

# TCI AMERICA SAFETY DATA SHEET

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#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name: Tetramethylammonium Borohydride [Reducing Reagent]

Product code: T085

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: Acute Toxicity - Oral [Category 3]

WHMIS 2015: Eye Damage/Irritation [Category 1]

Flammable Solids [Category 2]

Substances and Mixtures which, in Contact with Water, Emit Flammable Gases [Category 2]

Skin Corrosion/Irritation [Category 1C]

Signal word: Danger!

Hazard Statement(s): Flammable solid

In contact with water releases flammable gases

Toxic if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Pictogram(s) or Symbol(s):



Precautionary Statement(s):

[Prevention] Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames and hot surfaces. – No smoking. Do not allow contact with water. Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture. Ground and bond container and receiving

equipment. Use explosion-proof electrical, ventilating and lighting equipment. Do not breathe dusts or mists. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and face thoroughly after

handling. Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, face protection.

[Response] 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. Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water or wrap with wet bandages. In case of fire: Use dry chemical or dry

sand to extinguish.

[Storage] Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container. Store locked up.
[Disposal] Dispose of contents and container in accordance with local, region

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]

None.

#### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance/mixture: Substance

Components: Tetramethylammonium Borohydride [Reducing Reagent]

Percent: >90.0%(T) CAS RN: 16883-45-7 Molecular Weight: 88.99 **Chemical Formula:** C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>16</sub>BN

#### 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.

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

Symptoms/effects:

Acute: Pain. Redness. 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, dry sand.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Water

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical:

These products include: Carbon oxides Nitrogen oxides Borates

Hazardous combustion products: 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:

**Environmental precautions:** 

Methods and materials for containment

and cleaning up:

Prevention of secondary hazards:

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.

Prevent product from entering drains.

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. Do not allow contact with water. Remove all sources of ignition. Fire-extinguishing devices should be prepared in case of a fire. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Since there is a possibility of igniting behind when removal of a leakage thing is imperfect, it is careful enough.

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

#### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling is performed in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective equipment. Prevent Precautions for safe handling:

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.

Keep away from any possible contact with water, because of violent reaction and possible flash fire. Use well-dried equipment. Handle under inert gas. Don't leave used equipment or rag. This product may ignite if it is left stuck on combustibles such as paper, rags, etc.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

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

> Store under inert gas. Protect from moisture. Store locked up. Store away from incompatible materials such as oxidizing agents.

Moisture-sensitive Air-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

pH:

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 - Almost white
Odour: No data available
Odor threshold: No data available
Odour threshold: No data available

Melting point/freezing point:No data availableBoiling point/range:No data availableDecomposition temperature:No data availableRelative density:No data availableKinematic viscosity:No data available

Log Pow: No data available

Dynamic Viscosity: No data available

Evaporation rate(Butyl No data available

Evaporation rate(Butyl Acetate=1):

Vapour pressure:

Vapour density:

Acetate=1).

Autoignition temperature:

Flammability or explosive limits:

Lower: No data available Upper: No data available

No data available

No data available.

No data available

No data available

Solubility(ies):

Flammability(solid, gas):

Flash point:

[Water] No data available [Other solvents] No data available

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity: No data available

Chemical stability: Stable under proper conditions.

No data available

No data available

**Possibility of hazardous reactions:** May spontaneously ignite or release flammable gases when in contact with water.

Conditions to avoid: Moisture

Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents, Water

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Boron oxides

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

RTECS Number: BS8310000

**Acute Toxicity:** 

skn-rbt LDLo:100 mg/kg orl-rat LD50:77 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation:

skn-rbt 10% SEV skn-rbt 1% MLD

Serious eye damage/irritation:

eye-rbt 24 mg MOD

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: N Bioaccumulative potential(BCF): N

Mobility in soil

No data available No data available

Log Pow: No data available Soil adsorption (Koc): No data available Henry's Law (PaM ³/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: Proper Shipping Name:** Class or Division: Subrisk(s): **Packing Group:** 

UN3131 Water-reactive solid, corrosive, n.o.s 4.3 Dangerous when wet 8 Corrosive material

material (water reactive)

IATA

**Class or Division: UN** number: **Proper Shipping Name:** Subrisk(s): **Packing Group:** UN3131 Water-reactive solid, corrosive, n.o.s

4.3 Dangerous when wet 8 Corrosive material

material (water reactive)

IMDG

Class or Division: UN3131 **Proper Shipping Name:** Subrisk(s): **Packing Group:** UN

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er: material (water reactive)

EmS number: F-G, S-L

#### 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:** Not Listed

**SARA 313: SARA 302:** Not Listed

State Regulations State Right-to-Know

Not Listed Massachusetts Not Listed **New Jersey** Not Listed Pennsylvania California Proposition 65: Not Listed

**Other Information** 

NFPA Rating: **HMIS Classification:** 

Health: Health: 3 Flammability: 0 Flammability: 3 Instability: Physical: 1

International Inventories

On NDSL Canada: NDSL EC-No: 240-917-5

## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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