Material Safety Data Sheet



Ethylenedinitrillo Tetraacetic Acid, Free Acid (EDTA)

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Section 1 - Product Description

Product Name: Ethylenedinitrilo Tetraacetic Acid, Free Acid

Product Code(s): 86-1780

Size: 100 g

Chemical Name: 2,2',2",2"'-(Ethane-1,2-diyldinitrilo)tetraacetic Acid

CAS Number: 60-00-4 **Formula:** C10H16N2O8

Synonyms: EDTA, Ethylenediamine Tetraacetic Acid

Distributor: Carolina Biological Supply Company, 2700 York Road, Burlington, NC 27215

Chemical Information: 800-227-1150 (8am–5pm (ET) M-F); Chemtrec 800-424-9300 (Transportation Spill Response 24

hours)

Section 2 - Hazard Identification

Emergency Overview: WARNING - Harmful in contact with skin and if swallowed. Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and

skin.

Potential Health Effects:

Eyes: May cause irritation. **Skin:** May cause irritation to skin.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal discomfort. **Inhalation:** May cause irritation to respiratory tract.

Section 3 - Composition / Information on Ingredients

Principal Hazardous Components: Ethylenedinitrillo Tetraacetic Acid (EDTA) (CAS # 60-00-4) 99%

TLV units: N/A **PEL units:** N/A

Section 4 - First Aid Measures

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

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

Skin - After contact with skin, take off immediately all contaminated clothing, and wash immediately with plenty of water.

Ingestion - If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

Inhalation - In case of accident by inhalation: remove casualty to fresh air and keep at rest.

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Section 5 - Firefighting Procedures

Flash Point (Method Used): N/A

NFPA Rating: Health: 1 Fire: 1 Reactivity: 0

Extinguisher Media: Use media suitable to extinguish surrounding fire.

Flammable Limits in Air % by Volume: N/A

Autoignition Temperature: N/A

Special Firefighting Procedures: Firefighters should wear full protective equipment and NIOSH approved self-contained

breathing apparatus.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: None

Section 6 - Spill or Leak Procedures

Steps to Take in Case Material Is Released or Spilled: Ventilate area of spill. Eliminate all sources of ignition. Remove all non-essential personnel from area. Clean-up personnel should wear proper protective equipment and clothing. Absorb material with suitable absorbent and containerize for disposal.

Section 7 - Special Precautions

Precautions to Take in Handling or Storing: Do not ingest or take internally.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Do not breathe dust. Suitable for any general chemical storage.

Section 8 - Protection Information

Respiratory Protection (Specify Type): None needed under normal conditions of use with adequate ventilation. A NIOSH/MSHA chemical cartridge respirator should be worn if PEL or TLV is exceeded.

Ventilation:

Local Exhaust: No **Mechanical(General):** Yes

Special: No **Other:** No

Protective Gloves: Natural rubber, Neoprene, PVC or equivalent. **Eye Protection:** Splash proof chemical safety goggles should be worn.

Other Protective Clothing or Equipment: Lab coat, apron, eye wash, safety shower.

Section 9 - Physical Data

Molecular Weight: 292.25 **Melting Point:** 240°C (464°F) **Boiling Point:** N/A **Vapor Pressure:** N/A

Vapor Density(Air=1): N/A Specific Gravity (H2O=1): 0.9 Percent Volatile by Volume: 0% Evaporation Rate (BuAc=1): N/A

Solubility in Water: Slightly Soluble Appearance and Odor: Odorless white solid.

Section 10 - Reactivity Data

Stability: Stable

Conditions to Avoid: None Known

Incompatibility (Materials to Avoid): Oxidizers, **Hazardous Decomposition Products:** COx, NOx, **Hazardous Polymerization:** Will not occur

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Section 11 - Toxicity Data

Toxicity Data: N/A
Effects of Overexposure:
Acute: See Section 2

Chronic: To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties of this mixture have not been thoroughly evaluated.

Conditions Aggravated by Overexposure: Cardiovascular system, Musculoskeletal system

Target Organs: Musculoskeletal system Cardiovascular system,

Primary Route(s) of Entry: Ingestion, Skin contact.

Section 12 - Ecological Data

EPA Waste Numbers: N/A

Section 13 - Disposal Information

Waste Disposal Methods: Dispose in accordance with all applicable Federal, State and Local regulations. Always contact a permitted waste disposer (TSD) to assure compliance.

Section 14 - Transport Information

DOT Proper Shipping Name: Not regulated for transport

Section 15 - Regulatory Information

EPA TSCA Status: On TSCA Inventory

Hazard Category for SARA Section 311/312 Reporting: Acute

Name List: Chemical Category:

No No

CERCLA Section 103 RQ(lb.): 5000 lbs (2270 kg)

RCRA Section 261.33: No

Section 16 - Additional Information

The information provided in this Material Safety Data Sheet represents a compilation of data drawn directly from various sources available to us. Carolina Biological Supply makes no representation or guarantee as to the suitability of this information to a particular application of the substance covered in the Material Safety Data Sheet. Any employer must carefully assess the applicability of any information contained herein in regards to the particular use to which the employer puts the material.

Glossary

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

CAS Number Chemical Services Abstract Number

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

DOT U.S. Department of Transportation

IARC International Agency of Research on Cancer

N/A Not Available

NTP National Toxicology Program

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

ppm Parts per million

RCRA Resource Conservation and Recovery Act SARA Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

TLV Threshold Limit Value

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