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Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME

TERT-DODECYL MERCAPTAN

OTHER NAMES

C12-H26-S, CH3CH2)8C(CH3)2SH, "tertiary dodecane thiol", tert-dodecylmercaptan, tert-dodecylthiol, t-dodecanethiol, "2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5-hexamethyl-2-hexanethiol", "dodecyl mercaptan tertiary", tert-dodecanthiol, "dihexyl sulphide", "dihexyl sulfide", TDM

PROPER SHIPPING NAME

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.(contains tert-dodecyl mercaptan)

PRODUCT USE

Used in the manufacture of synthetic rubber and plastics; in the synthesis of pharmaceuticals and in insecticides and fungicides; nonionic detergent.

Intermediate

SUPPLIER

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Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS Classification

Acute Toxicity Category 4 Chronic Aquatic Hazard Category 1 Eye Irritation Category 2A Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2 Skin Sensitizer Category 1





EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

HAZARD

WARNING

Determined by using GHS criteria

H302 Harmful if swallowed. H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Prevention

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Code Phrase

P261 Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P264 Wash ... thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

Response

Code Phrase

P301+P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P330 Rinse mouth.

P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P362 Take off contaminated clothing and wash before re- use.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P391 Collect spillage.

Disposal

Code Phrase

P501 Dispose of contents/container to ...

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

 NAME
 CAS RN
 %

 tert- dodecyl mercaptan
 25103-58-6
 > 95

 1, 8- octanedithiol
 1191-62-4

Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

SWALLOWED

- IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY.
- For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.
- Urgent hospital treatment is likely to be needed.
- In the mean time, qualified first-aid personnel should treat the patient following observation and employing supportive measures as indicated by the patient's condition.

EYE

- If this product comes in contact with the eyes:
- Wash out immediately with fresh running water.
- Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.
- Seek medical attention without delay; if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention.
- · Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.

SKIN

- If skin contact occurs:
- Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.
- Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).
- Seek medical attention in event of irritation.

INHALED

- If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.
- · Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.
- Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.
- Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.

NOTES TO PHYSICIAN

- For exposures involving sulfides and hydrogen sulfide (including gastric acid decomposition products of alkaline sulfides):
- · Hydrogen sulfide anion produces its major toxic effect through inhibition of cytochrome oxidases.
- Symptoms include profuse salivation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Central nervous effects may include giddiness, headache, vertigo, amnesia, confusion and unconsciousness. Tachypnoea, palpitations, tachycardia, arrhythmia, sweating, weakness and

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muscle cramps may also indicate overexposure.

Treatment involves:

- If respirations are depressed, application of artificial respiration, administration of oxygen (continue after spontaneous breathing is established).
- For severe poisonings administer amyl nitrite and sodium nitrite (as for cyanide poisoning) but omit sodium thiosulfate injection.

Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

- · Foam.
- · Dry chemical powder.
- · BCF (where regulations permit).
- · Carbon dioxide.

FIRE FIGHTING

- · Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- Use water delivered as a fine spray to control fire and cool adjacent area.

FIRE/EXPLOSION HAZARD

- · Combustible.
- · Slight fire hazard when exposed to heat or flame.
- · Heating may cause expansion or decomposition leading to violent rupture of containers.
- On combustion, may emit toxic fumes of carbon monoxide (CO).

Combustion products include: carbon dioxide (CO2), sulfur oxides (SOx), hydrogen sulfide (H2S), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

 Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result.

Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

MINOR SPILLS

■ Environmental hazard - contain spillage.

WARNING: Never use dry, powdered hypochlorite or other strong oxidizer for mercaptan spills, as autoignition can occur.

- · Clean up all spills immediately.
- · Avoid breathing vapours and contact with skin and eyes.
- · Control personal contact with the substance, by using protective equipment.
- · Contain and absorb spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite.

MAJOR SPILLS

■ Environmental hazard - contain spillage.

Moderate hazard.

- · Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- · Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.
- Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the MSDS.

Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING

• DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin.

The careful design and assembly of equipment is paramount to the control of mercaptan odors. Although careful planning reduces the chances for leaks developing in the system, it is important to be prepared to locate and stop small leaks promptly. An effective method to obtain a leak-free system involves two steps:value=1>Charge the system with nitrogen gas or other inert, nontoxic gas to a pressure at least as high as will be used in practice, and check for a drop in pressure with time on a suitable gauge. In some cases, it is advantageous to block off sections of the system to facilitate finding the leak. If any leaks are detected by using a foaming detergent solution, correct them and recheck.

· Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.

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- Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.
- · Use in a well-ventilated area.
- · Prevent concentration in hollows and sumps.

SUITABLE CONTAINER

- Metal can or drum
- Packaging as recommended by manufacturer.
- Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

- Contact with acids produces toxic fumes.
- · Avoid reaction with oxidising agents, bases and strong reducing agents.

Avoid alkali metals.

STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

- · Store in original containers.
- · Keep containers securely sealed.
- Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.
- Store away from incompatible materials and foodstuff containers.

Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

EXPOSURE CONTROLS

The following materials had no OELs on our records

- tert- dodecyl mercaptan:
- 1, 8- octanedithiol:

CAS:25103-58-6 CAS:1191-62-4

MATERIAL DATA

TERT-DODECYL MERCAPTAN:

■ For thiols:

REL (thiols): 0.05 ppm/15 min (as n-alkane mono)

NOTE: Detector tubes for mercaptan, measuring in excess of 0.05 ppm (as ethyl mercaptan) are commercially available.

NIOSH

1,8-OCTANEDITHIOL:

■ No exposure limits set by NOHSC or ACGIH.

REL (for thiols): 0.05 ppm/15 min (as n-alkane mono) NIOSH NOTE: Detector tubes for mercaptan, measuring in excess of 0.5 ppm (as ethyl mercaptan) are commercially available.

PERSONAL PROTECTION









RESPIRATOR

•Type AB-P Filter of sufficient capacity. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

EYE

- Safety glasses with side shields.
- · Chemical goggles.
- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lens or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent].

HANDS/FEET

- · Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber.

NOTE:

• The material may produce skin sensitisation in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other

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protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.

· Contaminated leather items, such as shoes, belts and watch-bands should be removed and destroyed.

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include:

OTHER

- · Overalls.
- P.V.C. apron.
- Barrier cream.
- · Skin cleansing cream.

ENGINEERING CONTROLS

■ Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment.

Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE

Colourless to pale yellow liquid with mild skunk odour. Immiscible with water. Miscible with hydrocarbons, methanol, diethyl ether, acetone, benzene and ethyl acetate. Refractive index: 1.45 - 1.47. Data is for the technical material which is a mixture of isomers including n-dodecyl mercaptan (lauryl mercaptan, b.p. 143C, f.p. -7C) and pure tertiary dodecyl mercaptan (dihexyl sulfide, b.p. 230C, f.p. < -30C).

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Liquid.

Does not mix with water.

Floats on water.

State	Liquid	Molecular Weight	202.44
Melting Range (°C)	< - 30 7.5	Viscosity	Not Available
Boiling Range (°C)	200 - 235	Solubility in water (g/L)	Immiscible
Flash Point (°C)	96 approx.	pH (1% solution)	Not applicable.
Decomposition Temp (°C)	> 350	pH (as supplied)	Not applicable
Autoignition Temp (°C)	Not available.	Vapour Pressure (kPa)	Negligible
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not available.	Specific Gravity (water=1)	0.85 approx.
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not available.	Relative Vapour Density (air=1)	Not available.
Volatile Component (%vol)	100	Evaporation Rate	Not available

Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY AND REACTIVITY INFORMATION

CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- · Presence of incompatible materials.
- · Product is considered stable.
- · Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

For incompatible materials - refer to Section 7 - Handling and Storage.

Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Health hazard summary table:

Acute toxicity
Skin corrosion/irritation
Serious eye damage/irritation
Respiratory or skin sensitization

Acute Tox. (oral) 4 Skin Irrit. 2 Eye Irrit. 2A Skin Sens. 1

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Germ cell mutagenicity
Carcinogenicity
Not applicable
Reproductive toxicity
Not applicable
STOT- single exposure
STOT- repeated exposure
Aspiration hazard
Not applicable
Not applicable
Not applicable

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS

SWALLOWED

■ Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

FYF

■ Evidence exists, or practical experience predicts, that the material may cause eye irritation in a substantial number of individuals.

Prolonged eye contact may cause inflammation characterised by a temporary redness of the conjunctiva (similar to windburn).

SKIN

- The material may cause moderate inflammation of the skin either following direct contact or after a delay of some time. Repeated exposure can cause contact dermatitis which is characterised by redness, swelling and blistering.
- Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material.
- Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

INHALED

- The material is not thought to produce respiratory irritation (as classified by EC Directives using animal models). Nevertheless inhalation of vapours, fumes or aerosols, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.
- Inhalation of aerosols (mists, fumes), generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may be damaging to the health of the individual.
- Thiols (particularly ethyl mercaptan) produce lethargy or sleepiness.

Exposure to high levels may result in nausea, vomiting, restlessness, muscle incoordination and/or paralysis, bluing of skin, depression of breathing, coma and death.

CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS

■ Skin contact with the material is more likely to cause a sensitisation reaction in some persons compared to the general population.

Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure.

Repeated and long term exposure to mercaptans may result in damage to the lungs, kidneys and liver.

TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

■ The following information refers to contact allergens as a group and may not be specific to this product.

Contact allergies quickly manifest themselves as contact eczema, more rarely as urticaria or Quincke's oedema. The pathogenesis of contact eczema involves a cell-mediated (T lymphocytes) immune reaction of the delayed type. Other allergic skin reactions, e.g. contact urticaria, involve antibody-mediated immune reactions. The significance of the contact allergen is not simply determined by its sensitisation potential: the distribution of the substance and the opportunities for contact with it are equally important. A weakly sensitising substance which is widely distributed can be a more important allergen than one with stronger sensitising potential with which few individuals come into contact. From a clinical point of view, substances are noteworthy if they produce an allergic test reaction in more than 1% of the persons tested.

The material may be irritating to the eye, with prolonged contact causing inflammation. Repeated or prolonged exposure to irritants may produce conjunctivitis.

The material may cause skin irritation after prolonged or repeated exposure and may produce on contact skin redness, swelling, the production of vesicles, scaling and thickening of the skin.

SKIN

tert- dodecyl GESAMP/EHS Composite List - GESAMP Hazard D1: skin 2
mercaptan Profiles irritation/corrosion

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Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

Avoid release to the environment.

Refer to special instructions/ safety data sheets.

Ecotoxicity

Ingredient Persistence: Persistence: Air Bioaccumulation Mobility
Water/Soil

1, 8- octanedithiol LOW No Data
Available LOW MED

GESAMP/EHS COMPOSITE LIST - GESAMP Hazard Profiles

Name / E1 EHS TRN A1a A1b A1 Α2 В1 B2 C1 C2 C3 D₁ D2 D3 F2 E3 Cas No / RTECS No 0 223 241 5 5 NR $\overline{2}$ 0 (2) \overline{s} CAS:25103 - 58- 6 /

Legend:

EHS=EHS Number (EHS=GESAMP Working Group on the Evaluation of the Hazards of Harmful Substances Carried by Ships) NRT=Net Register Tonnage, A1a=Bioaccumulation log Pow, A1b=Bioaccumulation BCF, A1=Bioaccumulation, A2=Biodegradation, B1=Acuteaquatic toxicity LC/ECIC50 (mg/l), B2=Chronic aquatic toxicity NOEC (mg/l), C1=Acute mammalian oral toxicity LD50 (mg/kg), C2=Acutemammalian dermal toxicity LD50 (mg/kg), C3=Acute mammalian inhalation toxicity LC50 (mg/kg), D1=Skin irritation & corrosion, D2=Eye irritation& corrosion, D3=Long-term health effects, E1=Tainting, E2=Physical effects on wildlife & benthic

For column A2: R=Readily biodegradable, NR=Not readily biodegradable.

For column D3: C=Carcinogen, M=Mutagenic, R=Reprotoxic, S=Sensitising, A=Aspiration hazard, T=Target organ systemic toxicity,

L=Lunginjury, N=Neurotoxic, I=Immunotoxic.

habitats, E3=Interference with coastal amenities,

For column E1: NT=Not tainting (tested), T=Tainting test positive.

For column E2: Fp=Persistent floater, F=Floater, S=Sinking substances.

The numerical scales start from 0 (no hazard), while higher numbers reflect increasing hazard.

(GESAMP/EHS Composite List of Hazard Profiles - Hazard evaluation of substances transported by ships)

Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Containers may still present a chemical hazard/ danger when empty.
- Return to supplier for reuse/ recycling if possible.

Otherwise:

- If container can not be cleaned sufficiently well to ensure that residuals do not remain or if the container cannot be used to store the same product, then puncture containers, to prevent re-use, and bury at an authorised landfill.
- · Where possible retain label warnings and MSDS and observe all notices pertaining to the product.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- · Reduction.
- DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.
- Recycle wherever possible or consult manufacturer for recycling options.
- · Consult State Land Waste Authority for disposal.
- Bury or incinerate residue at an approved site.
- · Recycle containers if possible, or dispose of in an authorised landfill.

Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

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Labels Required: MISCELLANEOUS

HAZCHEM:

•3Z

Land Transport UNDG:

Class or division: 9 Subsidiary risk: None UN No.: 3082 UN packing group: III

Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S.

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Air Transport IATA:

ICAO/IATÀ Class: 9 ICAO/IATA Subrisk: None UN/ID Number: 3082 Packing Group: III

Special provisions: A97

Shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains tert-dodecyl mercaptan)

Maritime Transport IMDG:

IMDG Class:9IMDG Subrisk:NoneUN Number:3082Packing Group:IIIEMS Number:F- A, S- FSpecial provisions:274 335Limited Quantities:5 LMarine Pollutant:Yes

Shipping name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, N.O.S. (contains tert-dodecyl mercaptan)

GESAMP hazard profiles for this material can be found in section 12 of the MSDS.

Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

REGULATIONS

tert-dodecyl mercaptan (CAS: 25103-58-6) is found on the following regulatory lists;

"GESAMP/EHS Composite List - GESAMP Hazard Profiles","IMO IBC Code Chapter 17: Summary of minimum requirements","India Hazardous Wastes (Management, Handling and Transboundary Movement) Rules - Schedule 2: List of Wastes Constituents with Concentration Limits","International Council of Chemical Associations (ICCA) - High Production Volume List","OECD List of High Production Volume (HPV) Chemicals", "Sigma-AldrichTransport Information"

Regulations for ingredients

1,8-octanedithiol (CAS: 1191-62-4) is found on the following regulatory lists;

"FisherTransport Information","IOFI Global Reference List of Chemically Defined Substances"

Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

Denmark Advisory list for selfclassification of dangerous substances

Substance CAS Suggested codes

tert- dodecyl mercaptan 25103- 58- 6 R43

1, 8- octanedithiol 1191- 62- 4 Xn; R22 R43 N;

R50

- Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources using available literature references.
- The (M)SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings.

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The above information is believed to be accurate and represent the best information currently available to us, but does not represent any warranty expressed or implied of the properties of the product. User should make their own investigation to determine the suitability of the information for their particular purpose.

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