SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name : Bis(cyclopentadienyl)magnesium(II)

Product Number : 379131 Brand : Aldrich

CAS-No. : 1284-72-6

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

Identified uses : Laboratory chemicals, Synthesis of substances

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company : Sigma-Aldrich

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USA

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency Phone # : +1-703-527-3887 (CHEMTREC)

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS Classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Flammable solids (Category 2), H228 Pyrophoric solids (Category 1), H250

Substances and mixtures, which in contact with water, emit flammable gases (Category 2), H261

Skin corrosion (Category 1B), H314 Serious eye damage (Category 1), H318

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)

H228 Flammable solid.

H250 Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.
H261 In contact with water releases flammable gases.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Precautionary statement(s)

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. No smoking.

P222 Do not allow contact with air.
P223 Do not allow contact with water.

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P231 + P232 P240	Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.	
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment.	
P260	Do not breathe dust or mist.	
P264		
	Wash skin thoroughly after handling.	
P280	Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.	
P301 + P330 + P331	P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.	
P303 + P361 + P353	P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.	
P304 + P340 + P310	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.	
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.	
P335 + P334	Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water/ wrap in wet bandages.	
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.	
P370 + P378	In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish.	
P402 + P404	Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.	
P405	Store locked up.	
P422	Store contents under inert gas.	
P501	Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant.	
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2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Reacts violently with water.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

Hazardous components

Component	Classification	Concentration	
Bis(cyclopentadienyl)magnesium(II)			
	Flam. Sol. 2; Pyr. Sol. 1; Water-react. 2; Skin Corr. 1B; Eye Dam. 1; H228, H250, H261, H314	<= 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

General advice

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

In case of skin contact

Take off contaminated clothing and shoes immediately. Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

In case of eye contact

Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician. Continue rinsing eyes during transport to hospital.

If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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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

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available

5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Dry powder

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

No data available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid dust formation. Avoid breathing vapours, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Remove all sources of ignition. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust. 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.

6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Sweep up and shovel. Contain spillage, and then collect with an electrically protected vacuum cleaner or by wetbrushing and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Do not flush with water. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Further processing of solid materials may result in the formation of combustible dusts. The potential for combustible dust formation should be taken into consideration before additional processing occurs. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. 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.

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

Air and moisture sensitive. Handle and store under inert gas.

Storage class (TRGS 510): Pyrophoric and self-heating hazardous materials

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

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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8.2 **Exposure controls**

Appropriate engineering controls

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Face shield and safety glasses Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

Skin protection

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. Protective gloves against thermal risks

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 particle respirator type N100 (US) or type P3 (EN 143) 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.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: solid a) Appearance

Colour: white

No data available b) Odour

No data available Odour Threshold

d) рH No data available

Melting point/freezing point

Melting point/range: 180 °C (356 °F) - dec.

Initial boiling point and

boiling range

150 °C (302 °F) at 0.1 hPa (0.1 mmHg)

g) Flash point No data available h) Evaporation rate No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) The substance or mixture is a flammable solid with the category 2. i)

Upper/lower j) flammability or explosive limits No data available

k) Vapour pressure 1.00 hPa (0.75 mmHg) at 60 °C (140 °F)

0.05 hPa (0.04 mmHg) at 25 °C (77 °F)

Vapour density No data available m) Relative density No data available

n) Water solubility Decomposes in contact with water.

o) Partition coefficient: n-

No data available

octanol/water

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temperature

q) Decomposition Thermal sensitivity

temperature

r) Viscosity No data available
 s) Explosive properties No data available
 t) Oxidizing properties No data available

9.2 Other safety information

No data available

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

Reacts violently with water.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

Heat, flames and sparks. Exposure to moisture

10.5 Incompatible materials

Bases, Oxidizing agents, acids, Alcohols, Water, These compounds ignite in air and may react explosively with water

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions. - Carbon oxides, Magnesium oxide Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

No data available

Inhalation: No data available Dermal: No data available

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation

No data available

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

No data available

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

No data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

No data available

Carcinogenicity

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.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a

carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

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.

Reproductive toxicity

No data available

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

No data available

Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

No data available

Aspiration hazard

No data available

Additional Information

RTECS: Not available

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical, and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity

No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

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

No data available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Product

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.

Contaminated packaging

Dispose of as unused product.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

UN number: 3393 Class: 4.2 (4.3) Packing group: I

Proper shipping name: Organometallic substance, solid, pyrophoric, water-reactive

(Bis(cyclopentadienyl)magnesium(II))

Reportable Quantity (RQ):

Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

IMDG

UN number: 3393 Class: 4.2 (4.3) Packing group: I EMS-No: F-G, S-M

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Proper shipping name: ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, SOLID, PYROPHORIC, WATER-REACTIVE (Bis(cyclopentadienyl)magnesium(II))

IATA

UN number: 3393 Class: 4.2 (4.3)

Proper shipping name: Organometallic substance, solid, pyrophoric, water-reactive

(Bis(cyclopentadienyl)magnesium(II))
IATA Passenger: Not permitted for transport
IATA Cargo: Not permitted for transport

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

This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

Massachusetts Right To Know Components

No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right To Know Components

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New Jersey Right To Know Components

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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.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

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

Eye Dam. Serious eye damage Flam. Sol. Flammable solids H228 Flammable solid.

H250 Catches fire spontaneously if exposed to air.
H261 In contact with water releases flammable gases.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

Pyr. Sol. Pyrophoric solids

HMIS Rating

Health hazard: 3
Chronic Health Hazard:
Flammability: 4
Physical Hazard 3

NFPA Rating

Health hazard: 3
Fire Hazard: 4
Reactivity Hazard: 3

Further information

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