



# Safety Data Sheet (SDS)

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: Abacavir sulfate  
Product Catalogue Number: 562587  
Brand: MedKoo Biosciences  
CAS-No: 188062-50-2

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

Identified uses: Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances.

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

Company: MedKoo Biosciences, Inc.  
2500 Gateway Centre Blvd. Suite 400, Morrisville, NC27560, USA  
Telephone: 919-636-5577  
Fax: 919-980-4831

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

For chemical emergency spill, leak, fire, exposure, or accident call CHEMTREC day or night: Within USA and Canada: 1-800-424-9300. Outside USA and Canada: +1 703-527-3887 (collect calls accepted).

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)  
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation, Category 2, H319  
Skin Sensitization, Category 1, H317  
Germ Cell Mutagenicity, Category 2, H341  
Carcinogenicity, Category 2, H350  
Toxic To Reproduction, Category 2, H361

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Pictogram



#### Signal word

Warning

#### Hazard statement(s)

H317: May cause an allergic skin reaction  
H319: Causes serious eye irritation.  
H341: Suspected of causing genetic defects.  
H351: Suspected of causing cancer.  
H361: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

#### Precautionary statement(s)

P201: Obtain special instructions before use.  
P202: Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P261: Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray.  
P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P272: Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.  
P280: Wear protective gloves/ eye protection/ face protection.  
P302 + P352: IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.  
P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.  
P308 + P313: IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice.  
P333 + P313: If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.  
P337 + P313: If skin irritation or rash occurs, seek medical advice/attention.  
P362 + P364: Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

### 2.3 Adverse Human Health Effects and Symptoms:

Causes serious eye irritation.  
Material may be irritating to the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.  
May be harmful by inhalation, ingestion, or skin absorption.  
May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
May cause skin or respiratory system irritation.  
Suspected of causing cancer. Suspected of causing genetic defects.  
Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.  
To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

Synonyms: Abacavir sulfate salt; Abacavir hemisulfate; 1592U89 sulfate  
Formula: C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>38</sub>N<sub>12</sub>O<sub>6</sub>S  
Molecular weight: 670.75  
CAS-No: 188062-50-2

Component	Classification	Concentration
Abacavir sulfate	Mutagen 2: H341, Eye Damage 2A: H319, Carcinogen 2: H351, Skin Sens. 1: H317, Toxic Repro. 2: H361	<= 100 %

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General advice

Consult a doctor and show this safety data sheet.

#### If inhaled

Remove to fresh air and monitor breathing. If breathing becomes difficult, give oxygen. If breathing stops, give artificial respiration. Consult a doctor.

#### In case of skin contact

Immediately wash skin with copious amounts of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and wash before reuse. Consult a doctor.

#### In case of eye contact

Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

#### If swallowed

Rinse mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Consult a doctor.

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

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

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

Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Immediate medical attention is required.

## 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

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

In combustion, may emit toxic fumes.

### 5.3 Precautions for fire-fighters

Wear suitable protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes and self-contained breathing apparatus.

## 6. ACCIDENTIAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Do not take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, dust or gas.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains.

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

Cover spillage with suitable absorbent material. Sweep up material and place in an appropriate container. Hold all material for appropriate disposal as described under section 13 of SDS.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For required PPE see section 8. For disposal see section 13.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Use in a chemical fume hood, with air supplied by an independent system. Avoid inhalation, contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid the formation of dust and aerosols. Use in a well-ventilated area. Keep away from sources of ignition. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

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

Store in cool, well-ventilated area. Keep away from direct sunlight. Keep container tightly sealed until ready for use. Recommended storage temperature: Store at -20°C

### 7.3 Specific end uses

Use in a laboratory fume hood where possible. Refer to employer's COSHH risk assessment.

## 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

Use in a fume hood where applicable. Ensure all engineering measures described under section 7 of SDS are in place. Ensure laboratory is equipped with a safety shower and eye wash station.

#### Personal protective equipment

##### Eye/face protection

Use appropriate safety glasses.

##### Skin protection

Use appropriate chemical resistant gloves (minimum requirement use standard BS EN 374:2003). Gloves should be inspected before use. Wash and dry hands thoroughly after handling.

##### Body protection

Wear appropriate protective clothing.

##### Respiratory protection

If risk assessment indicates necessary, use a suitable respirator.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	White to off white solid	Vapor pressure	No data available
Odor	No data available	Vapor density	No data available
Odor threshold	No data available	Relative density	No data available
pH	No data available	Solubility(ies)	~1 mg/ml in PBS (pH 7.2); ~0.15 mg/ml in DMSO
Melting / freezing point	No data available	Partition coefficient	No data available
Boiling point / range	No data available	Auto-ignition temperature	No data available
Flash point	No data available	Decomposition temperature	No data available
Evaporation rate	No data available	Viscosity	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	Explosive properties	No data available
Upper / lower flammability or explosive limits	No data available	Oxidising properties	No data available

### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions. Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, moisture.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

In combustion may emit toxic fumes: carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, sulfur oxides. No known decomposition information.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**11.1 Information on toxicological effects:** The toxicological effects of this product have not been thoroughly studied.

### Symptoms / Routes of exposure

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

Ingestion: There may be irritation of the throat.

Skin: There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

Eyes: There may be irritation and redness.

Delayed / Immediate Effects: No known symptoms.

### Additional Information

RTECS No: Not available

Exposure may cause irritation of eyes, mucous membranes, upper respiratory tract and skin.

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

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

No data available

### **12.4 Mobility in soil**

No data available

### **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No data available

### **12.6 Other adverse effects**

No data available

## **13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

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### **13.1 Waste treatment methods**

#### **Product**

Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialized disposal company in accordance with National legislation.

#### **Contaminated packaging**

Dispose of in a regulated landfill site or other method for hazardous or toxic wastes in accordance with National legislation.

## **14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

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Classified according to the criteria of the UN Model Regulations as reflected in the IMDG Code, ADR, RID and IATA.

### **14.1 UN-Number**

Does not meet the criteria for classification as hazardous for transport.

### **14.2 UN proper shipping name**

Does not meet the criteria for classification as hazardous for transport.

### **14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

Does not meet the criteria for classification as hazardous for transport.

### **14.4 Packaging group**

Does not meet the criteria for classification as hazardous for transport.

### **14.5 Environmental hazards**

This product is not classified as environmentally hazardous according to the UN Model Regulations, nor a marine pollutant according to the IMDG Code.

### **14.6 Special precautions for users**

No data available

## **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

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This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 453/2010.

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

No data available

#### **California Proposition 65**

Not applicable

### **15.2 Chemical safety assessment**

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been made for this product.

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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### **Further Information**

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### **Preparation Information**

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