





Material Safety Data Sheet

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Section 1. Chemical Product and Company Identification			Page Number: 1
Common Name/ Trade Name	Dimethyl Maleate	Catalog Number(s).	D2617
		CAS#	624-48-6
Manufacturer	SPECTRUM CHEMICAL MFG. CORP. 14422 S. SAN PEDRO STREET GARDENA, CA 90248	RTECS	EM6300000
		TSCA	TSCA 8(b) inventory: Dimethyl Maleate
Commercial Name(s)	Not available.	CI#	Not available.
Synonym	Maleic Acid, Dimethyl Ester	<u>IN CASE OF EMERGENCY</u> <u>CHEMTREC (24hr) 800-424-9300</u> CALL (310) 516-8000	
Chemical Name	Dimethyl Maleate		
Chemical Family	Not available.		
Chemical Formula	C6-H8-O4		
Supplier	SPECTRUM CHEMICAL MFG. CORP. 14422 S. SAN PEDRO STREET GARDENA, CA 90248		

Section 2. Composition and Information on Ingredients					
		Exposure Limits			
Name	CAS #	TWA (mg/m ³)	STEL (mg/m ³)	CEIL (mg/m ³)	% by Weight
1) Dimethyl Maleate	624-48-6				100
Toxicological Data on Ingredients	Dimethyl Maleate: ORAL (LD50): Acute: 1410 mg/kg [Rat].				

Section 3. Hazards Identification	
Potential Acute Health Effects	Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of eye contact (irritant), of ingestion.
Potential Chronic Health Effects	CARCINOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. MUTAGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. TERATOGENIC EFFECTS: Not available. DEVELOPMENTAL TOXICITY: Not available. The substance is toxic to gastrointestinal tract, eye, lens or cornea. Repeated or prolonged exposure to the substance can produce target organs damage.

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Section 4. First Aid Measures

Eye Contact	Check for and remove any contact lenses. Do not use an eye ointment. Seek medical attention.
Skin Contact	After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water. Gently and thoroughly wash the contaminated skin with running water and non-abrasive soap. Be particularly careful to clean folds, crevices, creases and groin. Cover the irritated skin with an emollient. If irritation persists, seek medical attention. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing.
Serious Skin Contact	Wash with a disinfectant soap and cover the contaminated skin with an anti-bacterial cream. Seek immediate medical attention.
Inhalation	Allow the victim to rest in a well ventilated area. Seek immediate medical attention.
Serious Inhalation	Evacuate the victim to a safe area as soon as possible. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If breathing is difficult, administer oxygen. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek medical attention.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting. Examine the lips and mouth to ascertain whether the tissues are damaged, a possible indication that the toxic material was ingested; the absence of such signs, however, is not conclusive. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If the victim is not breathing, perform mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Seek immediate medical attention.
Serious Ingestion	Not available.

Section 5. Fire and Explosion Data

Flammability of the Product	Combustible.
Auto-Ignition Temperature	Not available.
Flash Points	CLOSED CUP: 91.176°C (196.1°F).
Flammable Limits	Not available.
Products of Combustion	These products are carbon oxides (CO, CO2).
Fire Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Not available.
Explosion Hazards in Presence of Various Substances	Risks of explosion of the product in presence of mechanical impact: Not available. Risks of explosion of the product in presence of static discharge: Not available.
Fire Fighting Media and Instructions	SMALL FIRE: Use DRY chemical powder. LARGE FIRE: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.
Special Remarks on Fire Hazards	Not available.
Special Remarks on Explosion Hazards	Not available.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

Small Spill	Absorb with an inert material and put the spilled material in an appropriate waste disposal.
Large Spill	Combustible material. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Stop leak if without risk.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

Precautions	Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Ground all equipment containing material. Do not ingest. Do not breathe gas/fumes/ vapour/spray. Wear suitable protective clothing. If ingested, seek medical advice immediately and show the container or the label. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
Storage	Flammable materials should be stored in a separate safety storage cabinet or room. Keep away from heat. Keep away from sources of ignition. Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place. Ground all equipment containing material. Keep container dry. Keep in a cool place.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Engineering Controls	Provide exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep the airborne concentrations of vapors below their respective threshold limit value. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are proximal to the work-station location.
Personal Protection	Splash goggles. Lab coat. Gloves.
Personal Protection in Case of a Large Spill	Splash goggles. Full suit. Boots. Gloves. Suggested protective clothing might not be sufficient; consult a specialist BEFORE handling this product.
Exposure Limits	Not available.

Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state and appearance	Liquid.	Odor	Not available.
Molecular Weight	144.13 g/mole	Taste	Not available.
pH (1% soln/water)	Not available.	Color	Not available.
Boiling Point	Not available.		
Melting Point	Not available.		
Critical Temperature	Not available.		
Specific Gravity	Not available.		
Vapor Pressure	Not available.		
Vapor Density	Not available.		
Volatility	Not available.		
Odor Threshold	Not available.		
Water/Oil Dist. Coeff.	Not available.		
Ionicity (in Water)	Not available.		
Dispersion Properties	Not available.		
Solubility	Not available.		

Section 10. Stability and Reactivity Data

Stability	The product is stable.
Instability Temperature	Not available.
Conditions of Instability	Not available.
Incompatibility with various substances	Not available.
Corrosivity	Not available.

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Special Remarks on Reactivity	Not available.
Special Remarks on Corrosivity	Not available.
Polymerization	No.

Section 11. Toxicological Information

Routes of Entry	Absorbed through skin. Eye contact. Ingestion.
Toxicity to Animals	Acute oral toxicity (LD50): 1410 mg/kg [Rat].
Chronic Effects on Humans	The substance is toxic to gastrointestinal tract, eye, lens or cornea.
Other Toxic Effects on Humans	Hazardous in case of skin contact (irritant), of ingestion.
Special Remarks on Toxicity to Animals	Not available.
Special Remarks on Chronic Effects on Humans	Not available.
Special Remarks on other Toxic Effects on Humans	Not available.

Section 12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity	Not available.
BOD5 and COD	Not available.
Products of Biodegradation	Possibly hazardous short term degradation products are not likely. However, long term degradation products may arise.
Toxicity of the Products of Biodegradation	The products of degradation are less toxic than the product itself.
Special Remarks on the Products of Biodegradation	Not available.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal

Section 14. Transport Information

DOT Classification	CLASS 6.1: Poisonous material.
Identification	: Toxic Liquid, Organic, n.o.s(Dimethyl Maleate) : UN2810 PG: III
Special Provisions for Transport	Not available.
DOT (Pictograms)	



Section 15. Other Regulatory Information and Pictograms

Federal and State Regulations

TSCA 8(b) inventory: Dimethyl Maleate

California Proposition 65 Warnings

Other Regulations

OSHA: Hazardous by definition of Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200).
 EINECS: This product is on the European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances.

Other Classifications

WHMIS (Canada)

CLASS B-3: Combustible liquid with a flash point between 37.8°C (100°F) and 93.3°C (200°F).
 CLASS D-1B: Material causing immediate and serious toxic effects (TOXIC).

DSCL (EEC)

R22- Harmful if swallowed.
 R36/38- Irritating to eyes and skin.

HMIS (U.S.A.)

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Fire Hazard	2
Reactivity	0
Personal Protection	j

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)

Health

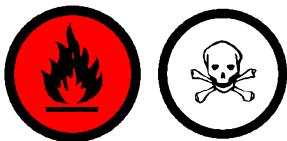


Flammability

Reactivity

Specific hazard

WHMIS (Canada) (Pictograms)



DSCL (Europe) (Pictograms)



TDG (Canada) (Pictograms)



ADR (Europe) (Pictograms)



Protective Equipment



Gloves.



Lab coat.



Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate.

Splash goggles.

Section 16. Other Information**MSDS Code** D3403**References** Not available.**Other Special Considerations** Not available.

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Notice to Reader

All chemicals may pose unknown hazards and should be used with caution. This Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) applies only to the material as packaged. If this product is combined with other materials, deteriorates, or becomes contaminated, it may pose hazards not mentioned in this MSDS. It shall be the user's responsibility to develop proper methods of handling and personal protection based on the actual conditions of use. While this MSDS is based on technical data judged to be reliable, Spectrum Quality Products, Inc. assumes no responsibility for the completeness or accuracy of the information contained herein.