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### 1. Identification

**Product identifier** 

Product Name TETRAHYDROFURFURYL ALCOHOL

Other means of identification

Product Code(s) T2044

Synonyms None

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use No information available

Restrictions on use No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

**Supplier Address** 

Spectrum Chemical Mfg. Corp. 14422 South San Pedro St. Gardena, CA 90248 (310) 516-8000

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A
Flammable liquids	Category 4

#### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

### Label elements

Danger

## Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed
Causes serious eye irritation
Causes skin irritation
Combustible liquid



Appearance Clear Physical state Liquid Odor No information available

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product Keep away from flames and hot surfaces. - No smoking

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention

Specific treatment (see .? on this label)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

In case of fire: Use CO2, dry chemical, or foam to extinguish

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up.

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

## Other information

No information available.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Substance**

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%
Tetrahydrofurfuryl Alcohol	97-99-4	100

## 4. First-aid measures

### **Description of first aid measures**

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

Eye contact Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep

eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Skin contact Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes

and shoes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Ingestion

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician.

Remove all sources of ignition. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) Self-protection of the first aider

involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8). Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically. Note to physicians

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** 

Large Fire

Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO2). water spray. Alcohol resistant foam. CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of

fire, cool tanks with water spray.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact none.

Sensitivity to static discharge

Special protective equipment for

fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Use personal protection equipment.

# 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. See

> section 8 for more information. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure

adequate ventilation.

Other information Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Dike far

ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Dam up. Soak up with inert Methods for cleaning up

absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

# 7. Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Use personal protection equipment. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Keep away from heat, hot Advice on safe handling

surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Take precautionary

measures against static discharges. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Handle in

accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat,

sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labeled containers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations. Keep out of the reach of

children. Store locked up. Hygroscopic. It absorbs moisture from the air.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

Exposure Limits The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or

level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other

recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure

limits from the sources listed here.

## Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls Showers

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

#### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

**Skin and body protection**Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.

Respiratory protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**General hygiene considerations** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not

be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical stateLiquidAppearanceClearColorColorless

Odor No information available
Odor threshold No information available

Property Values Remarks • Method

pHno data availableNone knownMelting point / freezing point-80 °C / -112 °FNone knownBoiling point / boiling range178 °C / 352.4 °FNone knownFlash pointno data availableNone knownEvaporation rateno data availableNone known

Flammability (solid, gas) no data available None known Flammability Limit in Air None known

Upper flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Lower flammability or explosive No data available

limits

Vapor pressureNo data availableNone knownVapor densityno data availableNone knownRelative density1.0544None knownWater solubilitySoluble in cold waterNone known

Soluble in hot water

Solubility(ies) Soluble in diethyl ether None known

Soluble in Acetone Miscible with alcohol Miscible in Chloroform Miscible in Benzene

Partition coefficientNo data availableNone knownAutoignition temperatureno data availableNone knownDecomposition temperatureNone known

Kinematic viscosityno data availableNone knownDynamic viscosityNo data availableNone known

Other information

Explosive propertiesNo information availableOxidizing propertiesNo information availableSoftening pointNo information available

Molecular weight 102.13

VOC Content (%)
Liquid Density
No information available
No information available
No information available

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

Chemical stability Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions 
None under normal processing.

**Conditions to avoid** Heat, flames and sparks.

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products None known based on information supplied.

# 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of

respiratory tract.

**Eye contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Irritating to eyes. (based on

components). Causes serious eye irritation.

**Skin contact** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based

on components).

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause

gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Harmful if swallowed. (based on

components).

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

**Acute toxicity** 

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Tetrahydrofurfuryl Alcohol	= 1600 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-
97-99-4	= 1600 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation**Classification based on data available for ingredients. Irritating to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

**Carcinogenicity** No information available.

Reproductive toxicity Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. Classification based on data available

for ingredients. May damage fertility or the unborn child.

**STOT - single exposure** No information available.

**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.

Aspiration hazard No information available.

Other adverse effects No information available.

Interactive effects No information available.

# 12. Ecological information

## **Ecotoxicity**

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to	Crustacea
			microorganisms	
Tetrahydrofurfuryl	-	LC50: =3400mg/L (48h,	-	-
Alcohol		Chaetodonoides) LC50:		
97-99-4		>101mg/L (96h, Oryzias		
		latipes)		

Persistence and degradability No information available.

**Bioaccumulation** Inherently biodegradable.

Other adverse effects No information available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

## 14. Transport information

**DOT** not regulated

TDG not regulated

MEX not regulated

ICAO (air) not regulated

IATA not regulated

IMDG not regulated

RID not regulated

ADR not regulated

ADN not regulated

## 15. Regulatory information

## **International Inventories**

TSCA Complies

DSL/NDSL Complies EINECS/ELINCS Complies

**ENCS** This product complies with ENCS: **IECSC** This product complies with China:

KECL Complies PICCS Complies

AICS All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical

Substances (AICS).

#### Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances **IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

#### **US Federal Regulations**

## **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

#### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate

classifications.

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

### **US State Regulations**

### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

## U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Tetrahydrofurfuryl Alcohol	-	Present	Present
97-99-4			

## U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not applicable

# 16. Other information

NFPA

Health hazards 2

Flammability 0

Instability 0

Physical and chemical properties -

**HMIS** 

Health hazards 2 \*

Flammability 0

Physical hazards 0

Personal protection X

Chronic Hazard Star Legend

\* = Chronic Health Hazard

### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value

#### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

Japan GHS Classification

Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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