# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Ethylaluminum sesquichloride

Product Number : 256943 Brand : Aldrich

CAS-No. : 12075-68-2

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

## 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

# GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable liquids (Category 2), H225 Pyrophoric liquids (Category 1), H250

Substances and mixtures, which in contact with water, emit flammable gases (Category 1), H260

Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314 Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

## 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement(s)

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H250 Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.

H260 In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite

spontaneously.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P222 Do not allow contact with air.

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P223	Keep away from any possible contact with water, because of violent reaction and possible flash fire.
P231 + P232	Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.
P233	Keep container tightly closed.
P240	Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.
P242	Use only non-sparking tools.
P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P264	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P301 + P330 + P331	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P302 + P334	IF ON SKIN: Immerse in cool water/ wrap in wet bandages.
P303 + P361 + P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/ Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/ shower.
P304 + P340 + P310	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position
	comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician.
P305 + P351 + P338 + P310	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/doctor.
P335 + P334	Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water/ wrap in wet
	bandages.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for
	extinction.
P402 + P404	Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.
P403 + P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405	Store locked up.
P422	Store contents under inert gas.
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.

# 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Reacts violently with water.

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

## **Hazardous components**

Component	Classification	Concentration
Triethyldialuminium trichloride		
	Flam. Liq. 2; Pyr. Liq. 1;	<= 100 %
	Water-react. 1; Skin Corr. 1B;	
	Eye Dam. 1; H225, H250,	
	H260, H314, H318	

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of first aid measures

# General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

## If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

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## In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

### In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.

## If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

## 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2.2) and/or in section 11

## 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

## 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

# 5.1 Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

Dry powder

## 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No data available

## 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

### 5.4 Further information

No data available

## **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

## 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Beware of vapours accumulating to form explosive concentrations. Vapours can accumulate in low areas.

For personal protection see section 8.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wet-brushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Do not flush with water.

## 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of vapour or mist.

Use explosion-proof equipment. Keep away from sources of ignition - No smoking. Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.

For precautions see section 2.2.

# 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

Air sensitive.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Pyrophoric and self-heating hazardous materials

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### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### 8.1 Control parameters

Components with workplace control parameters

Component	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Triethyldialuminium trichloride	12075-68-2	PEL	2 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)

## 8.2 Exposure controls

## Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

# Personal protective equipment

## Eye/face protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Faceshield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

### Skin protection

Handle with gloves. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands. Protective gloves against thermal risks

### **Body Protection**

Complete suit protecting against chemicals, Flame retardant antistatic protective clothing., The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

## Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

## Control of environmental exposure

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

## 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

a) Appearance Form: liquid
b) Odour No data available
c) Odour Threshold No data available
d) pH No data available

e) Melting point/freezing

Melting point/range: -50 °C (-58 °F) - lit.

point

Initial boiling point and 20 boiling range

204 °C (399 °F) - lit.

g) Flash point

-18 °C (0 °F) - closed cup

h) Evaporation rate No data availablei) Flammability (solid, gas) No data availablej) Upper/lower No data available

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flammability or explosive limits

Vapour pressure 11.00 hPa (8.25 mmHg) at 80 °C (176 °F)

Vapour density No data available

m) Relative density 1.092 g/cm3 at 25 °C (77 °F)

n) Water solubility No data available No data available o) Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

The substance or mixture is pyrophoric with the category 1.

p) Auto-ignition temperature

150 °C (302 °F) -

Decomposition temperature

Viscosity No data available r) s) Explosive properties No data available No data available Oxidizing properties

#### 9.2 Other safety information

No data available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

No data available

#### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

Reacts violently with water. Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

#### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks. Exposure to moisture

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agentsAlcohols, Oxygen, Oxidizing agents, acids, Bases, Reacts violently with water.

#### Hazardous decomposition products 10.6

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Hydrogen chloride gas, Aluminum oxide

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### Acute toxicity

No data available

Inhalation: No data available

Dermal: No data available

No data available

## Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

# Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

## Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

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## Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

## Carcinogenicity

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as

probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

## Reproductive toxicity

No data available

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

## Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

## **Aspiration hazard**

No data available

### **Additional Information**

RTECS: BD1950000

Material is extremely destructive to tissue of the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract, eyes, and skin., spasm, inflammation and edema of the larynx, spasm, inflammation and edema of the bronchi, pneumonitis, pulmonary edema, burning sensation, Cough, wheezing, laryngitis, Shortness of breath, Headache, Nausea

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

## 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

## 12.6 Other adverse effects

No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# 13.1 Waste treatment methods

# **Product**

Burn in a chemical incinerator equipped with an afterburner and scrubber but exert extra care in igniting as this material is highly flammable. Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company. Contact a licensed professional waste disposal service to dispose of this material.

## Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

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UN number: 3394 Class: 4.2 (4.3) Packing group: I

Proper shipping name: Organometallic substance, liquid, pyrophoric, water-reactive (Triethyldialuminium trichloride)

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG** 

UN number: 3394 Class: 4.2 (4.3) Packing group: I EMS-No: F-G, S-M

Proper shipping name: ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, PYROPHORIC, WATER-REACTIVE

(Triethyldialuminium trichloride)

IATA

UN number: 3394 Class: 4.2 (4.3)

Proper shipping name: Organometallic substance, liquid, pyrophoric, water-reactive (Triethyldialuminium trichloride)

IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport IATA Cargo: Not permitted for transport

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### SARA 302 Components

No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

## **SARA 313 Components**

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Reactivity Hazard, Acute Health Hazard

## **Massachusetts Right To Know Components**

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethyldialuminium trichloride	12075-68-2	1993-04-24

# Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethyldialuminium trichloride	12075-68-2	1993-04-24

## **New Jersey Right To Know Components**

	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethyldialuminium trichloride	12075-68-2	1993-04-24

# California Prop. 65 Components

This product does not contain any chemicals known to State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

# Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3.

Eye Dam. Serious eye damage Flam. Liq. Flammable liquids

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H250 Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.

H260 In contact with water releases flammable gases which may ignite spontaneously.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Pyr. Liq. Pyrophoric liquids Skin Corr. Skin corrosion

**HMIS Rating** 

Health hazard: 3 Chronic Health Hazard: Flammability: 4

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Physical Hazard 3

**NFPA Rating** 

Health hazard: 3
Fire Hazard: 3
Reactivity Hazard: 3

# **Further information**

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