

Material Safety Data Sheet

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1 Identification of substance:**Product details:****Product name:** Bis(triethylphosphine)nickel (II) chloride**Stock number:** 30145**Manufacturer/Supplier:**

Alfa Aesar, A Johnson Matthey Company
 Johnson Matthey Catalog Company, Inc.
 30 Bond Street
 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#)**

Bis(triethylphosphine)nickel (II) chloride
 (CAS# 17523-24-9), 100%

3 Hazards identification**Hazard description:**

T Toxic

Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment

R 49 May cause cancer by inhalation.

R 43 May cause sensitization by skin contact.

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

HEALTH	1
FIRE	1
REACTIVITY	1

Health (acute effects) = 1

Flammability = 1

Reactivity = 1

GHS label elements**Danger**

3.6/1B - May cause cancer.

**Warning**

3.4/1 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Prevention:

Obtain special instructions before use.

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.

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

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

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

Use personal protective equipment as required.

Response:

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

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Specific treatment (see label).

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Storage:

Store locked up.

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Disposal:

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

4 First aid measures

General information Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

After inhalation

Supply fresh air and to be sure call for a doctor.

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.

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 (CO)

Hydrogen chloride (HCl)

Phosphorus oxides

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:

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

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.

Open and handle container with care.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required.

Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents.

Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.

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:

Nickel and inorganic compounds, as Ni

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	mg/m3
ACGIH TLV	1.5; A5 (metal)
	0.2; A1 (insoluble compounds)
	0.1; A4 (soluble compounds)
Austria	Carcinogen
Denmark TWA	0.5
Finland TWA	0.1 (skin) Carcinogen
France VME	1; C3-Carcinogen
Germany	Carcinogen
Hungary	0.005-STEL; Carcinogen (insoluble compounds)
Japan OEL	1; 2B-Carcinogen
Korea TLV	1.5
Netherlands MAC-TGG	1; Carcinogen
	1 (insoluble compounds)
Poland TWA	0.25
Russia	0.05-STEL
Sweden NGV	0.5 (dust)
Switzerland MAK-W	0.5; Carcinogen
United Kingdom TWA	0.1
USA PEL	1

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.

Store protective clothing separately.

Breathing equipment: Use suitable respirator when high concentrations are present.**Protection of hands:** Impervious gloves**Eye protection:** Safety glasses**Body protection:** Protective work clothing.**9 Physical and chemical properties:****General Information**

Form:	Powder
Color:	Dark red
Odor:	Not determined

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range:	Not determined
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:	Insoluble
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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: Oxidizing agents**Dangerous reactions** Reacts with oxidizing agents**Dangerous products of decomposition:** Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

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11 Toxicological information**Acute toxicity:****Primary irritant effect:****on the skin:** Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.**on the eye:** Irritating effect.**Sensitization:** Sensitization possible through skin contact.**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.

Nickel and nickel compounds may cause a form of dermatitis known as nickel itch. They may also cause intestinal disorders, convulsions and asphyxia. Airborne nickel contaminated dusts are regarded as carcinogenic to the respiratory tract.

Additional toxicological information:

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

IARC-1: Carcinogenic to humans: sufficient evidence of carcinogenicity.

NTP-2: Reasonably anticipated to be a carcinogen: limited evidence from studies in humans or sufficient evidence from studies in experimental animals.

ACGIH A1: Confirmed human carcinogen: Agent is carcinogenic to humans based on epidemiologic studies of, or convincing clinical evidence in, exposed humans.

12 Ecological information:**General notes:**

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.
(bis(triethylphosphine)nickel (II) chloride)

Label

6.1

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)**ADR/RID class:**

6.1 (T2) Toxic substances

Danger code (Kemler):

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UN-Number:

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Packaging group:

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Description of goods: 3464 ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S.
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Maritime transport IMDG:

IMDG Class: 6.1
UN Number: 3464
Label 6.1
Packaging group: III
Proper shipping name: ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S.
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Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

ICAO/IATA Class: 6.1
UN/ID Number: 3464
Label 6.1
Packaging group: III
Proper shipping name: ORGANOPHOSPHORUS COMPOUND, TOXIC, SOLID, N.O.S.
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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:

49 May cause cancer by inhalation.

43 May cause sensitization by skin contact.

Safety phrases:

53 Avoid exposure - obtain special instructions before use.

24 Avoid contact with skin.

27/28 After contact with skin, take off immediately all contaminated clothing, and wash immediately with plenty of water.

37/39 Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

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.

This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer or reproductive toxicity.

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.

This product contains nickel and is subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know act of 1986 and 40CFR372.

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

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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

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

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

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