

# Safety Data Sheet

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## 1. Identification of the substance/preparation and the company/undertaking

### GHS product identifier

Product name: Guaifenesin DM

### Other means of identification

Product code(s): 0121-0638-00, 0121-0638-04, 0121-0638-08, 0121-0638-16, 0121-0638-05, 0121-0638-10, 0121-1276-10

UN-Number: NA

Synonyms: NA

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use: Pharmaceutical OTC product used as an expectorant and cough suppressant  
Uses advised against: Do not use except as recommended.

### Supplier address/information

Pharmaceutical Associates, Inc.  
201 Delaware Street  
Greenville, SC 29605 (864) 277 -7282

Emergency telephone number: CHEMTREC 800.424.9300

## 2. Hazards Identification

**Classification** This product is a mixture and is a pharmaceutical product. It is considered non-Hazardous according to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 2012 (29 CFR 1910.1200).

**Chemical family:** Mixture

**Statement of Hazard:** Product is safe used as recommended.

### Additional Hazard Information:

**Short term:** No data available

**Long term:** No data available

**Known Clinical Effects:** No data available

**EU Indication of danger:** Not classified

### Emergency overview

Seek medical attention in case of accidental exposure or overdose. The product is generally safe when used as prescribed.

Note: This document has been prepared in accordance with standards for workplace safety, which require the inclusion of all known hazards of the active substance or its intermediates regardless of the potential risk. The precautionary statements and warnings included may not apply in all cases. Your needs may vary depending upon the potential of exposure in your workplace.

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## Precautionary statements

General advice: Seek medical attention in case of accidental exposure or overdose.

Eyes: Avoid contact with eyes.

Skin Contact: Avoid skin contact.

Inhalation: Not intended for inhalation.

Ingestion: Generally safe at recommended doses. In case of overdose, seek medical attention immediately.

Storage: There are no special storage conditions for safety. For product integrity, store under conditions specified on the label.

Disposal: Dispose of in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

## 3. Composition/Information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS-No	mg/5 mL	Trade Secret
Guaifenesin	93-14-1	100 mg/5 mL	
Dextromethorphan HBr	125-71-3	10 mg/ 5 mL	
Glycerin	56-81-5		X
Menthol	89-78-1		X
Sucrose	57-50-1		X
Sodium Saccharin	6155-57-3		X
Sodium Benzoate	532-32-1		X
Citric Acid Anhydrous	77-92-9		X
Sodium Citrate	6132-04-3		X
FD&C Red No. 40	25956-17-6		X
Cherry Flavor	Mixture		X

## 4. First aid measures

### Description of necessary first-aid measures

Eye contact:  
Flush with running water for 15 minutes holding eyelids open. Contact medical personnel if irritation persists.

Skin contact:  
Wash contaminated area thoroughly. If irritation persists, contact medical personnel.

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Inhalation:

Remove to fresh air and contact medical personnel.

Ingestion:

Overdosage or accidental ingestion - Contact medical personnel or poison control immediately if overdosage is suspected.

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

No data available

**Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

No data available

Notes to Physician: NA

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable extinguishing media:**

Use carbon dioxide, dry chemical or water spray.

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

May burn emitting oxides of chlorine and nitrogen.

**Explosion data:**

Not applicable

**Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters**

During all firefighting activities, wear appropriate protective equipment, including self-contained breathing apparatus.

## 6. Accidental release measures

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

Personnel involved in clean-up should wear appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 8). Minimize exposure.

**Environmental precautions**

Place waste in an appropriately labeled, sealed container for disposal. Care should be taken to avoid environmental release.

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

- Methods for containment:
- Methods for cleaning up:

Isolate area around spill as specified by site procedures. Absorb the liquid with suitable material. Dispose of spill material in accordance with applicable federal, state or local regulations.

## 7. Handling and storage

**Precautions for safe handling**

Handling:

No special handling required for hazard control under conditions of normal product use.

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## Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage: No special storage required for hazard control. For product protection, follow storage recommendations on the case label, primary product label and insert.

Incompatible products: As a precautionary measure, keep away from strong oxidizers.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

Exposure guidelines: The exposure guidelines listed below are for the individual components and not the product itself.

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Guaifenesin	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Dextromethorphan HBr	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Glycerin	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	Not Available
Menthol	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Sucrose	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA
Sodium Saccharin	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Sodium Benzoate	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Citric Acid Anhydrous	10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	15 mg/m <sup>3</sup> TWA	Not Available
Sodium Citrate	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
FD&C Red No. 40	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Cherry Flavor	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

### Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering measures: Engineering controls should be used to limit exposure.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection: Not required under normal conditions of use. Wear safety glasses or goggles if eye contact is possible.

Skin and body protection: Not required under normal conditions of use. Wear protective clothing when working with large quantities.

Respiratory protection: Not required under normal use of the product. If the applicable PEL (Permissible Exposure Limit) is exceeded use an appropriate respirator.

Hygiene measures: Wash hands thoroughly after use.

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## 9. Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Solution  
Odor: Faint cherry  
Appearance: Clear red solution  
Odor threshold: Not available

Property	Values	Remarks/Method
pH	2.2 – 3.0	Current USP
Melting point/range	Not applicable	
Boiling point/boiling range	Not available	
Flash point	Not applicable	
Evaporation rate	Not applicable	
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable	
Flammability limits in air	Not applicable	
-upper flammability limit	Not applicable	
-lower flammability limit	Not applicable	
Vapor pressure	Not applicable	
Vapor density	Not applicable	
Specific gravity	1.2	Current USP
Water solubility	Not applicable	
Solubility in other solvents	Not applicable	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not applicable	
Autoignition temperature	Not applicable	
Decomposition temperature	Not applicable	
Viscosity	Not available	
Flammable properties	Not applicable	
Explosive properties	Not applicable	
Oxidizing properties	Not applicable	

Other information VOC content (%)

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## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	Stable at normal conditions
Chemical stability	Stable at normal conditions
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Stable at normal conditions
Conditions to avoid	None known
Incompatible materials	As a precautionary measure, keep away from strong oxidizers.
Hazardous decomposition products	None known

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product information:

- Inhalation: Not Available
- Eye contact: Not Available
- Skin contact: Not Available
- Ingestion: Not Available

The information in the table below is for the individual components and not the product.

Chemical name	LD50 oral	LD50 dermal	LC50 inhalation
Guaifenesin	1510 mg/kg Rat	Not Available	Not Available
Dextromethorphan HBr	350 mg/kg Rat	Not Available	Not Available
Glycerin	12600 mg/kg Rat	10000 mg/kg Rabbit	Not Available
Menthol	3380 mg/kg Rat	5001 mg/kg Rabbit	Not Available
Sucrose	29700 mg/kg Rat	Not Available	Not Available
Sodium Benzoate	2100 mg/kg Rat	Not Available	Not Available
Sodium Saccharin	14200 mg/kg Rat	Not Available	Not Available
Citric Acid Anhydrous	5400 mg/kg Rat	>2000 mg/kg Rat	Not Available
Sodium Citrate	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
FD&C Red No.40	>10000mg/kg Rat	>10000 mg/kg Rabbit	Not Available
Cherry Flavor	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

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## Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics:

No data available

## Delayed and immediate effects and also chronic effects from short and long term exposure

- Sensitization: No data available
- Mutagenic effects: No data available
- Carcinogenicity: Not carcinogenetic
- Reproductive toxicity: No data available
- STOT – single exposure: No data available
- STOT – repeated exposure: No data available
- Aspiration hazard: No data available
- Numerical measures of toxicity – product No data available

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Environmental properties have not been thoroughly evaluated. Releases to the environment should be avoided.

**Persistence and Degradability** No data available

**Bioaccumulation** No data available

**Other adverse effects:** No data available

The following table lists the data for the individual components, if available.

Chemical name	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to fish	Toxicity to micro-organisms	Daphnia Magna (water flea)
Guaifenesin	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Dextromethorphan HBr	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Glycerin	Not Available	58.5 ppm 96 hr Trout	Not Available	Not Available
Menthol	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Sucrose	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Sodium Saccharin	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Citric Acid Anhydrous	Not Available	440 mg/L 48 hr Leuciscus idus melanotus	Not Available	1535 mg/L 24 hr.
Sodium Citrate	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Sodium Benzoate	Not Available	484 mg/L 96 hr. Pimephales Promelas	Not Available	Not Available
Cherry Flavor	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
FD&C Red No. 40	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

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## 13. Disposal considerations

### Waste disposal methods

Dispose of waste in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations.

### Contaminated packaging

Dispose of waste in accordance with all federal, state and local regulations.

## 14. Transport information

### Notes:

Not regulated for transport under USDOT, IATA, TDG, IMDG or other regulations.

## 15. Regulatory information

### International inventories

#### EINECS:

Guaifenesin, Dextromethorphan HBr, Glycerin, Menthol, Sucrose, Sodium Saccharin, Sodium Benzoate Sodium Citrate, Citric Acid, and FD&C red No. 40, are listed on the EINECS.

### Legend

#### TSCA:

United States Toxic Substances Control Act 8(b) inventory not applicable for product. The following components are included on the inventory: Guaifenesin, Glycerin, Menthol, Sucrose, Sodium Saccharin, Sodium Benzoate, Citric Acid and FD&C Red No. 40.

### U.S. Federal regulations

#### OSHA Label:

Not applicable

#### US DEA:

Not applicable

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard categories:

Not Applicable

#### Clean Water Act:

This product **does not** contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

#### CERCLA:

No components are listed under CERCLA.

#### California Proposition 65:

This product contains Sodium Saccharin which is listed on California Proposition 65 list of chemicals as a chemical which has been found to cause cancer, birth defects or reproductive harm.



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## U.S. state Right-to-Know regulations

"X" designates that the ingredients are listed on the state Right-to-Know list

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
Guaifenesin	X		X		
Dextromethorphan HBr	X		X		
Glycerin	X	X	X	X	X
Menthol	X		X		
Sucrose	X	X	X		
Sodium Saccharin	X	X	X		
Sodium Benzoate	X		X		
Citric Acid Anhydrous	X		X		
Sodium Citrate	X		X		
Cherry Flavor					
FD&C Red No. 40					

## U.S. EPA label information:

Not applicable

## 16. Other information

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