

3,3',5,5'-Tetramethylbenzidine ≥98 %, for biochemistry

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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/ undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Identification of the substance

Article number Registration number (REACH) **3,3',5,5'-Tetramethylbenzidine** ≥98 %, for biochemistry

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259-364-6

54827-17-7

It is not required to list the identified uses because the substance is not subject to registration according to REACH (< 1 t/a).

EC number

CAS number

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

Relevant identified uses:

Laboratory and analytical use Laboratory chemical

Uses advised against:

Do not use for private purposes (household). Food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Competent person responsible for the safety data Department Health, Safety and Environment sheet:

e-mail (competent person):

sicherheit@carlroth.de

1.4 Emergency telephone number

| Name | Street | Postal code/city | Telephone | Website |
|---|---------------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| National Poisons Information Centre Beaumont Hospital | Beaumont Road | Dublin 9 | +353 1 809 2166 | https:// www.poisons.ie/ |



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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

This substance does not meet the criteria for classification in accordance with Regulation No 1272/ 2008/EC.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

not required

2.3 Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

According to the results of its assessment, this substance is not a PBT or a vPvB.

Endocrine disrupting properties

Does not contain an endocrine disruptor (ED) at a concentration of $\ge 0,1\%$.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

| Name of substance | 3,3',5,5'-Tetramethylbenzidine |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Molecular formula | $C_{16}H_{20}N_2$ |
| Molar mass | 240,4 ^g / _{mol} |
| CAS No | 54827-17-7 |
| EC No | 259-364-6 |

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures



General notes

Take off contaminated clothing.

Following inhalation

Provide fresh air. In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical advice.

Following skin contact

Rinse skin with water/shower.

Following eye contact

Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical advice.

Following ingestion

Rinse mouth. Call a doctor if you feel unwell.



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- **4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** Symptoms and effects are not known to date.
- **4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** none

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media



Suitable extinguishing media

co-ordinate firefighting measures to the fire surroundings! water, foam, dry extinguishing powder, ABC-powder

Unsuitable extinguishing media

water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Combustible.

Hazardous combustion products

In case of fire may be liberated: Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO₂)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

In case of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures



For non-emergency personnel

No special measures are necessary.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water. Retain contaminated washing water and dispose of it.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Advice on how to contain a spill

Covering of drains. Take up mechanically.

Advice on how to clean up a spill

Take up mechanically.

Other information relating to spills and releases

Place in appropriate containers for disposal. Ventilate affected area.



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6.4 Reference to other sections

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5. Personal protective equipment: see section 8. Incompatible materials: see section 10. Disposal considerations: see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

No special measures are necessary.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in a dry place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep in a cool place. Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.

Incompatible substances or mixtures

Observe hints for combined storage.

Protect against external exposure, such as

humidity, UV-radiation/sunlight

Consideration of other advice:

Specific designs for storage rooms or vessels Recommended storage temperature: 2 – 8 °C

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

National limit values

Occupational exposure limit values (Workplace Exposure Limits)

This information is not available.

8.2 Exposure controls

Individual protection measures (personal protective equipment)

Eye/face protection



Use safety goggle with side protection.

Skin protection



hand protection

Wear suitable gloves. Chemical protection gloves are suitable, which are tested according to EN 374.



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• type of material

NBR (Nitrile rubber)

material thickness

>0,11 mm

• breakthrough times of the glove material

>480 minutes (permeation: level 6)

other protection measures

Take recovery periods for skin regeneration. Preventive skin protection (barrier creams/ointments) is recommended.

Respiratory protection



Respiratory protection necessary at: Dust formation. Particulate filter device (EN 143). P1 (filters at least 80 % of airborne particles, colour code: White).

Environmental exposure controls

Keep away from drains, surface and ground water.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Physical state | solid |
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| Form | powder |
| Colour | white - whitish yellow |
| Odour | faintly perceptible |
| Melting point/freezing point | 167 – 170 °C |
| Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range | not determined |
| Flammability | this material is combustible, but will not ignite readily |
| Lower and upper explosion limit | not determined |
| Flash point | not applicable |
| Auto-ignition temperature | not determined |
| Decomposition temperature | not relevant |
| pH (value) | not applicable |
| Kinematic viscosity | not relevant |
| Solubility(ies) | |
| Water solubility | (practically insoluble) |



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| Partition coefficient | |
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| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value): | this information is not available |
| | |
| Vapour pressure | not determined |
| Density and lay valative density | |
| Density and/or relative density | |
| Density | not determined |
| Relative vapour density | Information on this property is not available. |
| Bulk density | ~430 ^{kg} / _{m³} |
| | |
| Particle characteristics | No data available. |
| | |
| Other safety parameters | |
| Oxidising properties | none |
| Other information | |
| Information with regard to physical hazard classes: | hazard classes acc. to GHS (physical hazards): not relevant |
| Other safety characteristics: | There is no additional information. |
| | |

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

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The product in the delivered form is not dust explosion capable; the enrichment of fine dust however leads to the danger of dust explosion.

10.2 Chemical stability

Moisture-sensitive. May cause decomposition by long-term light influence.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Violent reaction with: strong oxidiser

10.4 Conditions to avoid

UV-radiation/sunlight. Protect from moisture.

10.5 Incompatible materials

There is no additional information.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous combustion products: see section 5.



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SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Classification according to GHS (1272/2008/EC, CLP)

This substance does not meet the criteria for classification in accordance with Regulation No 1272/ 2008/EC.

Acute toxicity

Shall not be classified as acutely toxic.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Shall not be classified as corrosive/irritant to skin.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Shall not be classified as seriously damaging to the eye or eye irritant.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Shall not be classified as a respiratory or skin sensitiser.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Shall not be classified as germ cell mutagenic.

Carcinogenicity

Shall not be classified as carcinogenic.

Reproductive toxicity

Shall not be classified as a reproductive toxicant.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (single exposure).

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

Shall not be classified as a specific target organ toxicant (repeated exposure).

Aspiration hazard

Shall not be classified as presenting an aspiration hazard.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

• If swallowed

Data are not available.

• If in eyes

Data are not available.

• If inhaled

Data are not available.

• If on skin

Data are not available.

Other information

Health effects are not known. This information is based upon the present state of our knowledge.

11.2 Endocrine disrupting properties

Does not contain an endocrine disruptor (ED) at a concentration of $\ge 0,1\%$.



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11.3 Information on other hazards

There is no additional information.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Shall not be classified as hazardous to the aquatic environment.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Theoretical Oxygen Demand (without nitrification): 2,596 ^{mg}/_{mg} Theoretical Oxygen Demand (with nitrification): 2,879 ^{mg}/_{mg} Theoretical Carbon Dioxide: 2,93 ^{mg}/_{mg}

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Data are not available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

Data are not available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment Data are not available.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

Does not contain an endocrine disruptor (ED) at a concentration of $\ge 0,1\%$.

12.7 Other adverse effects

Data are not available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods



Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal.

Sewage disposal-relevant information

Do not empty into drains.

Waste treatment of containers/packagings

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself. Completely emptied packages can be recycled.

13.2 Relevant provisions relating to waste

The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

13.3 Remarks

Waste shall be separated into the categories that can be handled separately by the local or national waste management facilities. Please consider the relevant national or regional provisions. Non-contaminated packages may be recycled.



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SECTION 14: Transport information

- 14.1 UN number or ID number
- 14.2 UN proper shipping name
- 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
- 14.4 Packing group
- 14.5 Environmental hazards

not subject to transport regulations

not assigned

none

not assigned

non-environmentally hazardous acc. to the dangerous goods regulations

- 14.6 Special precautions for user There is no additional information.
- 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments The cargo is not intended to be carried in bulk.
- 14.8 Information for each of the UN Model Regulations

International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG) - Additional information Not subject to IMDG.

International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO-IATA/DGR) - Additional information Not subject to ICAO-IATA.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Relevant provisions of the European Union (EU)

Restrictions according to REACH, Annex XVII not listed

List of substances subject to authorisation (REACH, Annex XIV)/SVHC - candidate list Not listed.

Seveso Directive

| 2012/18/EU (Seveso III) | | | | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|-------|--|
| Νο | Dangerous substance/hazard categories | Qualifying quantity (tonnes) for the ap- plication of lower and upper-tier re- quirements | Notes | |
| | not assigned | | | |

Deco-Paint Directive

| VOC content | 0 % |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| Industrial Emissions Directive (IED) | |

| VOC content 0 % | |
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Directive on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment (RoHS)

not listed

Regulation concerning the establishment of a European Pollutant Release and Transfer **Register (PRTR)**

not listed

Water Framework Directive (WFD)

not listed

Regulation on the marketing and use of explosives precursors

not listed

Regulation on drug precursors

not listed

Regulation on substances that deplete the ozone layer (ODS)

not listed

Regulation concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC)

chemicals subject to the international prior informed consent (PIC) procedure (the 'PIC procedure').

| Name of substance | Name acc. to inventory | CAS No | Wt% | Category / subcat- egory | Use limita- tion |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|--------|-----|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| 3,3',5,5'-Tetramethylbenzidine | benzidine derivatives | | 100 | i(2) | b |
| 3,3',5,5'-Tetramethylbenzidine | benzidine derivatives | | 100 | i | sr |

Legend

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Use limitation: ban (for the sub-category or sub-categories concerned) according to Union legislation

Category: i - industrial chemical Sub-category: i(2) - industrial chemical for public use Use limitation: severe restriction (for the sub-category or sub-categories concerned) according to Union legislation i(2) SI

Regulation on persistent organic pollutants (POP)

not listed

Other information

Directive 94/33/EC on the protection of young people at work. Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers.

National inventories

| Country | Inventory | Status |
|---------|-----------|------------------------------|
| AU | AIIC | substance is listed |
| CA | DSL | substance is listed |
| CN | IECSC | substance is listed |
| EU | ECSI | substance is listed |
| NZ | NZIoC | substance is listed |
| TW | TCSI | substance is listed |
| US | TSCA | substance is listed (ACTIVE) |
| VN | NCI | substance is listed |



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| Legend AIIC DSL ECSI IECSC NCI NZIOC TCSI TSCA | Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals Domestic Substances List (DSL) EC Substance Inventory (EINECS, ELINCS, NLP) Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances Produced or Imported in China National Chemical Inventory New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory Toxic Substance Control Act |
|--|--|
| TSCA | Toxic Substance Control Act |

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance.

SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes (revised safety data sheet)

| Section | Former entry (text/value) | Actual entry (text/value) | Safety- relev- ant |
|---------|--|---|--------------------------|
| 2.3 | | Endocrine disrupting properties: Does not contain an endocrine disruptor (ED) at a concentration of ≥ 0,1%. | yes |
| 14.8 | Transport of dangerous goods by road, rail and inland waterway (ADR/RID/ADN) - Additional in- formation: Not subject to ADR, RID and ADN. | | yes |
| 15.1 | | Regulation concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals (PIC): change in the listing (table) | yes |
| 15.1 | | National inventories: change in the listing (table) | yes |

Abbreviations and acronyms

| Abbr. | Descriptions of used abbreviations | |
|----------|--|--|
| ADR | Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (Agreement concern- ing the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road) | |
| CAS | Chemical Abstracts Service (service that maintains the most comprehensive list of chemical substances) | |
| CLP | Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures | |
| DGR | Dangerous Goods Regulations (see IATA/DGR) | |
| EC No | The EC Inventory (EINECS, ELINCS and the NLP-list) is the source for the seven-digit EC number, an identi- fier of substances commercially available within the EU (European Union) | |
| ED | ED Endocrine disruptor | |
| EINECS | European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances | |
| ELINCS | European List of Notified Chemical Substances | |
| GHS | "Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals" developed by the United Na- tions | |
| IATA | International Air Transport Association | |
| IATA/DGR | Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA) | |
| ICAO | International Civil Aviation Organization | |



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| Abbr. | Descriptions of used abbreviations |
|-------|--|
| IMDG | International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code |
| NLP | No-Longer Polymer |
| PBT | Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic |
| REACH | Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals |
| RID | Règlement concernant le transport International ferroviaire des marchandises Dangereuses (Regula- tions concerning the International carriage of Dangerous goods by Rail) |
| SVHC | Substance of Very High Concern |
| VOC | Volatile Organic Compounds |
| vPvB | Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative |

Key literature references and sources for data

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures. Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH), amended by 2020/878/EU.

Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road (ADR). Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail (RID). International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG). Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR) for the air transport (IATA).

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