

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. PRODUCT

### 1.1 Product identifiers

Name: Triethylamine

CAS-No.: 121-44-8

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

## 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

Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), H302

Acute toxicity, Inhalation (Category 3), H331

Acute toxicity, Dermal (Category 3), H311

Skin corrosion (Category 1A), H314


Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Respiratory system, H335

Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 2), H401

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. H302 Harmful if swallowed. H311 + H331 Toxic in contact with skin or if inhaled. H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. H318 Causes serious eye damage. H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H401 Toxic to aquatic life.

Precautionary statement(s)	<p>P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.</p> <p>P233 Keep container tightly closed.</p> <p>P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.</p> <p>P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.</p> <p>P242 Use only non-sparking tools.</p> <p>P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.</p> <p>P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.</p> <p>P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.</p> <p>P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.</p> <p>P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.</p> <p>P273 Avoid release to the environment.</p> <p>P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.</p> <p>P301 + P312 + P330 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth.</p> <p>P301 + P330 + P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.</p> <p>P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.</p> <p>P304 + P340 + P310 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.</p> <p>P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.</p> <p>P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.</p> <p>P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.</p> <p>P405 Store locked up.</p> <p>P501 Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.</p>
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## 2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

No data available

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

### 3.1 Substances

Formula:  $C_6H_{15}N$   
Molecular weight: 101.19 g/mol  
CAS-No.: 121-44-8  
EC-No.: 204-469-4

#### Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration
Triethylamine	Flam. Liq. 2; Acute Tox. 4; Acute Tox. 3; Skin Corr. 1A; Eye Dam. 1; STOT SE 3; Aquatic Acute 2; H225, H302, H311 + H331, H314, H318, H335, H401	<= 100 %

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

<b>General advice</b>
Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.
<b>If inhaled</b>
If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.
<b>In case of skin contact</b>
Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Take victim immediately to hospital. Consult a physician.
<b>In case of eye contact</b>
Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.
<b>If swallowed</b>

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

## **4.2 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

No data available

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## **5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

### **5.1 Extinguishing media**

#### **Suitable extinguishing media**

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### **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**

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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## **6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

### **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Wear respiratory protection. 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. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

### **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).

### **6.4 Reference to other sections**

For disposal see section 13.

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## **7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. 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.

### 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
Triethylamine	121-44-8	TWA	1.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
	Remarks	Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Visual impairment See Notice of Intended Changes (NIC) Not classifiable as a human carcinogen Danger of cutaneous absorption		
		TWA	0.5 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Visual impairment 2015 Adoption Not classifiable as a human carcinogen Danger of cutaneous absorption		
		STEL	3.000000 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Visual impairment Adopted values or notations enclosed are those for which changes are proposed in the NIC See Notice of Intended Changes (NIC) Not classifiable as a human carcinogen Danger of cutaneous absorption		
		STEL	1 ppm	USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)
		Upper Respiratory Tract irritation Visual impairment 2015 Adoption Not classifiable as a human carcinogen Danger of cutaneous absorption		
		TWA	25.000000 ppm 100.000000 mg/m3	USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) -Table Z-1 Limits for Air Contaminants
		The value in mg/m3 is approximate.		
		See Appendix D -Substances with No Established RELs		
		C	1 ppm 4.1 mg/m3	California permissible exposure limits for chemical contaminants (Title 8, Article 107)
		Skin		

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product.

#### 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	<p>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.</p> <p>Full contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.4 mm Break through time: 480 min Material tested: Camatril® (KCL 730 / Aldrich Z677442, Size M)</p> <p>Splash contact Material: Nitrile rubber Minimum layer thickness: 0.2 mm Break through time: 49 min Material tested: Dermatril® P (KCL 743 / Aldrich Z677388, Size M) data source: KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, phone +49 (0)6659 87300, e-mail sales@kcl.de, test method: EN374</p> <p>If used in solution, or mixed with other substances, and under conditions which differ from EN 374, contact the supplier of the CE approved gloves. This recommendation is advisory only and must be evaluated by an industrial hygienist and safety officer familiar with the specific situation of anticipated use by our customers. It should not be construed as offering an approval for any specific use scenario.</p>
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 multi-purpose 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. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Form: liquid, clear Colour: colourless
Odour	amine-like
Odour Threshold	No data available
pH	12.7 at 100 g/l at 15 °C (59 °F)
Melting point/freezing point	Melting point/range: -115 °C (-175 °F)
Initial boiling point and boiling range	88.8 °C (191.8 °F)
Flash point	-15 °C (5 °F) - closed cup
Evaporation rate	No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Upper explosion limit: 8 %(V) Lower explosion limit: 1.2 %(V)
Vapour pressure	68.99 hPa (51.75 mmHg) at 20 °C (68 °F) 85.06 hPa (63.80 mmHg) at 30 °C (86 °F)
Vapour density	3.49 - (Air = 1.0)
Relative density	0.726 g/mL at 25 °C (77 °F)
Water solubility	112 g/l at 20 °C (68 °F)
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	log Pow: 1.15
Auto-ignition temperature	> 215 °C (> 419 °F)
Decomposition temperature	No data available
Viscosity	No data available
Explosive properties	No data available
Oxidizing properties	The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

### 9.2 Other safety information

Surface tension: 20.7 mN/m at 20 °C (68 °F)

Relative vapour density: 3.49 - (Air = 1.0)

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Vapours may form explosive mixture with air.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks. Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

<b>Acute toxicity</b>	
LD50 Oral - Rat - 730 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 401) LC50 Inhalation - Rat - 4 h - 7.1 mg/l (OECD Test Guideline 403) LD50 Dermal - Rabbit - 580 mg/kg (OECD Test Guideline 402) No data available	
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	
Skin - Rabbit Result: Extremely corrosive and destructive to tissue. (OECD Test Guideline 404)	
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	
Eyes - Rabbit Result: Risk of serious damage to eyes. (OECD Test Guideline 405)	
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	
in vivo assay - Guinea pig Result: Did not cause sensitisation on laboratory animals.	
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	
No data available	
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	
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.	
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	
No data available No data available	
<b>Specific target organ toxicity -single exposure</b>	
Inhalation - May cause respiratory irritation.	
<b>Specific target organ toxicity -repeated exposure</b>	
No data available	
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	
No data available	
<b>Additional Information</b>	
RTECS: YE0175000 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, Vomiting To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated. Central nervous system - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence Central nervous system - Irregularities - Based on Human Evidence	

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish	LC50 - Oryzias latipes (Orange-red killifish) - 24 mg/l - 96 h (OECD Test Guideline 203)
Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	LC50 - Daphnia dubia (water flea) - 17 mg/l - 48 h

Toxicity to algae	NOEC - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - 1.1 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201) EC50 - Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (green algae) - 8 mg/l - 72 h (OECD Test Guideline 201)
Toxicity to bacteria	LC50 - Bacteria - 95 mg/l - 17 h

## 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability	aerobic - Exposure time 28 d Result: 80 % - Readily biodegradable (OECD Test Guideline 301B)
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## 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulation	Cyprinus carpio (Carp) - 42 d Bioconcentration factor (BCF): < 0.5 (OECD Test Guideline 305C) Remarks: Does not bioaccumulate.
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## 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

An environmental hazard cannot be excluded in the event of unprofessional handling or disposal.

Toxic to aquatic life.

No data available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

## 13.1 Waste treatment methods

<b>Product</b>
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.
<b>Contaminated packaging</b>
Dispose of as unused product.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

## DOT (US)

UN number: 1296 Class: 3 (8) Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Triethylamine

Reportable Quantity (RQ): 5000 lbs

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

## IMDG

UN number: 1296 Class: 3 (8) Packing group: II EMS-No: F-E, S-C

Proper shipping name: TRIETHYLAMINE

## IATA

UN number: 1296 Class: 3 (8) Packing group: II

Proper shipping name: Triethylamine

# 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

The following components are subject to reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313:

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethylamine	121-44-8	2007-07-01

## SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

## Massachusetts Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethylamine	121-44-8	2007-07-01

## Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethylamine	121-44-8	2007-07-01

## New Jersey Right To Know Components

Component	CAS-No.	Revision Date
Triethylamine	121-44-8	2007-07-01

## 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.

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## 16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

Acute Tox. Acute toxicity

Aquatic Acute Acute aquatic toxicity

Eye Dam. Serious eye damage

Flam. Liq. Flammable liquids

H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H311 Toxic in contact with skin.

H311 + H331 Toxic in contact with skin or if inhaled.

H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H331 Toxic if inhaled.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

H401 Toxic to aquatic life.

### HMIS Rating

Health hazard: 3

Chronic Health Hazard: \*

Flammability: 3

Physical Hazard 0

### NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 3



Fire Hazard: 3

Reactivity Hazard: 0

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