# Benzidine



### Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### PRODUCT NAME

Benzidine

### STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCORDING TO OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.



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#### SYNONYMS

C12-H12-N2, NH2-(C6H4)2-NH2, "p, p' -bianiline", "4, 4' -bianiline", "(1, 1' -biphenyl)-4, 4' -diamine", "4, 4' -biphenyldiamine", "4, 4' -diaminobiphenyl", "4, 4-diamino-1, 1' -biphenyl", p-diaminodiphenyl, "p, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "4, 4' -diaminodiphenyl", "5, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "4, 4' -diaminodiphenyl", "6, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "4, 4' -diaminobiphenyl", "6, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "7, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "6, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "6, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "7, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "6, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "7, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "6, p' -diaminobiphenyl", "7, p' -diaminobip

#### Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION **CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS** Min Max Flammability: 1 Toxicity: 3 Min/Nil=0 Body Contact: 2 Low=1 Moderate=2 Reactivity: 1 High=3 Chronic: 4 Extreme=4

### **CANADIAN WHMIS SYMBOLS**



## EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

RISK

Harmful if swallowed. May cause CANCER. Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

### 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.

■ The substance and/or its metabolites may bind to hemoglobin inhibiting normal uptake of oxygen. This condition, known as "methemoglobinemia", is a form of oxygen starvation (anoxia).

At sufficiently high doses the material may be nephrotoxic(i.e. poisonous to the kidney).

At sufficiently high doses the material may be hepatotoxic(i.e. poisonous to the liver).

#### EYE

Although the material is not thought to be an irritant, direct contact with the eye may cause transient discomfort characterized by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn). Slight abrasive damage may also result.

### SKIN

• The material is not thought to be a skin irritant (as classified using animal models). Abrasive damage however, may result from prolonged exposures.

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Skin contact with the material may damage the health of the individual; systemic effects may result following absorption.

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 using animal models). Nevertheless inhalation of dusts, or fume, especially for prolonged periods, may produce respiratory discomfort and occasionally, distress.

■ Inhalation of dusts, generated by the material during the course of normal handling, may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

• Persons with impaired respiratory function, airway diseases and conditions such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis, may incur further disability if excessive concentrations of particulate are inhaled.

#### **CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS**

There is sufficient evidence to suggest that this materialdirectly causes cancer in humans.

Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems.

There is limited evidence that, skin contact with this product is more likely to cause a sensitization reaction in some persons compared to the general population.

Long term exposure to high dust concentrations may cause changes in lung function i.e. pneumoconiosis; caused by particles less than 0.5 micron penetrating and remaining in the lung.

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Several epidemiological studies of dye users suggest that there may be an excess mortality from bladder cancer in workers exposed to benzidine-based dyes. Inhalation or absorption through the skin has been recognised as a cause for these tumors. The carcinogenicity risk factor for workers exposed to benzidine is estimated to be 14 times higher than that of the unexposed population.

When administered in th diet, benzidine induced urinary bladder carcinomas in dogs and increased the incidence of benign and malignant cholangiomatous tumors and hepatocellular tumors in hamsters of both sexes. When administered by gavage benzidine induced multiple mammary carcinomas in female rats.

A survey of benzidine-exposed workers indicated that those with the lower than normal serum properdin levels were more likely to develop bladder tumours.

NIOSH recommends that three widely used benzidine-derived dyes, Direct Black 38, Direct Blue 6, and Direct Brown 95, be handled in the workplace as if they were human carcinogens. This recommendation is based primarily upon a preliminary analysis of National Cancer Institute (NCI) data from short-term feeding studies, and on early results from NIOSH field studies. Cancerous and precancerous liver conditions were found in rats, similar to the damage produced by known liver carcinogens. Degeneration of liver cells was found in mice. Although the dyes tested by NCI contained less than 4 ppm residual benzidine when fed to the test animals, greater quantities of benzidine were found in the urine of dosed rats and mice. Caution is also indicated by preliminary results from NIOSH field studies showing that humans working with these same dyes also excrete higher than expected levels of benzidine in their urine. Both laboratory and field studies indicate that these benzidine-derived dyes can be metabolized to benzidine which is present in the urine of animals and humans.

Based on the data from the short-term study, NCI scientists believe a cancer causing potential exists upon exposure to the benzidine-derived dyes, most likely through the mechanism of metabolic conversion of the dyes to benzidine in the animal system.

Most arylamines are powerful poisons to the blood-making system. High chronic doses cause congestion of the spleen and tumor formation.

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIE	NTS
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NAME	CAS RN	%
benzidine	92-87-5	100

### Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

### **SWALLOWED**

 $\cdot$  IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY.  $\cdot$  Where Medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise:

#### EYE

■ If this product comes in contact with the eyes: · Immediately hold eyelids apart and flush the eye continuously with 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.

#### SKIN

If skin contact occurs: · Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear · Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).

#### INHALED

· If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. · Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.

### **NOTES TO PHYSICIAN**

The material may induce methemoglobinemia following exposure.

· Initial attention should be directed at oxygen delivery and assisted ventilation if necessary. Hyperbaric oxygen has not demonstrated substantial benefits.

· Hypotension should respond to Trendelenburg's position and intravenous fluids; otherwise dopamine may be needed.

### Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Vapour Pressure (mmHG):	Not applicable
Upper Explosive Limit (%):	Not Available
Specific Gravity (water=1):	1.25
Lower Explosive Limit (%):	Not Available

### EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

· Foam.

· Dry chemical powder.

#### FIRE FIGHTING

· Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

 $\cdot$  Wear full body protective clothing with breathing apparatus.

When any large container (including road and rail tankers) is involved in a fire,

#### consider evacuation by 800 metres in all directions. GENERAL FIRE HAZARDS/HAZARDOUS COMBUSTIBLE PRODUCTS

· Combustible solid which burns but propagates flame with difficulty.

• Avoid generating dust, particularly clouds of dust in a confined or unventilated space as dusts may form an explosive mixture with air, and any source of ignition, i.e. flame or spark, will cause fire or explosion. Dust clouds generated by the fine grinding of the solid are a particular hazard; accumulations of fine dust may burn rapidly and fiercely if ignited.

Combustion products include: carbon monoxide (CO), carbon dioxide (CO2), nitrogen oxides (NOx), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

### May emit poisonous fumes.

### FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid contamination with oxidizing agents i.e. nitrates, oxidizing acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result. • Keep dry.

### PERSONAL PROTECTION

Glasses: Chemical goggles. Gloves: Respirator: Particulate

### Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### MINOR SPILLS

· Clean up waste regularly and abnormal spills immediately.

· Avoid breathing dust and contact with skin and eyes.

· Wear protective clothing, gloves, safety glasses and dust respirator.

· Use dry clean up procedures and avoid generating dust.

Vacuum up or sweep up. NOTE: Vacuum cleaner must be fitted with an exhaust micro filter (HEPA type) (consider explosion-proof machines designed to be grounded during storage and use).

Dampen with water to prevent dusting before sweeping.

· Place in suitable containers for disposal.

MAJOR SPILLS

- · Clear area of personnel and move upwind.
- · Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

### Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING**

· Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.

· Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.

Empty containers may contain residual dust which has the potential to accumulate following settling. Such dusts may explode in the presence of an appropriate ignition source.

· Do NOT cut, drill, grind or weld such containers.

· In addition ensure such activity is not performed near full, partially empty or empty containers without appropriate workplace safety authorisation or permit.

### **RECOMMENDED STORAGE METHODS**

· Lined metal can, Lined metal pail/drum

· Plastic pail.

For low viscosity materials

· Drums and jerricans must be of the non-removable head type.

 $\cdot$  Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.

All inner and sole packagings for substances that have been assigned to Packaging Groups I or II on the basis of inhalation toxicity criteria, must be hermetically sealed.

### STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

· Store in original containers.

· Keep containers securely sealed.

### Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

Source	Material	TWA ppm	TWA mg/m³	STEL ppm	STEL mg/m³	Peak ppm	Peak mg/m³	TWA F/CC	Notes
Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits	benzidine (Benzidine)		(L)						Skin; A1, 1
Canada - Yukon Permissible Concentrations for Airborne Contaminant Substances ENDOELTABLE	benzidine (K Benzidine production - Skin)		(See Table 15)						

### PERSONAL PROTECTION



### RESPIRATOR

Particulate Consult your EHS staff for recommendations

EYE

· Safety glasses with side shields.

· Chemical goggles.

#### HANDS/FEET

Wear chemical protective gloves, eg. PVC.

NOTE: The material may produce skin sensitization in predisposed individuals. Care must be taken, when removing gloves and other protective equipment, to avoid all possible skin contact.

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

· frequency and duration of contact,

· chemical resistance of glove material,

glove thickness and

· dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739).

• When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.

· When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended.

 $\cdot$  Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

#### OTHER

• Employees working with confirmed human carcinogens should be provided with, and be required to wear, clean, full body protective clothing (smocks, coveralls, or long-sleeved shirt and pants), shoe covers and gloves prior to entering the regulated area.

• Employees engaged in handling operations involving carcinogens should be provided with, and required to wear and use half-face filter-type respirators with filters for dusts, mists and fumes, or air purifying canisters or cartridges. A respirator affording higher levels of protection may be substituted.

• Emergency deluge showers and eyewash fountains, supplied with potable water, should be located near, within sight of, and on the same level with locations where direct exposure is likely.

Prior to each exit from an area containing confirmed human carcinogens, employees should be required to remove and leave protective clothing and equipment at the point of exit and at the last exit of the day, to place used clothing and equipment in impervious containers at the point of exit for purposes of decontamination or disposal. The contents of such impervious containers must be identified with suitable labels. For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood.

· Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood.

### ENGINEERING CONTROLS

· Employees exposed to confirmed human carcinogens should be authorized to do so by the employer, and work in a regulated area.

Work should be undertaken in an isolated system such as a "glove-box". Employees should wash their hands and arms upon completion of the assigned task and before engaging in other activities not associated with the isolated system.

• Within regulated areas, the carcinogen should be stored in sealed containers, or enclosed in a closed system, including piping systems, with any sample ports or openings closed while the carcinogens are contained within.

· Open-vessel systems are prohibited.

· Each operation should be provided with continuous local exhaust ventilation so that air movement is always from ordinary work areas to the operation.

• Exhaust air should not be discharged to regulated areas, non-regulated areas or the external environment unless decontaminated. Clean make-up air should be introduced in sufficient volume to maintain correct operation of the local exhaust system.

• For maintenance and decontamination activities, authorized employees entering the area should be provided with and required to wear clean, impervious garments, including gloves, boots and continuous-air supplied hood. Prior to removing protective garments the employee should undergo decontamination and be required to shower upon removal of the garments and hood.

· Except for outdoor systems, regulated areas should be maintained under negative pressure (with respect to non-regulated areas).

· Local exhaust ventilation requires make-up air be supplied in equal volumes to replaced air.

· Laboratory hoods must be designed and maintained so as to draw air inward at an average linear face velocity of 150 feet/ min. with a minimum of 125 feet/ min. Design and construction of the fume hood requires that insertion of any portion of the employees body, other than hands and arms, be disallowed.

### Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Solid. Does not mix with water. Sinks in water.			
State	Divided solid	Molecular Weight	184.26
Melting Range (°F)	260.6	Viscosity	Not Applicable
Boiling Range (°F)	752	Solubility in water (g/L)	Partly miscible
Flash Point (°F)	Not Available	pH (1% solution)	Not available.
Decomposition Temp (°F)	Not Available	pH (as supplied)	Not applicable
Autoignition Temp (°F)	Not Available	Vapour Pressure (mmHG)	Not applicable
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Specific Gravity (water=1)	1.25
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Relative Vapor Density (air=1)	Not applicable
Volatile Component (%vol)	Not applicable	Evaporation Rate	Not applicable

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log Kow (Prager 1995):	1.34
log Kow (Sangster 1997):	1.34

#### APPEARANCE

Greyish-yellow, white or reddish-grey crystalline powder. Slightly soluble in cold water; soluble in hot water, alcohol and ether.

### Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY

### CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

· Presence of incompatible materials.

· Product is considered stable.

#### STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

• Many arylamines (aromatic amines such as aniline, N-ethylaniline, o-toluidine, xylidine etc. and their mixtures) are hypergolic (ignite spontaneously) with red fuming nitric acid. When the amines are dissolved in triethylamine, ignition occurs at -60 deg. C. or less.

· Various metal oxides and their salts may promote ignition of amine-red fuming nitric acid systems. Soluble materials such as copper(I) oxide, ammonium metavanadate are effective; insoluble materials such as copper(II) oxide, iron(II) oxide, potassium dichromate are also effective.

· Avoid oxidizing agents, acids, acid chlorides, acid anhydrides.

· Keep dry.

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

### Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### BENZIDINE

#### TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

BENZIDINE:

■ unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.

### TOXICITY IRRITATION

Oral (rat) LD50: 309 mg/kg Nil Reported

■ WARNING: This substance has been classified by the IARC as Group 1: CARCINOGENIC TO HUMANS. Tenth Annual Report on Carcinogens: Substance known to be Carcinogenic

[National Toxicology Program: U.S. Dep. of Health and Human Services 2002].

#### CARCINOGEN

BENZIDINE	US Environmental Defense Scorecard Recognized Carcinogens	Reference(s)	P65
BENZIDINE	US Environmental Defense Scorecard Suspected Carcinogens	Reference(s)	P65
Benzidine	US Air Toxics Hot Spots TSD for Describing Available Cancer Potency Factors	IARC Class	1

### 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: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air	Bioaccumulation	Mobility
benzidine	LOW	LOW	LOW	MED

### Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### **US EPA Waste Number & Descriptions**

B. Component Waste Numbers When benzidine is present as a solid waste as a discarded commercial chemical product, off-specification species, as a container residue, or a spill residue, use EPA waste number U021 (waste code T).

### **Disposal Instructions**

All waste must be handled in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

Puncture containers to prevent re-use and bury at an authorized landfill. Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

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

- · Reduction
- · Reuse
- Recycling
- · Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning equipment to enter drains. Collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.

· Recycle wherever possible.

· Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult Waste Management Authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.

### Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION



DOT: Symbols: None Hazard class or Division: 6.1 Identification Numbers: UN1885 PG: II Label Codes: 6.1 Special provisions: IB8, IP2, IP4. T3. TP33 Packaging: Exceptions: 153 Packaging: Non- bulk: 212 Packaging: Exceptions: 153 Quantity limitations: 25 kg Passenger aircraft/rail: Quantity Limitations: Cargo 100 kg Vessel stowage: Location: A aircraft only: Vessel stowage: Other: None Hazardous materials descriptions and proper shipping names: Benzidine Air Transport IATA: ICAO/IATA Class: 6.1 ICAO/IATA Subrisk: None UN/ID Number: 1885 Packing Group: II Special provisions: None

Cargo Only Packing Instructions: 615 Maximum Qty/Pack: 100 kg Passenger and Cargo Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions: 613 Maximum Qty/Pack: 25 kg Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions: Y613 Maximum Qty/Pack: 1 kg Shipping Name: BENZIDINE

### Maritime Transport IMDG:

IMDG Class: 6.1 IMDG Subrisk: None UN Number: 1885 Packing Group: II EMS Number: F-A , S-A Special provisions: None Limited Quantities: 500 g Marine Pollutant: Yes Shipping Name: BENZIDINE

### Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

#### benzidine (CAS: 92-87-5) is found on the following regulatory lists;

"Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Nova Scotia Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Quebec Permissible Exposure Values for Airborne Contaminants (English)", "Canada - Saskatchewan Environmental Persistent or Chronic Hazardous Substances", "Canada - Saskatchewan Occupational Health and Safety Regulations - Notifiable Chemical Substances", "Canada - Yukon Permissible Concentrations for Airborne Contaminant Substances", "Canada ARET (Accelerated Reduction / Elimination of Toxics) Substance List", "Canada Ingredient Disclosure List (SOR/88-64)", "Canada Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)", "Canada Priority Substances - Schedule 2: Permitted Uses (English)", "Canada Prohibited Toxic Substances - Schedule 2: Reporting Thresholds (English)", "Canada Toxicological Index Service - Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System - WHMIS (English)", "US - California Air Toxics ""Hot Spots"" List (Assembly Bill 2588) Substances for which emissions must be quantified", "US -

California Occupational Safety and Health Regulations (CAL/OSHA) - Hazardous Substances List", "US - California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants", "US - California Proposition 65 - No Significant Risk Levels (NSRLs) for Carcinogens", "US - California Proposition 65 - Priority List for the Development of NSRLs for Carcinogens", "US - California Toxic Air Contaminant List Category V", "US -Connecticut Hazardous Air Pollutants", "US - Hawaii Air Contaminant Limits", "US - Idaho - Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Massachusetts Oil & Hazardous Material List", "US - Michigan Exposure Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Minnesota Hazardous Substance List", "US -Minnesota Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs)", "US - New Jersey Right to Know Hazardous Substances", "US - Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)", "US - Pennsylvania - Hazardous Substance List", "US - Rhode Island Hazardous Substance List", "US - Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits - Limits For Air Contaminants", "US - Vermont Hazardous Constituents", "US - Vermont Hazardous wastes which are Discarded Commercial Chemical Products or Off-Specification Batches of Commercial Chemical Products or Spill Residues of Either", "US - Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Final Rule Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Vermont Permissible Exposure Limits Table Z-1-A Transitional Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Washington Dangerous waste constituents list", "US - Washington Discarded Chemical Products List - ""U"" Chemical Products", "US - Washington General Occupational Health Standards - List of Carcinogens", "US - Wyoming Toxic and Hazardous Substances Table Z1 Limits for Air Contaminants", "US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)","US ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV) - Carcinogens","US CERCLA Priority List of Hazardous Substances","US Clean Air Act -Hazardous Air Pollutants", "US CWA (Clean Water Act) - Priority Pollutants", "US CWA (Clean Water Act) - Toxic Pollutants", "US Department of Transportation (DOT) List of Hazardous Substances and Reportable Quantities - Hazardous Substances Other Than Radionuclides", "US DOE Temporary Emergency Exposure Limits (TEELs)","US EPA Carcinogens Listing", "US EPA National Priorities List - Superfund Chemical Data Matrix (SCDM) - Hazard Ranking System - Hazardous Substance Benchmarks", "US EPCRA Section 313 Chemical List", "US List of Lists - Consolidated List of Chemicals Subject to EPCRA, CERCLA and Section 112(r) of the Clean Air Act", "US National Toxicology Program (NTP) 11th Report Part A Known to be Human Carcinogens", "US NFPA 30B Manufacture and Storage of Aerosol Products - Chemical Heat of Combustion", "US NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits (RELs)", "US OSHA Carcinogens Listing", "US OSHA Permissible Exposure Levels (PELs) - Table Z1","US RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - Hazardous Constituents - Appendix VIII to 40 CFR 261","US RCRA (Resource Conservation & Recovery Act) - List of Hazardous Wastes","US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) -Inventory", "US TSCA Section 12(b) - List of Chemical Substances Subject to Export Notification Requirements", "US TSCA Section 5(a)(2) -Significant New Use Rules (SNURs)", "US TSCA Section 8 (d) - Health and Safety Data Reporting"

### Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

#### LIMITED EVIDENCE

- Skin contact may produce health damage\*.
- Inhalation may produce serious health damage\*.
- Cumulative effects may result following exposure\*.
- Possible skin sensitiser\*.
- \* (limited evidence).

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