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## **Product Datasheet**

# GC2112 - Chitin, from squid, 5mm flakes

## **Product Details**

Product Name Chitin, from squid, 5mm flakes

Glentham Code GC2112
CAS Number 1398-61-4
EINECS 215-744-3
MDL Number MFCD00466914

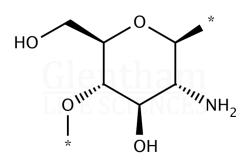
Related Categories Carbohydrates, Biochemicals,

Natural Products, Polysaccharides, Chitin &

Chitosan

#### **Structure**

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Molecular Weight} & : & [203.19] \mbox{n} \\ \mbox{Molecular Formula} & : & [\mbox{C}_8\mbox{H}_{13}\mbox{NO}_5] \mbox{n} \\ \end{array}$ 



## **Storage**

Recommended storage temperature: +20°C.

## **Hazards and Transport**

Not classified as hazardous under CLP. Not classified as dangerous for transport.

## **Glentham Product Specification**

Physical : Off-white, pale beige or Description yellow-orange fine flakes

Ash : ≤ 1.0% Protein : ≤ 1.0% Water ≤ 12.0% pH (1% in water) : 6.0 - 8.0 Arsenic (As) : ≤ 1ppm Lead (Pb) : ≤ 0.5ppm : ≤ 0.1ppm Mercury (Hg) Cadmium (Cd) : ≤ 1ppm Particle Size : ≤ 5mm Origin Squid Version : v1.0

### About Chitin, from squid, 5mm flakes

Chitin is a polysaccharide naturally found in the beaks of cephalopods such as squid and is composed of  $\beta$ -1,4, linked N-acetyl-D-glucosamine units. The applications of chitin range from simply being a thickening agent to being used in the biomedical field due to its antimicrobial activity. It is also used to study chitinases and other related enzymes.

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