1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name: α,α,α',α'-Tetrabromo-o-xylene
Product code: T0052
Product use: For laboratory research purposes.
Restrictions on use: Not for drug or household use.

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2. HAZARD(S) IDENTIFICATION

OSHA Haz Com: CFR 1910.1200:
Eye Damage/Irritation [Category 1]
WHMIS 2015:
Skin Corrosion/Irritation [Category 1C]
Signal word: Danger!
Hazard Statement(s): Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Pictogram(s) or Symbol(s):

Precautionary Statement(s):
[Prevention] Do not breathe dusts or mists. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling.
Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, face protection.
If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor.
If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water or shower.
Immediately call a poison center or doctor. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
Immediately call a poison center or doctor.
If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor.
[Response] Store locked up.
[Storage] Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, regional, national regulations (e.g. US: 40 CFR Part 261, EU:91/156/EEC, JP: Waste Disposal and Cleaning Act, etc.).

Hazards not otherwise classified: [HNOC] Lachrymator

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance/mixture: Substance
Components: α,α,α',α'-Tetrabromo-o-xylene
Percent: >96.0%(GC)
CAS RN: 13209-15-9
Molecular Weight: 421.75
Chemical Formula: C₈H₆Br₄
Synonyms: 1,2-Bis(dibromomethyl)benzene, o-Xylylene Tetrabromide
4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Skin contact: Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Eye contact: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

Ingestion: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician. Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

Symptoms/effects:


Delayed: No data available

Indication of any immediate medical attention:

Not available.

Notes to physician:

No data available

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media:

Dry chemical, foam, water spray, carbon dioxide.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical:

Take care as it may decompose upon combustion or in high temperatures to generate poisonous fume.

Hazardous combustion products:

These products include: Carbon oxides Halogenated compounds

Other specific hazards:

Closed containers may explode from heat of a fire.

Advice for firefighters:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus if possible.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Use personal protective equipment. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Entry to non-involved personnel should be controlled around the leakage area by roping off, etc.

Sweep dust to collect it into an airtight container, taking care not to disperse it. Adhered or collected material should be promptly disposed of, in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations.

Environmental precautions:

Prevent product from entering drains.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

Sweep dust to collect it into an airtight container, taking care not to disperse it. Adhered or collected material should be promptly disposed of, in accordance with appropriate laws and regulations.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling:

Handling is performed in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective equipment. Prevent dispersion of dust. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Use a closed system if possible. Use a local exhaust if dust or aerosol will be generated. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions:

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool and dark place.

Store locked up.

Store away from incompatible materials such as oxidizing agents.

Light-sensitive

Packaging material:

Comply with laws.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Appropriate engineering controls:

Follow safe industrial engineering/laboratory practices when handling any chemical. Install a closed system or local exhaust. Also install safety shower and eye bath.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection: Dust respirator, self-contained breathing apparatus(SCBA), supplied air respirator, etc. Use respirators approved under appropriate government standards and follow local and national regulations.

Hand protection: Impervious gloves.

Eye protection: Safety goggles. A face-shield, if the situation requires.

Skin and body protection: Impervious protective clothing. Protective boots, if the situation requires.
9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state (20°C): Solid
Form: Crystal - Powder
Colour: White - Greyish reddish yellow
Odour: No data available
Odor threshold: No data available
Odour threshold: No data available

Melting point/freezing point: 115°C (239°F)
Boiling point/range: No data available
Decomposition temperature: No data available
Relative density: No data available
Kinematic viscosity: No data available
Log Pow: No data available

Flash point: No data available
Flammability(solid, gas): No data available

Solubility(ies):
- [Water] Insoluble
- [Other solvents] No data available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available
Chemical stability: Stable under proper conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions: No special reactivity has been reported.
Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents
Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Hydrogen bromide

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity: No data available
Skin corrosion/irritation: No data available
Serious eye damage/irritation: No data available
Respiratory or skin sensitization: No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity: No data available
Carcinogenicity: No data available

IARC: No data available
NTP: No data available
OSHA: No data available
Reproductive toxicity: No data available

Target organ(s): No data available
12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity:
- Fish: No data available
- Crustacea: No data available
- Algae: No data available

Persistence / degradability: No data available
Bioaccumulative potential (BCF): No data available
Mobility in soil:
- Log Pow: No data available
- Soil adsorption (Koc): No data available
- Henry's Law (PaM³/mol): No data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal of product: Recycle to process if possible. It is the generator's responsibility to comply with Federal, State and Local rules and regulations. You may be able to dissolve or mix material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber system. This section is intended to provide assistance but does not replace these laws, nor does compliance in accordance with this section ensure regulatory compliance according to the law. US EPA guidelines for Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste are listed in 40 CFR Parts 261. The product should not be allowed to enter the environment, drains, water ways, or the soil.

Disposal of container: Dispose of as unused product. Do not re-use empty containers.
Other considerations: Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of the substance.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)
- UN number: UN1759
- Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive solids, n.o.s
- Class or Division: 8 Corrosive material
- Packing Group: III

IATA
- UN number: UN1759
- Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive solid, n.o.s
- Class or Division: 8 Corrosive material
- Packing Group: III

IMDG
- UN number: UN1759
- Proper Shipping Name: Corrosive solid, n.o.s
- Class or Division: 8 Corrosive material
- Packing Group: III

EmS number: F-A, S-B

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA 8b.):
This product is ON the EPA Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory.

US Federal Regulations
CERCLA Hazardous substance and Reportable Quantity:
- SARA 313: Not Listed
- SARA 302: Not Listed

State Regulations
State Right-to-Know
- Massachusetts: Not Listed
- New Jersey: Not Listed
- Pennsylvania: Not Listed
- California Proposition 65: Not Listed

Other Information

NFPA Rating:
- Health: 3
- Flammability: 0
- Instability: 0

HMIS Classification:
- Health: 3
- Flammability: 0
- Physical: 0

International Inventories
- Canada: NDSL
- EC-No: 236-176-2
16. OTHER INFORMATION

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