

1 Identification

Product identifier

Product name: 7,12-Dimethylbenz[a]anthracene

Stock number: A17640

CAS Number:

57-97-6

EC number:

200-359-5

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

Identified use: SU24 Scientific research and development

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

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2 Hazard(s) identification

Classification of the substance or mixture in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)



GHS06 Skull and crossbones

Acute Tox. 3 H301 Toxic if swallowed.



GHS08 Health hazard

Muta. 1A H340 May cause genetic defects.

Carc. 1A H350 May cause cancer.

Repr. 2 H361 Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.



GHS07

Skin Irrit. 2 H315 Causes skin irritation.

Hazards not otherwise classified No information known.

Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)

Hazard pictograms



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Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

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Precautionary statements

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P362 Take off contaminated clothing.

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P501 Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

WHMIS classification

D1B - Toxic material causing immediate and serious toxic effects

D2A - Very toxic material causing other toxic effects



Classification system

HMIS ratings (scale 0-4)

(Hazardous Materials Identification System)

HEALTH 1 Health (acute effects) = 1

FIRE 1 Flammability = 1

REACTIVITY 1 Physical Hazard = 1

Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

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3 Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical characterization: Substances
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4 First-aid measures

Description of 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.
After swallowing Seek medical treatment.
Information for doctor
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed No further relevant information available.
Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed No further relevant information available.

5 Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media
Suitable extinguishing agents Carbon dioxide, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.
Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture
If this product is involved in a fire, the following can be released:
Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide
Advice for firefighters
Protective equipment:
Wear self-contained respirator.
Wear fully protective impervious suit.

6 Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
Environmental precautions: Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:
Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to section 13.
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Prevention of secondary hazards: No special measures required.
Reference to other sections
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
Precautions 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 information known.
Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities
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.
Specific end use(s) No further relevant information available.

8 Exposure controls/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.
Control parameters
Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required.
Additional information: No data
Exposure controls
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.
Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
Maintain an ergonomically appropriate working environment.
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.
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

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Body protection: Protective work clothing.

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9 Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Powder
Color: Light yellow
Odor: Not determined
Odor threshold: Not determined.

pH-value: Not applicable.

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: 121-124 °C (250-255 °F)
Boiling point/Boiling range: Not determined
Sublimation temperature / start: Not determined

Flash point: Not applicable
Flammability (solid, gaseous) Not determined.
Ignition temperature: Not determined
Decomposition temperature: Not determined
Auto igniting: Not determined.

Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

Explosion limits:

Lower: Not determined
Upper: Not determined

Vapor pressure: Not applicable.

Density: Not determined

Relative density Not determined.

Vapor density Not applicable.

Evaporation rate Not applicable.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

Water: Not determined

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not determined.

Viscosity:

dynamic: Not applicable.

kinematic: Not applicable.

Other information No further relevant information available.

10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No information known.

Chemical stability Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: Decomposition will not occur if used and stored according to specifications.

Possibility of hazardous reactions No dangerous reactions known

Conditions to avoid No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials: Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed.

LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification: No data

Skin irritation or corrosion: Causes skin irritation.

Eye irritation or corrosion: Irritating effect.

Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.

Germ cell mutagenicity: May cause genetic defects.

Carcinogenicity:

May cause cancer.

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

Reproductive toxicity: Suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child.

Specific target organ system toxicity - repeated exposure: No effects known.

Specific target organ system toxicity - single exposure: No effects known.

Aspiration hazard: No effects known.

Other information (about experimental toxicology):

Tumorigenic effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.

Reproductive effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with bacteria.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with insects.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with non-mammalian species cells.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with fish.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with human lymphocytes.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with human and/or animal DNA cells.

Mutagenic effects have been observed with human fibroblast.

Mutagenic effects have been observed with human leukocyte.

Mutagenic effects have been observed on tests with laboratory animals.

Subacute to chronic toxicity:

The Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS) reports the following effects in laboratory animals:

Reproductive - Maternal Effects - oogenesis.

Reproductive - Maternal Effects - ovaries, fallopian tubes.

Reproductive - Tumorigenic effects - transplacental tumorigenesis.

Reproductive - Tumorigenic effects - ovarian tumors.

Reproductive - Tumorigenic effects - uterine tumors.

Reproductive - Tumorigenic effects - other reproductive system tumors.

Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - live birth index (measured after birth)

Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - germ cell effects (in offspring)

Reproductive - Specific Developmental Abnormalities - Central Nervous System.

Reproductive - Maternal Effects - breasts, lactation (prior to or during pregnancy)

Reproductive - Maternal Effects - parturition.

Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - growth statistics (e.g.%, reduced weight gain).

Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - behavioral.

Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - other postnatal measures or effects.

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Reproductive - Maternal Effects - other effects.
Reproductive - Specific Developmental Abnormalities - eye/ear.
Reproductive - Specific Developmental Abnormalities - craniofacial (including nose and tongue).
Reproductive - Specific Developmental Abnormalities - musculoskeletal system.
Reproductive - Effects on Embryo or Fetus - fetal death.
Reproductive - Paternal Effects - spermatogenesis (including genetic material, sperm morphology, motility, and count).
Reproductive - Specific Developmental Abnormalities - urogenital system.
Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - viability index (e.g., # alive at day 4 per # born live).
Reproductive - Effects on Newborn - delayed effects.
Reproductive - Fertility - abortion.
Reproductive - Fertility - post-implantation mortality (e.g. dead/or resorbed implants per total number of implants).
Reproductive - Paternal Effects - testes, epididymis, sperm duct.
Nutritional and Gross Metabolic - other changes.
Peripheral Nerve and Sensation - structural change in nerve or sheath.
Musculoskeletal - tumors.
Vascular - tumors.
Skin and Appendages - breast
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Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - tumors.
Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - bronchiogenic carcinoma.
Lungs, Thorax, or Respiration - other changes.
Blood - leukopenia.
Blood - leukemia.
Liver - tumors.
Gastrointestinal - colon tumors.
Brain and Coverings - tumors.
Tumorigenic - tumor types after systemic administration not seen spontaneously.
Tumorigenic - carcinogenic by RTECS criteria.
Tumorigenic - equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria.
Tumorigenic - tumors at site of application.
Tumorigenic - neoplastic by RTECS criteria.
Tumorigenic - increased incidence of tumors in susceptible strains.
Additional toxicological information: To the best of our knowledge the acute and chronic toxicity of this substance is not fully known.

12 Ecological information

Toxicity
Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.
Persistence and degradability No further relevant information available.
Bioaccumulative potential No further relevant information available.
Mobility in soil No further relevant information available.
Additional ecological information:
General notes:
Do not allow material to be released to the environment without proper governmental permits.
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water course or sewage system, even in small quantities.
Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into the ground.
Avoid transfer into the environment.
Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT: Not applicable.
vPvB: Not applicable.
Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods
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

Not a hazardous material for transportation.

UN-Number DOT, IMDG, IATA	None
UN proper shipping name DOT, IMDG, IATA	None
Transport hazard class(es) DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA Class	None
Packing group DOT, IMDG, IATA	None
Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information: DOT Marine Pollutant (DOT):	Not dangerous according to the above specifications. No

15 Regulatory information

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled in accordance with 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)
Hazard pictograms



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Signal word Danger

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National regulations

All components of this product are listed in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act Chemical substance Inventory.

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)

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California Proposition 65

Prop 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer

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Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, female Substance is not listed.

Prop 65 - Developmental toxicity, male Substance is not listed.

Information about limitation of use:

Workers are not allowed to be exposed to this hazardous material. Exceptions can be made by the authorities in certain cases.

For use only by technically qualified individuals.

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

Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations

Although this chemical may sometimes be used as a food or drug or cosmetic, our products are not approved or suitable for such use or for human consumption.

Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC) according to the REACH Regulations (EC) No. 1907/2006. Substance is not listed.

The conditions of restrictions according to Article 67 and Annex XVII of the Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) for the manufacturing, placing on the market and use must be observed.

Substance is not listed.

Annex XIV of the REACH Regulations (requiring Authorisation for use) Substance is not listed.

Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

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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 SDS: Global Marketing Department

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

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

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

WHMIS: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (Canada)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (USA)

OSHA: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (USA)

NTP: National Toxicology Program (USA)

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

EPA: Environmental Protection Agency (USA)

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