

Material Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification of substance:**Product details:****Product name:** Methyltriphenylphosphonium iodide**Stock number:**

A15644

L00362

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Alfa Aesar, A Johnson Matthey Company

Johnson Matthey Catalog Company, Inc.

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Ward Hill, MA 01835-8099

Emergency Phone: (978) 521-6300

CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Web Site: www.alfa.com**Information Department:** Health, Safety and Environmental Department**Emergency information:**

During normal hours the Health, Safety and Environmental Department. After normal hours call Chemtrec at (800) 424-9300.

2 Composition/Data on components:**Chemical characterization:****Description: (CAS#)**

Methyltriphenylphosphonium iodide (CAS# 20667-19-0)

Identification number(s):**EINECS Number:** 243-958-7**3 Hazards identification****Hazard description:**

T Toxic

Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment

R 25 Toxic if swallowed.

R 36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Classification system**HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)****(Hazardous Materials Identification System)**

HEALTH	2
FIRE	1
REACTIVITY	1

Health (acute effects) = 2

Flammability = 1

Reactivity = 1

GHS label elements

Danger

3.1/3 - Toxic if swallowed.

3.2/2 - Causes skin irritation.

3.3/2A - Causes serious eye irritation.

3.8/3 - May cause respiratory irritation.

Prevention:

Wear protective gloves/clothing.

Response:

IF exposed or if you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.

4 First aid measures**After inhalation**

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm.

Seek immediate medical advice.

After skin contact

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Seek immediate medical advice.

After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

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After swallowing Seek immediate medical advice.**5 Fire fighting measures****Suitable extinguishing agents**

Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or resulting gases:

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Phosphorus oxides

Hydrogen iodide (HI)

Iodine (I₂)**Protective equipment:**

Wear self-contained respirator.

Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures**Person-related safety precautions:**

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

Measures for environmental protection:

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

Measures for cleaning/collecting: Ensure adequate ventilation.**Additional information:**

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

7 Handling and storage**Handling****Information for safe handling:**

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry place in tightly closed containers.

Ensure good ventilation at the workplace.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: Keep ignition sources away.**Storage****Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:** No special requirements.**Information about storage in one common storage facility:**

Store in the dark.

Store away from water/moisture.

Store away from oxidizing agents.

Further information about storage conditions:

This product is hygroscopic.

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

Protect from humidity and water.

Protect from exposure to light.

8 Exposure controls and personal protection**Additional information about design of technical systems:**

Properly operating chemical fume hood designed for hazardous chemicals and having an average face velocity of at least 100 feet per minute.

Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required.**Additional information:** No data**Personal protective equipment****General protective and hygienic measures**

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Remove all soiled and contaminated clothing immediately.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.**Protection of hands:**

Impervious gloves

Check protective gloves prior to each use for their proper condition.

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Material of gloves

The selection of suitable gloves not only depends on the material, but also on quality. Quality will vary from manufacturer to manufacturer.

Eye protection: Safety glasses**Body protection:** Protective work clothing.**9 Physical and chemical properties:****General Information**

Form:	Powder
Color:	White
Odor:	Odorless

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	185-188°C (365-370°F)
Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not determined
Sublimation temperature / start:	Not determined

Flash point: Not applicable**Ignition temperature:** Not determined**Decomposition temperature:** Not determined**Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.**Explosion limits:**

Lower:	Not determined
Upper:	Not determined

Vapor pressure: Not determined**Density:** Not determined**Solubility in / Miscibility with****Water:** Soluble**10 Stability and reactivity****Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:**

Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Materials to be avoided:

Water/moisture

Light

Oxidizing agents

Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known**Dangerous products of decomposition:**

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Phosphorus oxides (e.g. P₂O₅)

Hydrogen iodide (HI)

Iodine (I₂)**11 Toxicological information****Acute toxicity:****LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:**

Oral	LD50	175 mg/kg (rat)
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Primary irritant effect:**on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.**on the eye:** Irritating effect.**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known.**Subacute to chronic toxicity:**

Organic phosphorus compounds exhibit a wide range of toxicity. Most are skin and eye irritants with the more volatile also being respiratory irritants. Those exhibiting substantial water reactivity will have stronger irritating properties and may be corrosive enough to cause severe burns. Some organic phosphorus compounds are cholinesterase inhibitors. Symptoms associated with these include muscle twitching, convulsions, flaccid paralysis, coma, respiratory failure. They can be highly paralytic.

Additional toxicological information:

To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

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No classification data on carcinogenic properties of this material is available from the EPA, IARC, NTP, OSHA or ACGIH.

12 Ecological information:**General notes:**

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.

13 Disposal considerations**Product:**

Recommendation Consult state, local or national regulations to ensure proper disposal.

Uncleaned packagings:

Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information**DOT regulations:**

Hazard class: 6.1
Identification number: UN3464
Packing group: III
Proper shipping name (technical name): ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S. (Methyl triphenylphosphonium iodide)
Label 6.1

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)

ADR/RID class: 6.1 (T2) Toxic substances
Danger code (Kemler): 60
UN-Number: 3464
Packaging group: III
Description of goods: 3464 ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S. (Methyltriphenylphosphonium iodide)

Maritime transport IMDG:

IMDG Class: 6.1
UN Number: 3464
Label 6.1
Packaging group: III
Marine pollutant: No
Proper shipping name: ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S. (Methyl triphenylphosphonium iodide)

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

ICAO/IATA Class: 6.1
UN/ID Number: 3464
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UN "Model Regulation": UN3464, ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S., 6.1, III**15 Regulations****Product related hazard informations:****Hazard symbols:**

T Toxic

Risk phrases:

25 Toxic if swallowed.

36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

Safety phrases:

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

36/37 Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

45 In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately.

National regulations

This product is not listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical Substance Inventory. Use of this product is restricted to research and development only.

Some or all of the components of this product are not listed on the Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL) or the Canadian Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL).

Information about limitation of use: For use only by technically qualified individuals.**16 Other information:**

Employers should use this information only as a supplement to other information gathered by them, and should make independent judgement of suitability of this information to ensure proper use and protect the health and safety of employees. This information is furnished without warranty, and any use of the product not in conformance with this Material Safety Data Sheet, or in combination with any other product or process, is the responsibility of the user.

Department issuing MSDS: Health, Safety and Environmental Department.**Contact:** Zachariah Holt**Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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