# Material Safety Data Sheet acc. to OSHA and ANSI

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## 1 Identification of substance:

Product details:

Product name: Triethylamine hydrobromide

Stock number: A17926
Manufacturer/Supplier:

Alfa Aesar, A Johnson Matthey Company Johnson Matthey Catalog Company, Inc.

30 Bond Street

Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099 Emergency Phone: (978) 521-6300 CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Web Site: www.alfa.com

Information Department: Health, Safety and Environmental Department

Emergency information:

During normal hours the Health, Safety and Environmental Department. After normal hours call Chemtrec at (800) 424-9300.

# 2 Composition/Data on components:

Chemical characterization:

Description: (CAS#)

Triethylamine hydrobromide (CAS# 636-70-4)

Identification number(s):
EINECS Number: 209-067-2

# 3 Hazards identification

## Hazard description:



Xn Harmful

#### Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment

R 22 Harmful if swallowed.

R 36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

 $({\it Hazardous\ Materials\ Identification\ System})$ 



Health (acute effects) = 2
Flammability = 1
Reactivity = 1

## GHS label elements



# Warning

3.1/4 - Harmful if swallowed.

3.2/2 - Causes skin irritation.

3.3/2A - Causes serious eye irritation.

3.8/3 - May cause respiratory irritation.

## Prevention:

Wear protective gloves/clothing.

## Response:

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

## 4 First aid measures

## After inhalation

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Seek immediate medical advice.

# After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Seek immediate medical advice.

## After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

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After swallowing Seek immediate medical advice.

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### 5 Fire fighting measures

## Suitable extinguishing agents

Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

## Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or resulting gases:

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Possibly Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)

Hydrogen bromide (HBr)

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

### 6 Accidental release measures

### Person-related safety precautions:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

### Measures for environmental protection:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Measures for cleaning/collecting: Ensure adequate ventilation.

#### Additional information:

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

## 7 Handling and storage

#### Handling

## Information for safe handling:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: Keep ignition sources away.

## Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from water/moisture.

Store away from oxidizing agents.

Store away from strong bases.

## Further information about storage conditions:

This product is hygroscopic.

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Protect from humidity and water.

## 8 Exposure controls and personal protection

## Additional information about design of technical systems:

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required.

Additional information: No data

# Personal protective equipment

## General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.

# Protection of hands:

Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

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Material of gloves

The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality.

Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Eye protection: Safety glasses

Body protection: Protective work clothing.

# 9 Physical and chemical properties:

| Form:<br>Color:<br>Odor:                                                                                                | Crystalline powder<br>White<br>Amine-like     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| Change in condition<br>Melting point/Melting range:<br>Boiling point/Boiling range:<br>Sublimation temperature / start: | Not determined                                |
| Flash point:                                                                                                            | Not applicable                                |
| Ignition temperature:                                                                                                   | Not determined                                |
| Decomposition temperature:                                                                                              | Not determined                                |
| Danger of explosion:                                                                                                    | Product does not present an explosion hazard. |
| Explosion limits:<br>Lower:<br>Upper:                                                                                   | Not determined<br>Not determined              |
| Vapor pressure:                                                                                                         | Not determined                                |
| Density:                                                                                                                | Not determined                                |
| Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:                                                                                 | Soluble                                       |
| pH-value (10 g/l) at 20°C (68°F):                                                                                       | 5                                             |

# 10 Stability and reactivity

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Materials to be avoided:

Water/moisture

Oxidizing agents

Bases

Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known

Dangerous products of decomposition:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Nitrogen oxides

Possibly Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)

Hydrogen bromide

## 11 Toxicological information

## Acute toxicity:

| ,      |      | s that are relevant for classification:                        |
|--------|------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| Oral   | LD50 | 460 mg/kg (rat) (RTECS YE0175000: Triethylamine free base)     |
| Dermal | LD50 | 416 mg/kg (rabbit) (IUCLID datasheet: Triethylamine free base) |

## Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.

on the eye: Irritating effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

## Subacute to chronic toxicity:

Other than potential irritation (see above), no information on illness or injury to humans from acute or chronic exposure to this product is available.

# Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

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# 12 Ecological information:

# Additional ecological information:

General notes:

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course

or sewage system.

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

## 13 Disposal considerations

Product:

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

#### 14 Transport information

Not a hazardous material for transportation.

DOT regulations:

Hazard class: None

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)

ADR/RID class: None

Maritime transport IMDG:

IMDG Class: None Marine pollutant: No

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

ICAO/IATA Class: None

Transport/Additional information: Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

## 15 Regulations

## Product related hazard informations:

## Hazard symbols:

Xn Harmful

## Risk phrases:

Harmful if swallowed.

36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

## Safety phrases:

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

# National regulations

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

All components of this product are listed on the Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.

## 16 Other information:

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the

Department issuing MSDS: Health, Safety and Environmental Department.

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# Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Haritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

LATA: International Air Transport Association

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

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ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization
ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)
HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent
LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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