

SAFETY DATA SHEET

according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING**1.1 Product identifiers**

Product name : Triethylamine

Product Number : 471283
Brand : Sigma-Aldrich
Index-No. : 612-004-00-5
CAS-No. : 121-44-8**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Manufacture of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheetCompany : Sigma-Aldrich Company Ltd.
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture****Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP]**Flammable liquids (Category 2)
Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 4)
Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 4)
Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4)
Skin corrosion (Category 1A)**Classification according to EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC**

Highly flammable. Causes severe burns. Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

2.2 Label elements**Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]**

Pictogram



Signal word : Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H225 : Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H302 : Harmful if swallowed.
H312 : Harmful in contact with skin.
H314 : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H332 : Harmful if inhaled.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. - No smoking.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
Supplemental Hazard Statements none

According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.

Hazard symbol(s)



R-phrases(s)

R11 Highly flammable.
R20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.
R35 Causes severe burns.

S-phrases(s)

S3 Keep in a cool place.
S16 Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking.
S26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
S29 Do not empty into drains.
S36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
S45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

2.3 Other hazards - none

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Formula : $C_6H_{15}N$
Molecular Weight : 101.19 g/mol

Component		Concentration
Triethylamine		
CAS-No.	121-44-8	-
EC-No.	204-469-4	
Index-No.	612-004-00-5	

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

no data available

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

no data available

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary.

5.4 Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear respiratory protection. Avoid breathing vapors, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in cool place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

7.3 Specific end uses

no data available

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Triethylamine	121-44-8	STEL	4 ppm 17 mg/m ³	UK. EH40 WEL - Workplace Exposure Limits
	Remarks	Can be absorbed through skin. The assigned substances are those		

		for which there are concerns that dermal absorption will lead to systemic toxicity.		
		TWA	2 ppm 8 mg/m3	UK. EH40 WEL - Workplace Exposure Limits
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		TWA	2 ppm 8.4 mg/m3	Europe. Commission Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
		Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin Indicative		
		STEL	3 ppm 12.6 mg/m3	Europe. Commission Directive 2000/39/EC establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values
		Identifies the possibility of significant uptake through the skin Indicative		

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

The selected protective gloves have to satisfy the specifications of EU Directive 89/686/EEC and the standard EN 374 derived from it.

Immersion protection

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm

Break through time: > 480 min

Material tested: Camatril® (Aldrich Z677442, Size M)

Splash protection

Material: Nitrile rubber

Minimum layer thickness: 0.2 mm

Break through time: > 30 min

Material tested: Dermatril® P (Aldrich Z677388, Size M)

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If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an Industrial Hygienist familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.

Body Protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing, The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance	Form: liquid, clear Colour: colourless
b) Odour	amine-like
c) Odour Threshold	no data available
d) pH	12.7 at 100 g/l at 15 °C
e) Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: -115 °C - lit.
f) Initial boiling point and boiling range	88.8 °C - lit.
g) Flash point	-15 °C - closed cup
h) Evaporation rate	no data available
i) Flammability (solid, gas)	no data available
j) Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 8 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 1.2 %(V)
k) Vapour pressure	68.99 hPa at 20 °C 85.06 hPa at 30 °C
l) Vapour density	3.49 - (Air = 1.0)
m) Relative density	0.726 g/cm ³ at 25 °C
n) Water solubility	no data available
o) Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 1.15
p) Autoignition temperature	no data available
q) Decomposition temperature	no data available
r) Viscosity	no data available
s) Explosive properties	no data available
t) Oxidizing properties	no data available

9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension	20.7 mN/m at 20 °C
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10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1 Reactivity

no data available

10.2 Chemical stability

no data available

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

no data available

- 10.4 Conditions to avoid**
Heat, flames and sparks. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.
- 10.5 Incompatible materials**
Strong oxidizing agents
- 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**
Other decomposition products - no data available

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

LD50 Oral - rat - 730 mg/kg

LC50 Inhalation - rat - 4 h - 7.1 mg/l

LD50 Dermal - rabbit - 580 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation

Skin - rabbit - Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

no data available

Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

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

Potential health effects

Inhalation	Toxic if inhaled. Material is extremely destructive to the tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
Ingestion	Harmful if swallowed. Causes burns.
Skin	Toxic if absorbed through skin. Causes skin burns.
Eyes	Causes eye burns.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea, Vomiting

Additional Information

RTECS: YE0175000

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 43.7 mg/l - 96 h

LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 126 - 150 mg/l - 60 d

LOEC - Danio rerio (zebra fish) - 320 mg/l - 7 d

Toxicity to daphnia and
other aquatic
invertebrates

EC50 - Daphnia magna (Water flea) - 200 mg/l - 48 h

Toxicity to bacteria

LC50 - Bacteria - 95 mg/l - 17 h

12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

no data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

no data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

no data available

12.6 Other adverse effects

Harmful to aquatic life.
no data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

14.1 UN number

ADR/RID: 1296

IMDG: 1296

IATA: 1296

14.2 UN proper shipping name

ADR/RID: TRIETHYLAMINE

IMDG: TRIETHYLAMINE

IATA: Triethylamine

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID: 3 (8)

IMDG: 3 (8)

IATA: 3 (8)

14.4 Packaging group

ADR/RID: II

IMDG: II

IATA: II

14.5 Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: no

IMDG Marine pollutant: no

IATA: no

14.6 Special precautions for user

no data available

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This safety datasheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

no data available

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

no data available

16. OTHER INFORMATION**Further information**

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