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SAFETY DATA SHEET

SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION

CATALOG #:	42146
NAME:	Ethidium homodimer
SYNONYMS:	EtDi EthD-1
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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE

GHS CLASSIFICATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH 29 CFR 1910 (OSHA HCS)
SUBSTANCES AND MIXTURES, WHICH IN CONTACT WITH WATER, EMIT
FLAMMABLE GASES (CATEGORY 3), H261
SKIN CORROSION (CATEGORY 1B), H314
SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE (CATEGORY 1), H318

CARCINOGENICITY (CATEGORY 2), H351

FOR THE FULL TEXT OF THE H-STATEMENTS MENTIONED IN THIS SECTION, SEE SECTION 16.

GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS PICTOGRAM



SIGNAL WORD DANGER

HAZARD STATEMENT(S)

H261 IN CONTACT WITH WATER RELEASES FLAMMABLE GASES.
H314 CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.
H351 SUSPECTED OF CAUSING CANCER.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT(S)

P201 OBTAIN SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE.
P202 DO NOT HANDLE UNTIL ALL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS HAVE BEEN READ AND UNDERSTOOD.
P231 + P232 HANDLE UNDER INERT GAS. PROTECT FROM MOISTURE.
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 IF SWALLOWED: RINSE MOUTH. DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING.
P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (OR HAIR): REMOVE/ TAKE OFF IMMEDIATELY ALL CONTAMINATED CLOTHING. RINSE SKIN WITH WATER/ SHOWER.
P304 + P340 IF INHALED: REMOVE VICTIM TO FRESH AIR AND KEEP AT REST IN A POSITION COMFORTABLE FOR BREATHING.
P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: RINSE CAUTIOUSLY WITH WATER FOR SEVERAL MINUTES. REMOVE CONTACT LENSES, IF PRESENT AND EASY TO DO. CONTINUE RINSING.
P310 IMMEDIATELY CALL A POISON CENTER/DOCTOR.
P321 SPECIFIC TREATMENT (SEE SUPPLEMENTAL FIRST AID INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS LABEL).
P363 WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.
P370 + P378 IN CASE OF FIRE: USE DRY SAND, DRY CHEMICAL OR ALCOHOL-RESISTANT FOAM FOR EXTINCTION.
P402 + P404 STORE IN A DRY PLACE. STORE IN A CLOSED CONTAINER.
P405 STORE LOCKED UP.
P501 DISPOSE OF CONTENTS/ CONTAINER TO AN APPROVED WASTE DISPOSAL PLANT.

HAZARDS NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED (HNOC) OR NOT COVERED BY GHS NONE

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

MF: $C_{46}H_{50}Cl_4N_8$
MW: 856.75
CAS-NO. 61926-22-5
PURITY: $\geq 85\%$ (HPLC)

HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS

COMPONENT	CLASSIFICATION	CONCENTRATION
Ethidium homodimer		
	WATER-REACT. 3; SKIN CORR. 1B; EYE DAM. 1; CARC. 2; H261, H314, H318, H351	$\leq 100\%$

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SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

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.

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.

INDICATION OF ANY IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND SPECIAL TREATMENT NEEDED	NO DATA AVAILABLE
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SECTION 5. FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA	DRY POWDER
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SPECIAL HAZARDS ARISING FROM THE SUBSTANCE OR MIXTURE	CARBON OXIDES, NITROGEN OXIDES (NOX), HYDROGEN CHLORIDE GAS
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ADVICE FOR FIREFIGHTERS	WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS FOR FIREFIGHTING IF NECESSARY.
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FURTHER INFORMATION	NO DATA AVAILABLE
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SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES	USE PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT. AVOID DUST FORMATION. AVOID BREATHING VAPOURS, MIST OR GAS. ENSURE ADEQUATE VENTILATION. EVACUATE PERSONNEL TO SAFE AREAS. AVOID BREATHING DUST. FOR PERSONAL PROTECTION SEE SECTION 8.
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ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS	PREVENT FURTHER LEAKAGE OR SPILLAGE IF SAFE TO DO SO. DO NOT LET PRODUCT ENTER DRAINS.
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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 WET-BRUSHING 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.
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REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS	FOR DISPOSAL SEE SECTION 13.
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SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. AVOID FORMATION OF DUST AND AEROSOLS. PROVIDE APPROPRIATE EXHAUST VENTILATION AT PLACES WHERE DUST IS FORMED. KEEP AWAY FROM SOURCES OF IGNITION - NO SMOKING. FOR PRECAUTIONS SEE SECTION 2.2.

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.

Store at ≤ -10 °C

SPECIFIC END USE(S) APART FROM THE USES MENTIONED IN SECTION 1.2 NO OTHER SPECIFIC USES ARE STIPULATED

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

CONTROL PARAMETERS

COMPONENTS WITH WORKPLACE CONTROL PARAMETERS

CONTAINS NO SUBSTANCES WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES.

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.

FULL CONTACT

MATERIAL: NITRILE RUBBER

MINIMUM LAYER THICKNESS: 0.11 MM

BREAK THROUGH TIME: 480 MIN

MATERIAL TESTED:DERMATRIL (KCL 740, SIZE M)

SPLASH CONTACT

MATERIAL: NITRILE RUBBER

MINIMUM LAYER THICKNESS: 0.11 MM

BREAK THROUGH TIME: 480 MIN

MATERIAL TESTED:DERMATRIL (KCL 740, SIZE M)

IF USED IN SOLUTION, OR MIXED WITH OTHER SUBSTANCES, AND UNDER CONDITIONS WHICH DIFFER FROM EN 374, CONTACT THE SUPPLIER OF THE CE APPROVED GLOVES. THIS RECOMMENDATION IS ADVISORY ONLY AND MUST BE EVALUATED BY AN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENIST AND SAFETY OFFICER FAMILIAR WITH THE SPECIFIC SITUATION OF ANTICIPATED USE BY OUR CUSTOMERS. IT SHOULD NOT BE CONSTRUED AS OFFERING AN APPROVAL FOR ANY SPECIFIC USE SCENARIO.

BODY PROTECTION

COMPLETE SUIT PROTECTING AGAINST CHEMICALS, 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.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE	Red to dark red powder
ODOUR	NO DATA AVAILABLE
ODOUR THRESHOLD	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PH	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MELTING POINT/FREEZING POINT	> 250 °C (Lit.)
INITIAL BOILING POINT AND BOILING RANGE	
FLASH POINT	
EVAPORATION RATE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
FLAMMABILITY (SOLID, GAS)	NO DATA AVAILABLE
UPPER/LOWER FLAMMABILITY OR EXPLOSIVE LIMITS	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR PRESSURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VAPOUR DENSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RELATIVE DENSITY	
WATER SOLUBILITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PARTITION COEFFICIENT: N- OCTANOL/WATER	NO DATA AVAILABLE
AUTO-IGNITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE	NO DATA AVAILABLE
VISCOSITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OXIDIZING PROPERTIES	NO DATA AVAILABLE
OTHER SAFETY INFORMATION	NO DATA AVAILABLE

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

REACTIVITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
CHEMICAL STABILITY	STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.
POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS	REACTS VIOLENTLY WITH WATER.
CONDITIONS TO AVOID	EXPOSURE TO MOISTURE

**INCOMPATIBLE
MATERIALS**

STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS
STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS, ALCOHOLS, ACIDS, BASES

**HAZARDOUS
DECOMPOSITION
PRODUCTS**

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS FORMED
UNDER FIRE CONDITIONS. - CARBON OXIDES,
NITROGEN OXIDES (NOX), HYDROGEN CHLORIDE GAS
OTHER DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS - NO DATA
AVAILABLE
IN THE EVENT OF FIRE: SEE SECTION 5

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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

LIMITED EVIDENCE OF CARCINOGENICITY IN ANIMAL STUDIES

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 ON
OSHA S LIST OF REGULATED CARCINOGENS.

REPRODUCTIVE TOXICITY	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 SPASM, INFLAMMATION AND EDEMA OF THE LARYNX, SPASM, INFLAMMATION AND EDEMA OF THE BRONCHI, PNEUMONITIS, PULMONARY EDEMA, BURNING SENSATION, COUGH, WHEEZING, LARYNGITIS, SHORTNESS OF BREATH, HEADACHE, NAUSEA, VOMITING STOMACH - IRREGULARITIES - BASED ON HUMAN EVIDENCE

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXICITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
PERSISTENCE AND DEGRADABILITY	NO DATA AVAILABLE
BIOACCUMULATIVE POTENTIAL	NO DATA AVAILABLE
MOBILITY IN SOIL	NO DATA AVAILABLE
RESULTS OF PBT AND VPVB ASSESSMENT	PBT/VPVB ASSESSMENT NOT AVAILABLE AS CHEMICAL SAFETY ASSESSMENT NOT REQUIRED/NOT CONDUCTED.
OTHER ADVERSE EFFECTS	NO DATA AVAILABLE

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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. DISSOLVE OR MIX THE MATERIAL WITH A COMBUSTIBLE SOLVENT AND BURN IN A CHEMICAL INCINERATOR EQUIPPED WITH AN AFTERBURNER AND SCRUBBER.
CONTAMINATED PACKAGING	DISPOSE OF AS UNUSED PRODUCT.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT (US)

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE SOLIDS, WATER-REACTIVE, N.O.S. (Ethidium homodimer)
UN NUMBER:	3096
CLASS:	8 (4.3)
PACKING GROUP:	II
REPORTABLE QUANTITY (RQ):	
POISON INHALATION HAZARD:	NO

IMDG

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE SOLIDS, WATER-REACTIVE, N.O.S. (Ethidium homodimer)
UN NUMBER:	3096
CLASS:	8 (4.3)
PACKING GROUP:	II
EMS-NO:	F-G, S-L

IATA

PROPER SHIPPING NAME:	CORROSIVE SOLIDS, WATER-REACTIVE, N.O.S. (Ethidium homodimer)
UN NUMBER:	3096
CLASS:	8 (4.3)
PACKING GROUP:	II

SECTION 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.

SARA 311/312 HAZARDS ACUTE HEALTH HAZARD, CHRONIC HEALTH HAZARD

MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS
NO COMPONENTS ARE SUBJECT TO THE MASSACHUSETTS RIGHT TO KNOW ACT.

PENNSYLVANIA RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

	CAS-NO.	REVISION DATE
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NEW JERSEY RIGHT TO KNOW COMPONENTS

	CAS-NO.	REVISION DATE
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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.

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

FULL TEXT OF H-STATEMENTS REFERRED TO UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3.

H261	IN CONTACT WITH WATER RELEASES FLAMMABLE GASES.
H314	CAUSES SEVERE SKIN BURNS AND EYE DAMAGE.
H351	SUSPECTED OF CAUSING CANCER.

MSDS LEGEND

MW:	MOLECULAR WEIGHT
MF:	MOLECULAR FORMULA
VOC:	VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS
ACGIH:	AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF GOVERNMENTAL INDUSTRIAL HYGINISTS
CAS:	CHEMICAL ABSTRACTS SERIVE REGISTRY NUMBER
OSHA:	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION
PEL:	PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMIT (OSHA)
TLV:	THRESHOLD LIMIT VALUE (ACGIH)

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