

# TCI AMERICA SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# 1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name: Diethyl Diselenide

Product code: D4715

**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]

Acute Toxicity - Dermal [Category 3] Acute Toxicity - Inhalation [Category 3] Skin Corrosion/Irritation [Category 2] Eye Damage/Irritation [Category 2A]

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure) [Category 2]

Flammable Liquids [Category 4]
Aquatic Hazard (Acute) [Category 1]
Aquatic Hazard (Long-Term) [Category 1]

Signal word: Danger!

Hazard Statement(s): Causes serious eye irritation

Causes skin irritation
Combustible liquid
Toxic if swallowed
Toxic in contact with skin
Toxic if inhaled
Very toxic to aquatic life

Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

May cause damage to organs: through prolonged or repeated exposure.

# Pictogram(s) or Symbol(s):









# Precautionary Statement(s): [Prevention]

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands and face thoroughly after handling. Wear protective gloves and protective clothing. Do not breathe fume, mist, vapors or spray. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear protective gloves. Wear eye and face protection. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames or other hot surfaces. - No smoking. Wear protective gloves, eye protection and face protection.

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[Response] If swallowed: Immediately call a poison center or doctor. Rinse mouth. If on skin: Wash with plenty of

water. Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Call a poison center or doctor. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. 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 or attention. Get medical advice or attention if you feel unwell. In case of fire: Use dry chemical,

CO2, water spray or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.

[Storage] Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Store in well-ventilated

place. Keep cool.

[Disposal] Dispose of contents and container in accordance with US EPA guidelines for the classification and

determination of hazardous waste listed in 40 CFR 261.3. (See Section 13)

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

 Substance/Mixture:
 Substance

 Components:
 Diethyl Diselenide

 Percent:
 >96.0%(GC)

 CAS Number:
 628-39-7

 Molecular Weight:
 216.04

 Chemical Formula:
 C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>Se<sub>2</sub>

 Synonyms:
 Ethyl Diselenide

# 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Inhalation: Immediately call a poison center or doctor. Effects of exposure (inhalation) to substance may be delayed.

Inhalation of vapors or contact with substance will result in contamination and potential harmful effects. Move victim to fresh air. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Administer oxygen if breathing is difficult. Keep victim warm and quiet. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Ensure that medical

personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Skin contact: Immediately call a poison center or doctor. Effects of exposure (skin contact) to substance may be

delayed. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. In case of contact with substance, immediately flush skin with running water for at least 20 minutes. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to protect

themselves.

Eye contact: IMMEDIATELY flush eyes with running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. Contact with

material may irritate or burn eyes. Call emergency medical service. Move victim to fresh air. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Keep victim warm and quiet. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Effects of exposure to substance may be delayed. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s)

involved and take precautions to protect themselves.

Ingestion: Toxic if swallowed. Do not induce vomiting with out medical advice. Effects of exposure (ingestion) to

substance may be delayed. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Do not use mouth-to-mouth method if victim ingested the substance; give artificial respiration with the aid of a pocket mask equipped with a one-way valve or other proper respiratory medical device. Loosen tight clothing such as a collar, tie, belt or waistband. If a person vomits place them in the recovery position so that vomit will not reenter the mouth and throat. Rinse mouth. Keep victim warm and quiet. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved and take precautions to

protect themselves.

Symptoms/effects:

Acute: No data available Delayed: No data available

Immediate medical attention: WARNING: It might be dangerous to the person providing aid to give mouth-to-mouth respiration, because

the inhaled material is toxic. If breathing has stopped, perform artificial respiration. Use first aid treatment according to the nature of the injury. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved

and take precautions to protect themselves.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media: Dry chemical, CO<sub>2</sub> or water spray. Consult with local fire authorities before attempting large scale fire

fighting operations.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

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#### 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Hazardous combustion products: None

Other specific hazards: Closed containers may explode from heat of a fire.

#### Special precautions for fire-fighters:

Use water spray or fog; do not use straight streams. Dike fire-control water for later disposal; do not scatter the material. CAUTION: All these products have a very low flash point: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient. Do not use straight streams. Runoff to sewer may create fire or explosion hazard. Containers may explode when heated. Move containers from fire area if you can do it without risk.

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters:

Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Structural fire fighters' protective clothing provides limited protection in fire situations ONLY; it may not be effective in spill situations. Wear chemical protective clothing which is specifically recommended by the manufacturer. It may provide little or no thermal protection.

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Use spark-

proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Remove all sources of ignition. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing (Section 8). Warn unnecessary personnel to move away. Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Ensure adequate ventilation.

Isolate the hazard area and deny entry to unnecessary and unprotected personnel.

Wear eye protection (splash goggles) and face protection (full length face shield). Lab coat. Vapor Personal protective equipment:

respirator. Be sure to use a MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator or equivalent. Wear protective gloves

(nitrile).

Isolate area until gas has dispersed. Do not clean-up or dispose except under supervision of a specialist. **Emergency procedures:** 

In case of a spill and/or a leak, always shut off any sources of ignition, ventilate the area, and excercise caution. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Warn personnel to move away. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if

needed.

# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up:

ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Stop leak if without risk. Ventilate the area. Absorb with an inert material and put the spilled material in an appropriate waste disposal container. Use clean non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material. Dike far ahead of spill; use dry sand to contain the flow of material.

**Environmental precautions:** 

Keep away from living quarters. Environmental hazard. Do not let product enter drains. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Water runoff can cause environmental damage. Prevent entry into sewers, basements or confined areas; dike if needed.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling: Do NOT breath gas, fumes, vapor, or spray. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contact

> with skin. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition. Use explosion-proof equipment. Use only nonsparking hand tool when handling this product. Ground all equipment containing material. Take measures to prevent build up of electrostatic charge. Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Keep container dry. Handle and open container with care. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.

When using do not eat, drink, or smoke. Keep away from sources of ignition.

Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep away from sources of Conditions for safe storage:

ignition. Store and use away from heat, sparks, open flame, or any other ignition source. Keep away from incompatibles. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent

leakage. Avoid prolonged storage periods. Store in refrigerator.

Store away from oxidizing agents Storage incompatibilities:

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure limits:** 

0.2 mg(Se)/m<sup>3</sup> **ACGIH TLV (TWA): OSHA PEL (TWA):** 0.2 mg(Se)/m3

# Appropriate engineering controls:

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to keep airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Ventilation is normally required when handling or using this product. Eyewash fountains should be provided in areas where there is any possibility that workers could be exposed to the substance. Follow safe industrial engineering/laboratory practices when handling any chemical.

#### Personal protective equipment

Vapor respirator. Be sure to use a MSHA/NIOSH approved respirator or equivalent. Respiratory protection:

Wear protective gloves. Hand protection: Eye protection: Splash goggles. Lab coat.

Skin and body protection:

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# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state (20°C): Liquid Form: Clear

Color: Yellow - Yellow red No data available Odor: No data available Odor threshold:

Melting point/freezing point: No data available pH: No data available 85°C (185°F)/2.7kPa No data available Boiling point/range: Vapor pressure: **Decomposition temperature:** No data available Vapor density: No data available **Dynamic Viscosity:** No data available

Relative density:

No data available **Kinematic Viscosity:** 

No data available No data available Partition coefficient: **Evaporation rate:** 

n-octanol/water (log Pow) (Butyl Acetate = 1)

Flash point: No data available No data available Autoignition temperature:

Flammability (solid, gas): No data available Flammability or explosive limits:

Lower: No data available Upper: No data available

Solubility(ies):

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Not Available. Reactivity:

**Chemical Stability:** Stable under recommended storage conditions. (See Section 7) **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions:** In use, may form flammable/explosive vapor-air mixture.

Conditions to avoid: Avoid excessive heat and light.

Oxidizing agents Incompatible materials: **Hazardous Decomposition Products:** No data available

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

RTECS Number: JM9151750

**Acute Toxicity:** 

skn-rbt LCLo:8600 ug/kg orl-rat LD50:90 mg/kg

ihl-rat LC50:2200 mg/m3/45M

Skin corrosion/irritation:

No data available

Serious eye damage/irritation:

eye-rbt 100 uL/24H MOD

Respiratory or skin sensitization:

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity:

No data available

Carcinogenicity:

No data available

No data available NTP-No data available OSHA-No data available IARC:

Reproductive toxicity:

No data available

Inhalation, Eye contact, Ingestion, Skin contact. Routes of Exposure:

Symptoms related to exposure:

Overexposure may result in serious illness or death. Skin contact may result in inflammation; characterized by itching, scaling, reddening, or occasionally blistering. Skin contact may result in redness, pain or dry skin. Eye contact may result in redness or pain.

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#### Potential Health Effects:

Skin and eye contact may result in irritation.

Target organ(s):

May cause damage to organs: through prolonged or repeated exposure.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Ecotoxicity** 

Fish: No data available
Crustacea: No data available
Algae: No data available

Persistence and degradability:
Bioaccumulative potential (BCF):
Mobillity in soil:
Partition coefficient:
n-octanol/water (log Pow)

No data available
No data available

Soil adsorption (Koc):

Henry's Law:

No data available
No data available

constant (PaM3/mol)

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: Packing Group:

UN3440 Selenium compound, liquid, n.o.s. 6.1 Toxic material.

IATA

UN number: Proper Shipping Name: Class or Division: Packing Group:

UN3440 Selenium compound, liquid, n.o.s. 6.1 Toxic material.

**IMDG** 

UN number: Proper Shipping Name: Class or Division: Packing Group:

UN3440 Selenium compound, liquid, n.o.s. 6.1 Toxic material.

**EmS number:** F-A, S-A

# 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:** 

SARA 313: Not Listed SARA 302: Not Listed

**State Regulations** 

State Right-to-Know

MassachusettsNot ListedNew JerseyNot ListedPennsylvaniaNot ListedCalifornia Proposition 65:Not Listed

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# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Other Information

NFPA Rating: HMIS Classification:

 Health:
 0
 Health:
 0

 Flammability:
 0
 Flammability:
 0

 Instability:
 0
 Physical:
 0

International Inventories

**EC-No**: 211-042-6

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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TCI chemicals are for research purposes only and are NOT intended for use as drugs, food additives, households, or pesticides. The information herein is believed to be correct, but does not claim to be all inclusive and should be used only as a guide. Neither the above named supplier nor any of its affiliates or subsidiaries assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein. Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All chemical reagents must be handled with the recognition that their chemical, physiological, toxicological, and hazardous properties have not been fully investigated or determined. All chemical reagents should be handled only by individuals who are familiar with their potential hazards and who have been fully trained in proper safety, laboratory, and chemical handling procedures. Although certain hazards are described herein, we can not guarantee that these are the only hazards which exist. Our SDS are based only on data available at the time of shipping and are subject to change without notice as new information is obtained. Avoid long storage periods since the product is subject to degradation with age and may become more dangerous or hazardous. It is the responsibility of the user to request updated SDS for products that are stored for extended periods. Disposal of unused product must be undertaken by qualified personnel who are knowledgeable in all applicable regulations and follow all pertinent safety precautions including the use of appropriate protective equipment (e.g. protective goggles, protective clothing, breathing equipment, face mask, fume hood). For proper handling and disposal, always comply with federal, state and local regulations.