

## SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1 : IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** **Pemetrexed for Injection**  
**Product Use/Restriction:** Diuretic and antihypertensive  
**Manufacturer Name:** Fresenius Kabi USA, LLC  
**Address:** Three Corporate Drive  
Lake Zurich, Illinois 60047  
**General Phone Number:** (847) 550-2300  
**Customer Service Phone Number:** (888) 386-1300  
**Health Issues Information:** (800) 551-7176  
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### SECTION 2 : HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

**Emergency Overview:** This product is intended for therapeutic use only when prescribed by a physician. Potential adverse reactions from prescribed doses and overdoses are described in the package insert. Irritant. Reproductive effects.

**Route of Exposure:** Inhalation Ingestion Eye contact Skin Absorption. Injection.

**Potential Health Effects:**

**Eye:** Contact with eyes may cause irritation.

**Skin:** May cause skin irritation.

**Inhalation:** May cause irritation of respiratory tract.

**Ingestion:** May cause irritation.

**Signs/Symptoms:** The active ingredient, pemetrexed, is a folic acid antimetabolite, this class of compounds is known to cause developmental effects. Effects of overexposure to pemetrexed disodium may include bone marrow suppression resulting in decreased blood cell counts, inflammation of mucous membranes, skin rash, fatigue, fetal effects, and reproductive tissue changes.

**Target Organs:** Eyes. Skin. Reproductive system. Blood. Bone Marrow.

**Aggravation of Pre-Existing Conditions:** None generally recognized.

### SECTION 3 : COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS#	Ingredient Percent	EC Num.
Pemetrexed Disodium	150399-23-8	50 %	
Mannitol	69-65-8	50 %	

### SECTION 4 : FIRST AID MEASURES

**Eye Contact:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 to 20 minutes. Ensure adequate flushing of the eyes by separating the eyelids with fingers. Get immediate medical attention.

**Skin Contact:** Immediately wash skin with plenty of soap and water for 15 to 20 minutes, while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Inhalation:** If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Ingestion:** If conscious, flush mouth out with water immediately. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Other First Aid:** For Adverse Event Information, please call (800) 551-7176.

### SECTION 5 : FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

<b>Flash Point:</b>	Not established.
<b>Flash Point Method:</b>	Not established.
<b>Auto Ignition Temperature:</b>	Not established.
<b>Lower Flammable/Explosive Limit:</b>	Not established.
<b>Upper Flammable/Explosive Limit:</b>	Not established.
<b>Fire Fighting Instructions:</b>	Evacuate area of unprotected personnel. Use cold water spray to cool fire exposed containers to minimize risk of rupture. Do not enter confined fire space without full protective gear. If possible, contain fire run-off water.
<b>Extinguishing Media:</b>	Use alcohol resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry chemical, or water fog or spray when fighting fires involving this material. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
<b>Protective Equipment:</b>	As in any fire, wear Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA), MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.
<b>Hazardous Combustion Byproducts:</b>	Thermal decomposition products may include smoke and toxic fumes. Oxides of carbon, oxides of nitrogen and other organic substances may be formed. Other undetermined low molecular weight hydrocarbon compounds may be released in small quantities depending upon specific conditions of combustion.

## SECTION 6 : ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

<b>Personal Precautions:</b>	Evacuate area and keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the spill area. Avoid personal contact and breathing vapors or mists. Use proper personal protective equipment as listed in Section 8.
<b>Environmental Precautions:</b>	Avoid runoff into storm sewers, ditches, and waterways.
<b>Methods for containment:</b>	Contain spills with an inert absorbent material such as soil, sand or oil dry.
<b>Methods for cleanup:</b>	Absorb spill with inert material (e.g., dry sand or earth), then place in a chemical waste container. After removal, flush spill area with soap and water to remove trace residue.

## SECTION 7 : HANDLING and STORAGE

<b>Handling:</b>	When handling pharmaceutical products, avoid all contact and inhalation of vapor, mists and/or fumes. Use with adequate ventilation. Use only in accordance with directions.
<b>Storage:</b>	Store at controlled room temperature 20 to 25°C (68 to 77°F).
<b>Work Practices:</b>	Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower.
<b>Hygiene Practices:</b>	Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Avoid inhaling vapor or mist.

## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

<b>Engineering Controls:</b>	General ventilation is sufficient if this product is being used in a controlled medical setting (clinic, hospital, medical office) for its sole intended parenteral (injection) purpose. Otherwise, use appropriate engineering control such as process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls including use of a biosafety cabinet / fume hood to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits.
<b>Eye/Face Protection:</b>	Chemical splash goggles. Wear a face shield also when splash hazard exist.
<b>Skin Protection Description:</b>	Protective laboratory coat, apron, or disposable garment recommended.
<b>Hand Protection Description:</b>	Wear appropriate protective gloves. Consult glove manufacturer's data for permeability data. Nitrile rubber or natural rubber gloves are recommended.
<b>Respiratory Protection:</b>	No personal respiratory protective equipment is normally required when this product is being used/administered by a licensed healthcare practitioner (i.e. an end-user such as a clinician / doctor / nurse) for its sole intended parenteral (injection) purpose in a controlled medical setting. The need for respiratory protection will vary according to the airborne concentrations and environmental conditions. A NIOSH approved air-purifying respirator with an organic vapor cartridge or canister may be permissible under certain circumstances. Consult the NIOSH web site ( <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/npptl/topics/respirators/">http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/npptl/topics/respirators/</a> ) for a list of respirator types and approved suppliers.
<b>Other Protective:</b>	Consult with local procedures for selection, training, inspection and maintenance of the personal protective equipment.

### EXPOSURE GUIDELINES

## SECTION 9 : PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<b>Physical State:</b>	Lyophilized powder.
<b>Color:</b>	White
<b>Odor:</b>	Odorless.
<b>Boiling Point:</b>	Not established.
<b>Melting Point:</b>	Not established.

Solubility:	Soluble. in water.
Vapor Density:	Not established.
Vapor Pressure:	Not established.
Percent Volatile:	Not established.
pH:	Not established.
Molecular Formula:	Mixture
Flash Point:	Not established.
Flash Point Method:	Not established.
Auto Ignition Temperature:	Not established.

## SECTION 10 : STABILITY and REACTIVITY

Chemical Stability:	Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.
Hazardous Polymerization:	Not reported.
Conditions to Avoid:	No conditions contributing to instability are known to exist for normal handling of this product.

## SECTION 11 : TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Pemetrexed Disodium :

RTECS Number:	LZ9950150
Skin:	LD50 (rabbit) > 1,000 mg/kg
Ingestion:	LD50 (rat) > 500 mg/kg
Mutagenicity:	Clastogenic in the in vivo micronucleus assay in the mouse. Results in genetic toxicity assays (in vitro): Negative.
Reproductive Toxicity:	Intravenous. - Mouse TDLo: 2 mg/kg [Reproductive - Effects on Embryo or Fetus - fetotoxicity (except death, e.g., stunted fetus)] Administration to pregnant mice resulted in decreased fetal weight, incomplete ossification of some skeletal structures, and cleft palate. Male reproductive toxicity characterized by reduced fertility, hypospermia, and testicular atrophy was observed when given to male mice. Decreased testes weights with decreased sperm production and decreased red blood cells were reported in mice with intraperitoneal exposure for 6 weeks. Intravenous exposure in dogs for up to 6 months resulted in mortality, decreased white blood cell counts, mild anemia, and intestinal lesions.

### Mannitol :

RTECS Number:	OP2060000
Ingestion:	Oral - Rat LD50: 13500 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] Oral - Mouse LD50: 22 gm/kg [Behavioral - Somnolence (general depressed activity); Gastrointestinal - Ulceration or bleeding from small intestine]
Other Toxicological Information:	Intravenous. - Rat LD50: 9690 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] Intravenous. - Mouse LD50: 7470 mg/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value] Intraperitoneal. - Mouse LD50: 14 gm/kg [Details of toxic effects not reported other than lethal dose value]

## SECTION 12 : ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Pemetrexed Disodium :

Bioaccumulation:	Bioconcentration factor (BCF): < 4.6
Effect of Material On Aquatic Life:	LC50 / 96 h / Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout): > 1,212.7 mg/l

## SECTION 13 : DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste Disposal:	Dispose of in accordance with Local, State, Federal and Provincial regulations.
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## SECTION 14 : TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT Shipping Name:	Not Regulated.
DOT UN Number:	Not Regulated.

## SECTION 15 : REGULATORY INFORMATION

**Mannitol:**

TSCA Inventory Status: Listed

Canada DSL: Listed

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**SECTION 16 : ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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**HMIS Ratings:**

HMIS Health Hazard: 2

HMIS Fire Hazard: 1

HMIS Reactivity: 0

HMIS Personal Protection: X

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