Avocado Research Chemicals Ltd - Material Safety Data Sheet 20452

1. IDENTIFICATION OF SUBSTANCE AND SUPPLIER

Name On Label 1H,1H,2H,2H-Perfluorooctanethiol

Product Number 20452

Supplier Johnson Matthey Catalog Company Inc.

30 Bond Street, Ward Hill, Massachusetts, 01835-8099

Emergency Telephone Number: (978) 521-6300; CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Alternative Names None in common use.

2. COMPOSITION AND INFORMATION ON COMPONENTS

Name 1H.1H.2H.2H-Perfluorooctanethiol

Minor Impurities Not determined

CAS No. 34451-26-8 EINECS No. Not listed EEC No.

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Designation STENCH

Risk Phrases R20/21/22 Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. Seek medical advice if symptoms persist.

Eye Contact Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes.

Skin Contact Wash affected area with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.

Ingestion Rinse out mouth and drink lots of water. If unusual symptoms are observed, seek medical advice.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing MediumUse fire fighting measures which suit the environment and take into account other materials which

may be involved. In general, water-based extinguishers should not be used for fires involving

organic materials. Use carbon dioxide or dry powder.

Protective Equipment Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing.

Hazardous Products of Combustion may include: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, hydrogen fluoride (hydrofluoric acid),

sulfur dioxide, sulfuric acid.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal Protection Wear protective equipment including rubber gloves, and eye protection. Keep unprotected persons

away.

Environmental Protection Take steps to minimise spread of noxious vapours. Take precautions to ensure product does not

contaminate the ground or enter the drainage system.

Collection Mix with vermiculite or proprietary absorbent material and transfer to sealed containers for disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Chemicals should be used only by those trained in handling potentially hazardous materials. Rubber

gloves, eye protection and protective clothing should be worn. Operations should be carried out in

an efficient fume hood or equivalent system.

Storage Store in tightly sealed containers in a cool place.

Protect from moisture.

Material is sensitive to aerial oxidation.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

Respiratory Avoid inhalation of product. Handle in an efficient fume hood or equivalent system.

Eye Avoid eye contact. Wear safety spectacles or goggles.

Hands and Body Avoid skin contact. Wear rubber gloves and protective clothing.

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9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance

Flash Point

Physical Constants Molecular formula Water solubility Not available C₈H₄F₁₄S

Not available

Formula Wt. 398.16
Density Not available

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Specific Hazard

Incompatibilities

Strong bases. Strong oxidising agents.

DecompositionHazardous products of decomposition may include: carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, hydrogen

fluoride (hydrofluoric acid), sulfur dioxide, sulfuric acid.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

RTECS No. Not listed

Acute Toxicity LD₅₀: No data reported

Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

12. ECOLOGICAL EFFECTS

General Take care to prevent chemicals from entering the ground, water courses or drainage systems.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal Disposal should be via an approved contractor and should take full account of local regulations.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UN Number

Land Transport Maritime Transport Air Transport ADR/RIC Code/Class 6.1 IMDG Code/Class 6.1 IATA Code/Class 6.1

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

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Hazard Indication

STENCH

Risk & Safety Phrases

Harmful by inhalation, in contact with skin and if swallowed.

Wear suitable protective clothing.

TSCA Not listed. For research and development use only.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

It must be recognised that the physical and chemical properties of any product may not be fully understood and that new, possibly hazardous products may arise from reactions between chemicals. The information given in this data sheet is based on our present knowledge and shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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