No data available
Gas group	Not applicable.
Benzene Content	No data available
Lead content	No data available
VOC (Volatile organic compounds)	Not applicable.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

	Stable under normal conditions.
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10.2. Chemical stability

	Stable under normal conditions.
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10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

	Under the specified conditions, hazardous reactions that lead to excessive temperatures or pressure are not expected.
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10.4. Conditions to avoid

	Keep away from extreme temperatures, Moisture.
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10.5. Incompatible materials

	No data available.
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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

	Carbon oxides.
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Acute toxicity	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. However, this product does contain substance(s) that are classified as hazardous. For more information, see Section 3.
Skin corrosion/irritation	May cause irritation to skin.
Serious eye damage/irritation	May cause irritation to eyes.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	May cause allergic reactions in susceptible people.
Germ cell mutagenicity	No mutagenic effects reported.
Carcinogenicity	Not found to be a potential carcinogen in the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Monographs, Volumes 1-123. Not listed in the National Toxicology Program (NTP) 14th Report on Carcinogens. Not listed in the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH) Guide to Occupational Exposure Values. Not listed in the OSHA standard 1910.1003 Carcinogens.
Reproductive toxicity	No teratogenic effects reported.
STOT-single exposure	May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.
STOT-repeated exposure	No Significant Hazard.
Aspiration hazard	No Significant Hazard.
Repeated or prolonged exposure	Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Delayed appearance of the complaints and development of hypersensitivity (difficult breathing, coughing, asthma) are possible.

11.1.2. Mixtures

	See Section(s) 3 for further information.
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11.1.3. Hazard Information

	See Section(s) 2 and 3 for further information.
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11.1.4. Toxicological Information

	No data available
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11.1.5. Hazard Class

	See Section(s) 2 and 14 for further information.
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11.1.6. Classification Criteria

	Based on the Globally Harmonised System (GHS) considerations for the classification of mixtures. See Section 15 for regulatory citations.
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11.1.7. Information on likely routes of exposure

	Eye contact. Skin contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.
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11.1.8. Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

	See Section(s) 4.2 for further information.
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11.1.9. Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

	See Section(s) 4.2 for further information.
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11.1.10. Interactive effects

	No data available.
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11.1.11. Absence of specific data

	<1% of this mixture consists of ingredients of unknown acute toxicity.
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11.1.12. Mixture versus substance information

See Section(s) 3 for further information.

11.1.13. Other information

Caution - substance not yet fully tested.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

No data available

12.2. Persistence and degradability

No data is available on this product.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No data is available on this product.

Partition coefficient

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12.4. Mobility in soil

No data is available on this product.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data is available on this product.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Caution - substance not yet fully tested.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Dispose of in compliance with all local and national regulations. Follow label instructions.

Disposal methods

Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not flush into surface water. Dispose of in compliance with all local and national regulations.

Disposal of packaging

Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container.
If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling, if available.
If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

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14.4. Packing group

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

14.5. Environmental hazards

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

14.6. Special precautions for user

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

The product is not classified as dangerous for carriage.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

Regulations	This document has been prepared in accordance with the requirements set out under the Hazardous Substances (Minimum Degrees of Hazard) Notice 2017, the Hazardous Substances (Safety Data Sheets) Notice 2017 and the Hazardous Substances (Labelling) Notice 2017.
Chemical Inventories/Right-to-Know Lists:	<p>--International--</p> <p>Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste): Not applicable. Chemical Weapons Convention (OPCW): This material contains no reportable components. Kyoto Protocol Greenhouse Gases: This material contains no reportable components. Mercosur Agreement: Applicable. Montreal Protocol: This material contains no reportable components. The Rotterdam Convention: This material contains no reportable components. The Stockholm Convention: This material contains no reportable components.</p> <p>--Asia and the ASEAN Nations--</p> <p>Catalog of Hazardous Chemicals (China): This material contains no reportable components. Regulation of Minister of Trade of the Republic of Indonesia, Number 75, Year 2014, regarding The Second Amendment of Minister of Trade, Number 44, Year 2009, Regarding Provision, Distribution, and Control of Hazardous Substances: This material contains no reportable components. Chemical Substances Control Law (Japan): This material contains no reportable components. Industrial Safety and Health Act, Dangerous Substances (Japan): This material contains no reportable components. Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Act (Japan): This material contains no reportable components. Chemical Substances Subject to Permission (Korea): This material contains no reportable components. Restricted or Prohibited Substances (Korea): This material contains no reportable components. Use and Standards of Exposure of Chemicals Hazardous to Health (USECHH), Regulation 2000 (Malaysia): This material contains no reportable components. Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS): All ingredients listed or exempt. Taiwan Toxic and Concerned Chemical Substances Control Act (TCCSCA): This material contains no reportable components. Hazardous Substances Act (Thailand): This material contains no reportable components. Law on Chemicals (Vietnam): This material contains no reportable components.</p> <p>--Australia and New Zealand--</p> <p>Australian Dangerous Goods Code: Not applicable. Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS): All ingredients listed or exempt. New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals (NZIoC): All ingredients listed or exempt.</p>

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

--European Union (EU) and the United Kingdom (UK)--.
 Authorisation List (Annex XIV of REACH): This material contains no reportable components.
 Annex XVII for REACH: This material contains no reportable components.
 Article 95 of the Biocidal Products Regulation (BPR): Not applicable.

--North America--.
 Domestic/Non-Domestic Substances Lists (DSL/NDSL): All ingredients listed or exempt.
 Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA): All ingredients listed or exempt.
 Massachusetts Right-to-Know Hazardous Substance List: This material contains no reportable components.
 New Jersey Worker and Community Right to Know Act: This material contains no reportable components.
 Pennsylvania Right to Know Law: This material contains no reportable components.
 Rhode Island Right-to-Know General Law: This material contains no reportable components.
 California Proposition 65: This material contains no reportable components.

SECTION 16: Other information

Other information

Revision	<p>This document differs from the previous version in the following areas:.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 - Description. 1 - Product Use. 2 - Other hazards. 3 - Description. 5 - 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture. 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Flash point). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Flammability (solid, gas)). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Autoignition temperature). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Explosive properties). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Oxidising properties). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Vapour pressure). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Viscosity). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Vapour density). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Solubility). 9 - 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties (Odour threshold). 9 - 9.2. Other information (Product Subcategory). 11 - Acute toxicity. 15 - Chemical Inventories/Right-to-Know Lists:. 16 - Maximum content of VOC.
Acronyms	<p>ADR/RID: European Agreements Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail (RID) and by Road (ADR). CAS No.: Chemical Abstracts Service. CLASS: Classification, Labelling, and Safety Data Sheet of Hazardous Chemicals Regulation 2013 (Malaysia). GHS: Globally Harmonized System. HCS 2012: U.S. Hazard Communication Standard (2012 revision). IATA: International Air Transport Association. ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation. IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods. LD: Lethal dose. OEL: Occupational exposure limit.</p>

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Other information

OSHA: U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration.
PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit.
REACH: Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation, and Restriction of Chemicals.
SVHC: Substance of very high concern.
US DOT: United States Department of Transportation.
VOC: Volatile Organic Compound.
WEL: Workplace Exposure Limit.

Further information

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