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# Material Safety Data Sheet

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### SECTION 1. ----- CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION-----

CATALOG #: 2626-1-03

NAME: ETHYLENE GLYCOL BIS(TRIMELLITIC ANHYDRIDE), POLYIMIDE GRADE

SYNONYMS: 4,4'-ETHYLENE DIMELLITATE DIANHYDRIDE;  
ETHYLENE BIS(TRIMELLITATE) DIANHYDRIDE;  
ETHYLENE GLYCOL BIS(ANHYDROTRIMELLITATE)

### SECTION 2. ----- COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS -----

CAS NUMBER: 1732-96-3

MDL NUMBER: MFCD00082947

MOLECULAR FORMULA:  $C_{20}H_{10}O_{10}$

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 410.29

### SECTION 3. ----- HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION -----

#### LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HARMFUL.

HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

IRRITANT.

IRRITATING TO THE EYES, RESPIRATORY SYSTEM, AND SKIN.

### SECTION 4. ----- FIRST-AID MEASURES-----

#### ORAL EXPOSURE

IF SWALLOWED, WASH OUT MOUTH WITH COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER PROVIDED PERSON IS CONSCIOUS. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

#### INHALATION EXPOSURE

IF INHALED, REMOVE EXPOSED TO FRESH AIR. IF BREATHING IS DIFFICULT, CALL A PHYSICIAN.

#### DERMAL EXPOSURE

IN CASE OF EXPOSURE, IMMEDIATELY WASH SKIN WITH SOAP AND COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

#### EYE EXPOSURE

IN CASE OF CONTACT WITH EYES, FLUSH WITH COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES. ASSURE ADEQUATE FLUSHING BY SEPARATING THE EYELIDS WITH FINGERS. CALL A PHYSICIAN.

## **SECTION 5. ----- FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES -----**

### **FLASH POINT**

NOT ESTABLISHED

### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

SUITABLE: WATER SPRAY, ALCOHOL RESISTANT FOAM, DRY CHEMICAL, OR CARBON DIOXIDE. COOL ALL AFFECTED CONTAINERS WITH FLOODING QUANTITIES OF WATER.

### **FIREFIGHTING**

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT: WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING TO PREVENT CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES.

SPECIFIC HAZARD(S): EMITS TOXIC FUMES UNDER FIRE CONDITIONS.

## **SECTION 6. ----- ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES-----**

### **PROCEDURE(S) OF PERSONAL PRECAUTION(S)**

WEAR RESPIRATOR, CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES, RUBBER BOOTS, AND HEAVY RUBBER GLOVES.

### **METHODS FOR CLEANING UP**

SWEEP UP, PLACE IN A BAG AND HOLD FOR WASTE DISPOSAL. AVOID RAISING DUST. VENTILATE AREA AND WASH SPILL SITE AFTER MATERIAL PICKUP IS COMPLETE.

## **SECTION 7. ----- HANDLING AND STORAGE-----**

### **HANDLING**

USER EXPOSURE: DO NOT BREATHE DUST. AVOID CONTACT WITH EYES, SKIN, AND CLOTHING. AVOID PROLONGED OR REPEATED EXPOSURE.

### **STORAGE**

SUITABLE: KEEP TIGHTLY CLOSED.

## **SECTION 8. ----- EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION-----**

### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

SAFETY SHOWER AND EYE BATH. MECHANICAL EXHAUST REQUIRED.

### **PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

RESPIRATORY: GOVERNMENT APPROVED RESPIRATOR.

HAND: COMPATIBLE CHEMICAL-RESISTANT GLOVES.

EYE: CHEMICAL SAFETY GOGGLES.

### **GENERAL HYGIENE MEASURES**

WASH THOROUGHLY AFTER HANDLING.

## **SECTION 9. ----- PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES -----**

### **APPEARANCE AND ODOR**

SOLID

### **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

MELTING POINT: 167 - 169 °C

**SECTION 10. -----STABILITY AND REACTIVITY -----**

**STABILITY**

STABLE: STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.

MATERIALS TO AVOID: STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS, STRONG BASES, STRONG REDUCING AGENTS.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: HEAT, FLAMES AND SPARKS, EXTREMES OF TEMPERATURE, MOISTURE AND DIRECT SUNLIGHT.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS**

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: CARBON OXIDES.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION**

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR.

**SECTION 11. ----- TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----**

**ROUTE OF EXPOSURE**

INHALATION: MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. RESPIRATORY SENSITIZER.

INGESTION: HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

SKIN: MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN.

EYES: CAUSES EYE IRRITATION.

**SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE**

TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES OF THIS PRODUCT HAVE NOT BEEN FULLY DETERMINED.

**SECTION 12. ----- ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION -----**

NOT YET AVAILABLE.

**SECTION 13. ----- DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS -----**

**APPROPRIATE METHOD OF DISPOSAL OF SUBSTANCE OR PREPARATION**

OFFER SURPLUS AND NON-RECYCLABLE SOLUTIONS TO A LICENSED DISPOSAL COMPANY.

CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE OF THIS

MATERIAL. OBSERVE ALL FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

**SECTION 14. ----- TRANSPORT INFORMATION -----**

UNRESTRICTED

**SECTION 15. ----- REGULATORY INFORMATION -----**

**EU ADDITIONAL CLASSIFICATION**

SYMBOL OF DANGER: Xi

INDICATION OF DANGER: IRRITANT.

RISK STATEMENTS: 22-36/37/38

SAFETY STATEMENTS: 22-24/25-26-36/37/38-45

**UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION**

TSCA: LISTED ON TSCA INVENTORY; FOR R&D USE ONLY

**SECTION 16. ----- OTHER INFORMATION -----**

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