# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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

### 1.1 Product identifiers

- **Product name**: Glycine hydrochloride
- **Product Number**: G2879
- **Brand**: Sigma
- **CAS-No.**: 6000-43-7

### 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**: Sigma-Aldrich Inc.
  
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  ST. LOUIS MO  63103
  
  UNITED STATES

- **Telephone**: +1 314 771-5765
- **Fax**: +1 800 325-5052

### 1.4 Emergency telephone

- **Emergency Phone #**: 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC (USA) +1-703-527-3887 CHEMTREC (International) 24 Hours/day; 7 Days/week

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

- **GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)**
  - Skin corrosion (Category 1), H314
  - Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

  For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

### 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

- **Pictogram**
- **Signal Word**: Danger
Hazard statement(s)  
H314  Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)  
P260  Do not breathe dust.  
P264  Wash skin thoroughly after handling.  
P280  Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.  
P301 + P330 + P331  IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.  
P303 + P361 + P353  IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.  
P304 + P340 + P310  IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.  
P305 + P351 + P338 + P310  IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.  
P363  Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.  
P405  Store locked up.  
P501  Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

2.3  Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS  - none

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1  Substances
Synonyms:  
Aminoethanoic acid  
Aminoacetic acid  
Glycocoll

Formula:  
\( C_2H_5NO_2 \cdot HCl \)
Molecular weight:  
111.53 g/mol
CAS-No.:  
6000-43-7
EC-No.:  
227-841-8

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<th>Component</th>
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| glycine hydrochloride   | Skin Corr. 1; Eye Dam. 1; H314, H318 | <= 100 %      

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1  Description of first-aid measures

General advice  
First aiders need to protect themselves. Show this material safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

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If inhaled
After inhalation: fresh air. Call in physician.

In case of skin contact
In case of skin contact: Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. Call a physician immediately.

In case of eye contact
After eye contact: rinse out with plenty of water. Immediately call in ophthalmologist. Remove contact lenses.

If swallowed
After swallowing: make victim drink water (two glasses at most), avoid vomiting (risk of perforation). Call a physician immediately. Do not attempt to neutralise.

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

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media
Water Foam Carbon dioxide (CO2) 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 (NOx)
Hydrogen chloride gas
Combustible.
Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

5.3 Advice for firefighters
Stay in danger area only with self-contained breathing apparatus. Prevent skin contact by keeping a safe distance or by wearing suitable protective clothing.

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

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Advice for non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of dusts. Avoid substance contact. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate the danger area, observe emergency procedures, consult an expert.
For personal protection see section 8.
6.2 Environmental precautions
Do not let product enter drains.

6.3 Methods and materials 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.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling
For precautions see section 2.2.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
Storage conditions
Tightly closed. Dry.

Storage class
Storage class (TRGS 510): 8A: Combustible, corrosive hazardous materials

7.3 Specific end use(s)
Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters
Ingredients with workplace control parameters
Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls
Immediately change contaminated clothing. Apply preventive skin protection. Wash hands and face after working with substance.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection
Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU). Tightly fitting safety goggles

Body Protection
Acid-resistant protective clothing

Respiratory protection
Recommended Filter type: Filter type P2
The entrepreneur has to ensure that maintenance, cleaning and testing of respiratory protective devices are carried out according to the instructions of the producer. These measures have to be properly documented. Required when dusts are generated.
Our recommendations on filtering respiratory protection are based on the following standards: DIN EN 143, DIN 14387 and other accompanying standards relating to the used respiratory protection system.

**Control of environmental exposure**
Do not let product enter drains.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

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<td>a) Appearance</td>
<td>Form: powder</td>
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<td>Color: white</td>
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<td>b) Odor</td>
<td>No data available</td>
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<td>c) Odor Threshold</td>
<td>No data available</td>
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<tr>
<td>d) pH</td>
<td>1.2 at 100 g/l at 23.2 °C (73.8 °F)</td>
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<td>e) Melting point/freezing point</td>
<td>173.34 - 177.56 °C (344.01 - 351.61 °F) at 1,013.25 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 102</td>
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<td>f) Initial boiling point and boiling range</td>
<td>229.59 °C 445.26 °F at 1,013.25 hPa - OECD Test Guideline 103</td>
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<td>g) Flash point</td>
<td>() No data available</td>
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<td>h) Evaporation rate</td>
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<td>i) Flammability (solid, gas)</td>
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<td>j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</td>
<td>No data available</td>
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<td>k) Vapor pressure</td>
<td>0.0000323 hPa at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 104</td>
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<td>l) Vapor density</td>
<td>No data available</td>
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<td>m) Density</td>
<td>1.45 g/cm3 at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 109</td>
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<td>Relative density: 1.4520 °C - OECD Test Guideline 109</td>
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<td>n) Water solubility</td>
<td>825.32 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 105</td>
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<td>o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</td>
<td>log Pow: -3.25 at 20 °C (68 °F) - OECD Test Guideline 107 - Bioaccumulation is not expected.</td>
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<td>p) Autoignition temperature</td>
<td>does not ignite</td>
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<td>q) Decomposition temperature</td>
<td>201.01 °C (393.82 °F) -</td>
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<td>r) Viscosity</td>
<td>No data available</td>
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<td>s) Explosive properties</td>
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<tr>
<td>t) Oxidizing properties</td>
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9.2 Other safety information
No data available

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
The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions
Violent reactions possible with:
strong oxidising agents

10.4 Conditions to avoid
no information available

10.5 Incompatible materials
No data available

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products
In the event of fire: see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity
Oral: No data available
Inhalation: No data available
Dermal: No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation
Remarks: Causes severe burns.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation
Remarks: Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization
No data available

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 ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is
identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No ingredient 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 on OSHA’s list of regulated carcinogens.

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

11.2 Additional Information

RTECS: MC0560000
To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates

semi-static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - > 220 mg/l - 48 h (OECD Test Guideline 202)
Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: glycine

Toxicity to algae

static test ErC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata - > 100 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Remarks: The value is given based on a SAR/AAR approach using OECD Toolbox, DEREK, VEGA QSAR models (CAESAR models), etc.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability
aerobic - Exposure time 14 d
Result: 76 - 82 % - Readily biodegradable. (OECD Test Guideline 301C)
Remarks: The value is given in analogy to the following substances: glycine

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential
No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil
No data available

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12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties
No data available

12.7 Other adverse effects
No data available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product
Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with the national and local regulations. Leave chemicals in original containers. No mixing with other waste. Handle uncleaned containers like the product itself.

SECTION 14: Transport information

DOT (US)
UN number: 3261   Class: 8   Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (glycine hydrochloride)
Reportable Quantity (RQ):
   Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG
UN number: 3261   Class: 8   Packing group: III   EMS-No: F-A, S-B
Proper shipping name: CORROSIVE SOLID, ACIDIC, ORGANIC, N.O.S. (glycine hydrochloride)

IATA
UN number: 3261   Class: 8   Packing group: III
Proper shipping name: Corrosive solid, acidic, organic, n.o.s. (glycine hydrochloride)

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

SARA 302 Components
This material does not contain any components with a section 302 EHS TPQ.

SARA 313 Components
This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312 Hazards
No SARA Hazards

Massachusetts Right To Know Components
No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

SECTION 16: Other information

Further information
The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be 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. Sigma-Aldrich Corporation and its Affiliates shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See www.sigma-aldrich.com and/or the reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.

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