



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

May be used to comply with OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200. Standard must be consulted for specific requirements.

## U.S. Department of Labor

Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
(Non-Mandatory Form)  
Form Approved  
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<b>IDENTITY (As Used on Label and List)</b> <b>Gallimycin PFC Soluble Powder</b>	<i>Note: Blank spaces are not permitted. If any item is not applicable, or no information is available, the space must be marked to indicate that.</i>
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<b>Section I</b>	
Manufacturer's Name <b>Bimeda, Inc.</b>	Emergency Telephone Number 816-364-3777 ( days ); 816-487-2010 ( evenings )
Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code) 460 NW Parkway Riverside, MO 64150	Telephone Number for Information 816-364-3777 ( days ); 816-487-2010 ( evenings )
	Date Prepared February, 25, 2002
	Signature of Preparer (optional)

### Section II - Hazardous Ingredients/Identity Information

COMPOSITION: Macrolide antibiotic				
Hazardous Components (Specific Chemical Identity, Common Name(s))	OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	Other Limits Recommended	% (Optional)
Erythromycin Phosphate	Unknown	Unknown		

### Section III - Physical/Chemical Characteristics

Boiling Point	N / A	Specific Gravity (H <sub>2</sub> O = 1)	.81g/ml
Vapor Pressure (mm Hg.)	N / A	Melting Point	132°C
Vapor Density (AIR = 1)	N / A	Evaporation Rate (Butyl Acetate = 1)	N / A
Solubility in Water Soluble in water.			
Appearance and Odor Peach to pale yellow powder.			

### Section IV - Fire and Explosion Hazard Data

Flash Point (Method Used) Data not available.	Flammable Limits Data not available.	LEL N / A	UEL N / A
Extinguishing Media Use appropriate media for underlying cause of fire.			
Special Fire Fighting Procedures Firefighter should use self-contained breathing apparatus and protective gear.			
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards Erythromycin emits toxic fumes when heated to decomposition.			

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<b>Section V - Reactivity Data</b>				
Stability	Unstable		Conditions to Avoid	
	Stable	<b>X</b>		
Incompatibility ( <i>Materials to Avoid</i> )				
Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts Erythromycin emits toxic fumes when heated to decomposition.				
Hazardous Polymerization	May Occur		Conditions to Avoid	
	Will Not Occur	<b>X</b>	None Known	
<b>Section VI - Health Hazard Data</b>				
Route(s) of Entry:	Eyes? May cause irritation	Inhalation? May be irritating.	Skin? May be irritating.	Ingestion? May be harmful.
Health Hazards ( <i>Acute and Chronic</i> ) Unknown				
Carcinogenicity:	NTP? Unknown	IARC Monographs?	OSHA Regulated?	
Signs and Symptoms of Exposure Eye, skin or respiratory irritations.				
Medical Conditions Generally Aggravated by Exposure Unknown.				
Emergency and First Aid Procedures In case of skin contact flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical attention if irritation persists. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. In case of eye contact, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating eyelids with fingers. Seek prompt medical attention if irritation persists.				
Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air. Seek medical attention if allergic reaction develops. Ingestion: Call a physician immediately.				
<b>Section VII - Precautions for Safe Handling and Use</b>				
Steps to Be Taken in Case Material Is Released or Spilled Absorb into an absorbent material and dispose according to regulations.				
Waste Disposal Method Dispose of unused drug in accordance with local, state or federal regulations.				
Precautions to Be Taken in Handling and Storing Keep in a cool, dry place. Avoid breathing dusts. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wear gloves and appropriate clothing to minimize skin contact.				
Other Precautions N/A				
<b>Section VIII - Control Measures</b>				
Respiratory Precaution ( <i>Specify Type</i> ) Avoid breathing dusts.				
Ventilation	Local Exhaust	None normally required.	Special	N / A
	Mechanical ( <i>General</i> )	N/A	Other	Use adequate ventilation.
Protective Gloves	Chemical resistant gloves	Eye Protection	Yes, goggles	
Other Protective Clothing or Equipment Safety shower and eye wash station.				
Work/Hygienic Practices Normal accepted practices which minimize contact with eyes, mouth, nose and skin.				
<b>OTHER</b>				
STORAGE REQUIREMENT: Keep in a cool, dry place.				
ANIMAL TOXICITY:				

The information contained herein is considered to be correct as of the date of this data sheet but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide.

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