

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



## 1. Identification

**Product identifier** Spectramast LC

**Other means of identification**

**Synonyms** SPECTRAMAST® LC \* SPECTRAMAST \* Ceftiofur intramammary suspension

**Recommended use** Veterinary product used as antibiotic agent

**Recommended restrictions** Not for human use

### Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

**Physical hazards** Not classified.

**Health hazards** Sensitization, respiratory Category 1  
Sensitization, skin Category 1

**Environmental hazards** Not classified.

**OSHA defined hazards** Not classified.

**Label elements**



**Signal word** Danger

**Hazard statement** May cause an allergic skin reaction. May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

**Precautionary statement**

**Prevention** Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Contaminated work clothing must not be allowed out of the workplace. Wear protective gloves. In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

**Response** If on skin: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. If inhaled: If breathing is difficult, remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a poison center/doctor. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Storage** Store away from incompatible materials.

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

**Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)** None known.

**Supplemental information**

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.

**3. Composition/information on ingredients****Mixtures**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Ceftiofur Hydrochloride	Cephalosporin antibiotic; b-lactam antibiotic; b-lactamase inhibitor	103980-44-5	1.3
Cottonseed Oil		8001-29-4	*
Glycerides, vegetable-oil, mono- and di-		97488-91-0	*
Microcrystalline wax		63231-60-7	*

**Composition comments**

\* Non-hazardous Ingredients

In accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200, the exact percentage composition of this mixture has been withheld as a trade secret.

**4. First-aid measures****Inhalation**

Move to fresh air. If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should give oxygen.

**Skin contact**

Remove contaminated clothing immediately and wash skin with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. In case of eczema or other skin disorders: Seek medical attention and take along these instructions. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye contact**

Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If easy to do, remove contact lenses. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

**Ingestion**

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately. Do not induce vomiting without advice from poison control center. Never give anything by mouth to a victim who is unconscious or is having convulsions.

**Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed**

Difficulty in breathing. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash. May cause eye irritation. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. May cause skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause effects similar to those generally seen in clinical use of antibiotics including gastrointestinal irritation, vomiting, transient diarrhea, nausea, and abdominal pain.

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

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. Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

**General information**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**5. Fire-fighting measures****Suitable extinguishing media**

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

**Unsuitable extinguishing media**

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

**Fire fighting equipment/instructions**

Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

**Specific methods**

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

**General fire hazards**

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

**6. Accidental release measures****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Ventilate closed spaces before entering them. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

**Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up**

Ensure adequate ventilation. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Avoid release to the environment. Prevent product from entering drains.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions**

Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

**7. Handling and storage****Precautions for safe handling**

Do not handle, store or open near an open flame, sources of heat or sources of ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Provide adequate ventilation. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. Avoid release to the environment. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash thoroughly after handling. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Store out of direct sunlight in dark, dry conditions. Protect from light. Store in a well-ventilated place. @ 15 - 25°C (59 - 77°F). Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Store in original tightly closed container. Do not allow material to freeze. Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS). Keep out of the reach of children.

**8. Exposure controls/personal protection****Occupational exposure limits**

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

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Components	Type	Value
Ceftiofur Hydrochloride (CAS 103980-44-5)	TWA	200 µg/m <sup>3</sup>

**US. OSHA Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants (29 CFR 1910.1000)**

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cottonseed Oil (CAS 8001-29-4)	PEL	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable fraction.
		15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Total dust.

**US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards**

Components	Type	Value	Form
Cottonseed Oil (CAS 8001-29-4)	TWA	5 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Respirable.
		10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	Mist.

**Biological limit values**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines**

OEL Additional Information: Sensitizer

**Control banding approach**

Not available.

**Appropriate engineering controls**

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level.

**Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment****Eye/face protection**

If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.

**Skin protection****Hand protection**

Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves. Wear impervious, disposable gloves as minimum protection (double recommended).

<b>Other</b>	Wear suitable protective clothing. Use protective clothing (uniforms, lab coats, disposable coveralls, etc.) in both production and laboratory areas. Impervious protective clothing is recommended if skin contact with drug product is possible and for bulk processing operations. Do not get this material in contact with skin.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Whenever air contamination (mist, vapor or odor) is generated, respiratory protection is recommended as a precaution to minimize exposure. 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. Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge, full facepiece, dust and mist filter. Use a positive-pressure air-supplied respirator if there is any potential for an uncontrolled release, exposure levels are not known, or any other circumstances where air-purifying respirators may not provide adequate protection.
<b>Thermal hazards</b>	Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b>Appearance</b>	Suspension
<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid.
<b>Form</b>	Liquid.
<b>Color</b>	Buff to yellow opaque
<b>Odor</b>	Not available.
<b>Odor threshold</b>	Not available.
<b>pH</b>	Not available.
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	Not available.
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	Not available.
<b>Flash point</b>	Not available.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	
<b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor density</b>	Not available.
<b>Relative density</b>	Not available.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available.
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not explosive.
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	Not oxidizing.
<b>Specific gravity</b>	0.93 - 0.95

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
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<b>Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Contact with incompatible materials. Heat, flames and sparks. Sunlight. Exposure to light.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Incompatible with bases. Metals. Strong oxidizing agents. Decomposes on exposure to light.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	Irritating and/or toxic fumes and gases may be emitted upon the product's decomposition. Thermal decomposition products may include oxides of carbon, nitrogen, and sulfur. May include hydrogen chloride.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

**Inhalation** May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.

**Skin contact** May cause an allergic skin reaction.  
 Ceftiofur Hydrochloride Species: Rabbit  
 Severity: Minimal

**Eye contact** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.  
 Ceftiofur Hydrochloride Species: Rabbit  
 Severity: Minimal

**Ingestion** Ingestion may result in mild gastrointestinal irritation with nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea. However, ingestion is not likely to be a primary route of occupational exposure.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Exposed individuals may experience eye tearing, redness, and discomfort. Difficulty in breathing. Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. May cause an allergic skin reaction. Dermatitis. Rash. May cause effects similar to those generally seen in clinical use of antibiotics including gastrointestinal irritation, vomiting, transient diarrhea, nausea, and abdominal pain.

### Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Allergic reactions are possible.

Components	Species	Test Results
Ceftiofur Hydrochloride (CAS 103980-44-5)		
<b>Acute</b>		
<b>Inhalation</b>		
LC50	Rat	> 8.3 mg/L
<b>Oral</b>		
LD50	Rat	> 7760 mg/kg
<b>Other</b>		
LD50	Rat	927 mg/kg [Sub-tenon injection (eye)]
<b>Subchronic</b>		
<b>Oral</b>		
NOEL	Dog	30 mg/kg/day, 90 days [Target organ(s): Blood forming organs]

Cottonseed Oil (CAS 8001-29-4)

**Acute**

**Oral**

LD50 Rat > 90 ml/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.

**Corrosivity**

Ceftiofur Hydrochloride Species: Rabbit  
 Severity: Minimal irritation

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

**Eye Contact**

Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

Species: Rabbit  
Severity: Minimal**Respiratory or skin sensitization****Respiratory sensitization** May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.**Skin sensitization** May cause an allergic skin reaction.**Germ cell mutagenicity** No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.**Mutagenicity**

Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

Bacterial Mutagenicity (Ames)  
Result: Negative  
Species: Salmonella , E. coliMammalian Cell Mutagenicity  
Result: Negative  
Species: Chinese Hamster Ovary (CHO) cellsUnscheduled DNA Synthesis  
Result: Negative  
Species: Rat**Carcinogenicity** This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.**IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity**

Not listed.

**OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)**

Not regulated.

**US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens**

Not listed.

**Reproductive toxicity** This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.**Developmental effects**

Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

3200 mg/kg/day Embryo / Fetal Development, Not  
Teratogenic  
Result: NOAEL  
Species: Rat  
Organ: Oral**Reproductivity**

Ceftiofur Hydrochloride

1000 mg/kg/day 2 Generation Reproductive Toxicity,  
Fetotoxicity  
Result: NOEL  
Species: Rat  
Organ: Oral**Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure** Not classified.**Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure** Due to partial or complete lack of data the classification is not possible. This product may affect blood and blood forming organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.**Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.**Chronic effects** Prolonged inhalation may be harmful.**Further information** 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.**12. Ecological information****Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment. Avoid release to the environment.**Persistence and degradability** No data is available on the degradability of this product.**Bioaccumulative potential** No data available.**Mobility in soil** No data available.

**Other adverse effects** No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. 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. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**Local disposal regulations** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Hazardous waste code** None known.

**Waste from residues / unused products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

**Contaminated packaging** Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

### 14. Transport information

#### DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

#### IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

#### IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** Not established.

### 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

#### **TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)**

Not regulated.

#### **CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)**

Not listed.

#### **SARA 304 Emergency release notification**

Not regulated.

#### **OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)**

Not regulated.

#### **Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)**

**Hazard categories** Immediate Hazard - Yes  
Delayed Hazard - No  
Fire Hazard - No  
Pressure Hazard - No  
Reactivity Hazard - No

#### **SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance**

Not listed.

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical** No

#### **SARA 313 (TRI reporting)**

Not regulated.

#### **Other federal regulations**

##### **Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List**

Not regulated.

##### **Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)**

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)**

Not regulated.

**US state regulations**

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

**International Inventories**

<b>Country(s) or region</b>	<b>Inventory name</b>	<b>On inventory (yes/no)*</b>
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	No
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

**16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision****Issue date** 01-16-2014**Revision date** 05-06-2017**Version #** 03**Disclaimer**

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**Revision information**

This document has undergone significant changes and should be reviewed in its entirety.