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# **Spent Solvent Filters**

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#### **SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION**

Product name : Spent Solvent Filters (Using spent Amine SDS - Included with other SDS

sent)

Product code : 002D6252

### Manufacturer or supplier's details

Manufacturer/Supplier : Vertex Refining Alabama LLC

400 Industrial Pkwy

Ext. East

Saraland, AL 36571

SDS Request : 251-679-7180 Customer Service : 251-679-7180

**Emergency telephone number** 

Spill Information : 1-800-424-9300 Health Information : 1-800-424-9300

#### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Waste Chemicals

Restrictions on use :

This product must not be used in applications other than those listed in Section 1 without first seeking the advice of the sup-

plier.

## **SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

## GHS classification in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200

Flammable Liquids : Category 1

Acute toxicity (Oral) : Category 4

Skin irritation : Category 2

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Category 1

Acute toxicity (Inhalation) : Category 3

Specific target organ toxicity : Ca

- repeated exposure

Category 2

Acute aquatic toxicity : Category 1

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#### **GHS** label elements

Hazard pictograms











Signal word : Danger

Hazard statements : PHYSICAL HAZARDS:

H224 Extremely flammable liquid and vapour.

**HEALTH HAZARDS:** 

H302 Harmful if swallowed. H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H331 Toxic if inhaled.

H373 May cause damage to organs () through prolonged or

repeated exposure.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.

### Precautionary statements

### Prevention:

P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces.

No smoking.

P233 Keep container tightly closed.

P240 Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.

P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting equip-

ment.

P242 Use only non-sparking tools.

P243 Take precautionary measures against static discharge.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/

face protection.

P264 Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P260 Do not breathe dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapours/ spray.

P273 Avoid release to the environment.

# Response:

P370 + P378 In case of fire: Use appropriate media to extinguish.

P321 Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label).

P303 + P361 + P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

P332 + P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.

P362 + P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before

reuse.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P330 Rinse mouth.

P305 + P351 + P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water

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for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy

to do. Continue rinsina.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P304 + P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and

keep comfortable for breathing.

P314 Get medical advice/ attention if you feel unwell.

P391 Collect spillage.

### Storage:

P403 + P235 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. P403 + P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tiahtly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

#### Disposal:

P501 Dispose of contents and container to appropriate waste site or reclaimer in accordance with local and national regulations.

#### Other hazards

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

High gas concentrations will displace available air; unconsciousness and death may occur suddenly from lack of oxygen.

Exposure to rapidly expanding gases may cause frost burns to eyes and/or skin.

Vapours are heavier than air. Vapours may travel across the ground and reach remote ignition sources causing a flashback fire danger.

Electrostatic charges may be generated during pumping. Electrostatic discharge may cause fire. If sufficient charge is allowed to accumulate, electrostatic discharge and ignition of flammable airvapour mixtures can occur.

Hydrogen sulphide is highly toxic and may be fatal if inhaled.

Irritating to eyes.

Hydrogen sulphide (H2S), an extremely flammable and toxic gas, and other hazardous vapours may evolve and collect in the headspace of storage tanks, transport vessels and other enclosed containers.

Breathing of high vapour concentrations may cause central nervous system (CNS) depression resulting in dizziness, light-headedness, headache, nausea and loss of coordination. Continued inhalation may result in unconsciousness and death.

The classification of this material is based on OSHA HCS 2012 criteria.

## **SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Substance / Mixture Mixture

Chemical nature Contains hydrogen sulphide, CAS # 7783-06-4.

### **Hazardous components**

Chemical name	Synonyms	CAS-No.	Concentration (% w/w)
Hydrogen sulfide	hydrogen sul-	7783-06-4	>= 0.08 - <= 10
	phide (Gas)		
2,2'-iminodiethanol	2,2'-	diethanolamine	>= 23 - <= 27
	iminodiethanol		

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Water | 7732-18-5 | >= 65 - <= 70

Hydrogen sulphide may be present both in the liquid and the vapour. Composition is complex and varies with the source of the crude oil and the contributing process plants at that time.

### **SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

General advice : Vapourisation of H2S that has been trapped in clothing can be

dangerous to rescuers. Maintain respiratory protection to avoid contamination from the victim to rescuer. Mechanical ventilation should be used to resuscitate if at all possible.

If inhaled : Casualties suffering ill effects as a result of exposure to hy-

drogen sulphide should be removed to fresh air.

Do not attempt to rescue the victim unless proper respiratory protection is worn. If the victim has difficulty breathing or tightness of the chest, is dizzy, vomiting, or unresponsive, give 100% oxygen with rescue breathing or Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) as required and transport to the nearest

medical facility.

Call emergency number for your location / facility.

Remove to fresh air. Do not attempt to rescue the victim unless proper respiratory protection is worn. If the victim has difficulty breathing or tightness of the chest, is dizzy, vomiting, or unresponsive, give 100% oxygen with rescue breathing or Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation as required and transport to

the nearest medical facility.

In case of skin contact : Remove contaminated clothing. Immediately flush skin with

large amounts of water for at least 15 minutes, and follow by washing with soap and water if available. If redness, swelling, pain and/or blisters occur, transport to the nearest medical

facility for additional treatment.

When using high pressure equipment, injection of product under the skin can occur. If high pressure injuries occur, the casualty should be sent immediately to a hospital. Do not wait

for symptoms to develop.

Obtain medical attention even in the absence of apparent

wounds.

In case of eye contact : Flush eye with copious quantities of water.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue

rinsina.

If persistent irritation occurs, obtain medical attention.

If swallowed : Call emergency number for your location / facility.

If swallowed, do not induce vomiting: transport to nearest medical facility for additional treatment. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep head below hips to prevent aspiration. If any of the following delayed signs and symptoms appear

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> within the next 6 hours, transport to the nearest medical facility: fever greater than 101° F (38.3°C), shortness of breath, chest congestion or continued coughing or wheezing.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Skin irritation signs and symptoms may include a burning sensation, redness, swelling, and/or blisters.

Eye irritation signs and symptoms may include a burning sen-

sation and a temporary redness of the eye.

If material enters lungs, signs and symptoms may include coughing, choking, wheezing, difficulty in breathing, chest

congestion, shortness of breath, and/or fever.

The onset of respiratory symptoms may be delayed for sever-

al hours after exposure.

Breathing of high vapour concentrations may cause central nervous system (CNS) depression resulting in dizziness, light-

headedness, headache and nausea.

Auditory system effects may include temporary hearing loss

and/or ringing in the ears.

Respiratory irritation signs and symptoms may include a temporary burning sensation of the nose and throat, coughing,

and/or difficulty breathing.

Eve irritation signs and symptoms may include a burning sen-

sation, redness, swelling, and/or blurred vision.

Protection of first-aiders

When administering first aid, ensure that you are wearing the appropriate personal protective equipment according to the

incident, injury and surroundings.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

The concentration of lead alkyl compounds present is not significant in the context of treating acute poisoning unless the person has been laying in a pool of the product for some time.

Hydrogen sulphide (H2S) - CNS asphyxiant. May cause rhinitis, bronchitis and occasionally pulmonary oedema after severe exposure. CONSIDER: Oxygen therapy. Consult a Poi-

son Control Center for guidance.

## **SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

Suitable extinguishing media : Shut off supply. If not possible and no risk to surroundings, let

the fire burn itself out.

Use foam, water fog for major fires.

Use dry chemical powder, carbon dioxide, sand or earth for

minor fires.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Do not use direct water jets on the burning product as they

could cause a steam explosion and spread of the fire. Simultaneous use of foam and water on the same surface is

to be avoided as water destroys the foam.

Specific hazards during fire-

fighting

Hydrogen sulphide (H2S) and other toxic sulphur oxides may be given off when this material is heated. Do not depend on

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sense of smell for warning.

Hazardous combustion products may include:

Carbon monoxide may be evolved if incomplete combustion

occurs.

Unidentified organic and inorganic compounds.

Sustained fire attack on vessels may result in a Boiling Liquid

Expanding Vapor Explosion (BLEVE).

Contents are under pressure and can explode when exposed

to heat or flames.

The vapour is heavier than air, spreads along the ground and

distant ignition is possible.

Specific extinguishing meth-

ods

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local cir-

cumstances and the surrounding environment.

Further information : Clear fire area of all non-emergency personnel.

Keep adjacent containers cool by spraying with water. If possible remove containers from the danger zone.

If the fire cannot be extinguished the only course of action is

to evacuate immediately.

Special protective equipment:

for firefighters

Proper protective equipment including chemical resistant gloves are to be worn; chemical resistant suit is indicated if large contact with spilled product is expected. Self-Contained

Breathing Apparatus must be worn when approaching a fire in a confined space. Select fire fighter's clothing approved to

relevant Standards (e.g. Europe: EN469).

#### **SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Shut off leaks, if possible without personal risks. Remove all possible sources of ignition in the surrounding area and evacuate all personnel. Attempt to disperse the gas or to direct its flow to a safe location for example by using fog sprays. Take

precautionary measures against static discharge. Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment. Monitor area with combustible gas meter.

Test atmosphere for flammable gas concentrations to ensure safe working conditions before personnel are allowed to enter

the area.

Environmental precautions : Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contami-

nation.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Allow to evaporate.

Attempt to disperse the gas or to direct its flow to a safe loca-

tion, for example by using fog sprays.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing.

Evacuate the area of all non-essential personnel.

Ventilate contaminated area thoroughly.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

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Additional advice : For guidance on selection of personal protective equipment

see Chapter 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.

Notify authorities if any exposure to the general public or the

environment occurs or is likely to occur.

For guidance on disposal of spilled material see Chapter 13 of

this Safety Data Sheet.

Vapour may form an explosive mixture with air.

Risk of explosion. Inform the emergency services if product

enters surface water drains.

### **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

Technical measures : Avoid breathing of or direct contact with material. Only use in

well ventilated areas. Wash thoroughly after handling. For guidance on selection of personal protective equipment see

Chapter 8 of this Safety Data Sheet.

Use the information in this data sheet as input to a risk assessment of local circumstances to help determine appropriate controls for safe handling, storage and disposal of this

material.

Air-dry contaminated clothing in a well-ventilated area before

laundering.

Use local exhaust ventilation if there is risk of inhalation of

vapours, mists or aerosols.

Take precautionary measures against static discharges.

Advice on safe handling : Ensure that all local regulations regarding handling and storage facilities are followed.

This product is intended for use in closed systems only.

This product can create a low temperature exposure hazard

when released as a liquid.

Extinguish any naked flames. Do not smoke. Remove ignition

sources. Avoid sparks.

Avoid prolonged or repeated contact with skin.

Electrostatic charges may be generated during pumping. Elec-

trostatic discharge may cause fire.

Earth all equipment.

Use local exhaust ventilation if there is risk of inhalation of

vapours, mists or aerosols.

The inherent toxic and olfactory (sense of smell) fatiguing properties of hydrogen sulphide require that air monitoring alarms be used if concentrations are expected to reach harmful levels such as in enclosed spaces, heated transport vessels and spill or leak situations. If the air concentration exceeds 10 ppm, the area should be evacuated unless respira-

tory protection is in use.

Avoidance of contact : Strong oxidising agents.

Product Transfer : Do not use compressed air for filling discharge or handling.

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> Electrostatic charges may be generated during pumping. Electrostatic discharge may cause fire. Delivery lines may become cold enough to present a cold burns hazard. Ensure electrical continuity by bonding and grounding (earthing) all equipment. Restrict line velocity during pumping in order to avoid generation of electrostatic discharge. The inherent toxic and olfactory (sense of smell) fatiguing properties of hydrogen sulphide require that air monitoring alarms be used if concentrations are expected to reach harmful levels such as in enclosed spaces, heated transport vessels and spill or leak situations. If the air concentration exceeds 10 ppm, the area should be evacuated unless respiratory protection is in use.

Further information on storage stability

Store only in purpose-designed, appropriately labelled pressure vessels or cylinders.

Must be stored in a well-ventilated area, away from sunlight,

ignition sources and other sources of heat.

Do not store near cylinders containing compressed oxygen or other strong oxidizers.

The vapours in the head space of the storage vessel may lie in the flammable/explosive range and hence may be flamma-

Refer to section 15 for any additional specific legislation covering the packaging and storage of this product.

Packaging material

Suitable material: For containers and container linings, use materials specifically approved for use with this product., Examples of suitable materials are: PA-11, PEEK, PVDF, PTFE, GRE (Epoxy), GRVE (vinyl ester), Viton (FKM), type F and GB, Neoprene (CR).

Unsuitable material: Some forms of cast iron., Examples of materials to avoid are: ABS, polymethyl methacrylate (PMMA), polyethylene (PE / HDPE), polypropylene (PP), PVC, natural rubber (NR), Nitrile (NBR) ethylene propylene rubber (EPDM), Butyl (IIR), Hypalon (CSM), polystyrene, polyvinyl chloride (PVC), polyisobutylene., For containers and container linings, aluminium should not be used if there is a

risk of caustic contamination of the product.

Container Advice : Do not cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or

near containers. Containers, even those that have been emp-

tied, can contain explosive vapours.

Specific use(s) : Not applicable.

> See additional references that provide safe handling practices: American Petroleum Institute 2003 (Protection Against Ignitions Arising out of Static, Lightning and Stray Currents) or National Fire Protection Agency 77 (Recommended Practices

on Static Electricity).

IEC/TS 60079-32-1: Electrostatic hazards, guidance

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## SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Components with workplace control parameters

Components	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Hydrogen sulfide	7783-06-4	TWA	5 ppm 7 mg/m3	2009/161/EU
	Further information: This value is for information where there is no national limit value available.			
Hydrogen sulfide		STEL	10 ppm 14 mg/m3	2009/161/EU
	Further information: This value is for information where there is no national limit value available.			
Hydrogen sulfide		STEL	5 ppm	ACGIH
	Further information: Central Nervous System impairment, Upper Respiratory Tract irritation			
Hydrogen sulfide		CEIL	20 ppm	OSHA Z-2
Hydrogen sulfide		Peak	50 ppm (10 minutes once only if no other measured expo- sure occurs)	OSHA Z-2
Hydrogen sulfide		TWA	1 ppm	ACGIH
Hydrogen sulfide		STEL	5 ppm	ACGIH
	diethanola- mine	TWA (Inhal- able fraction and vapor)	1 mg/m3	ACGIH

### **Biological occupational exposure limits**

No biological limit allocated.

### **Monitoring Methods**

Monitoring of the concentration of substances in the breathing zone of workers or in the general workplace may be required to confirm compliance with an OEL and adequacy of exposure controls. For some substances biological monitoring may also be appropriate.

Validated exposure measurement methods should be applied by a competent person and samples analysed by an accredited laboratory.

Examples of sources of recommended exposure measurement methods are given below or contact the supplier. Further national methods may be available.

National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), USA: Manual of Analytical Methods http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/

Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), USA: Sampling and Analytical Methods http://www.osha.gov/

Health and Safety Executive (HSE), UK: Methods for the Determination of Hazardous Substances http://www.hse.gov.uk/

Institut für Arbeitsschutz Deutschen Gesetzlichen Unfallversicherung (IFA) , Germany http://www.dguv.de/inhalt/index.jsp

L'Institut National de Recherche et de Securité, (INRS), France http://www.inrs.fr/accueil

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### **Engineering measures**

The level of protection and types of controls necessary will vary depending upon potential exposure conditions. Select controls based on a risk assessment of local circumstances. Appropriate measures include:

Use sealed systems as far as possible.

Firewater monitors and deluge systems are recommended. Adequate explosion-proof ventilation to control airborne concentrations below the exposure guidelines/limits.

Local exhaust ventilation is recommended. Eye washes and showers for emergency use.

#### General Information:

Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing hands after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants. Discard contaminated clothing and footwear that cannot be cleaned. Practice good housekeeping.

Define procedures for safe handling and maintenance of controls.

Educate and train workers in the hazards and control measures relevant to normal activities associated with this product.

Ensure appropriate selection, testing and maintenance of equipment used to control exposure, e.g. personal protective equipment, local exhaust ventilation.

Drain down system prior to equipment break-in or maintenance.

Retain drain downs in sealed storage pending disposal or for subsequent recycle.

Do not ingest. If swallowed then seek immediate medical assistance

### Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations to a level which is adequate to protect worker health, select respiratory protection equipment suitable for the specific conditions of use and meeting relevant legislation. Check with respiratory protective equipment suppliers. Where air-filtering respirators are suitable, select an appropriate combination of mask and filter.

Where air-filtering respirators are unsuitable (e.g. airborne concentrations are high, risk of oxygen deficiency, confined space) use appropriate positive pressure breathing apparatus.

All respiratory protection equipment and use must be in accordance with local regulations.

Select a filter suitable for organic gases and vapours [Type A

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boiling point >65°C (149°F)].

In areas where hydrogen sulphide vapours may accumulate, a positive-pressure air-supplied respirator is advised.

Hand protection Remarks

Suitability and durability of a glove is dependent on usage, e.g. frequency and duration of contact, chemical resistance of glove material, dexterity. Always seek advice from glove suppliers. Contaminated gloves should be replaced. Personal hygiene is a key element of effective hand care. Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a nonperfumed moisturizer is recommended. For continuous contact we recommend gloves with breakthrough time of more than 240 minutes with preference for > 480 minutes where suitable gloves can be identified. For short-term/splash protection we recommend the same, but recognize that suitable gloves offering this level of protection may not be available and in this case a lower breakthrough time maybe acceptable so long as appropriate maintenance and replacement regimes are followed. Glove thickness is not a good predictor of glove resistance to a chemical as it is dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Glove thickness should be typically greater than 0.35 mm depending on the glove make and model.

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN374, US F739). When prolonged or frequent repeated contact occurs. Nitrile rubber gloves. For incidental contact/splash protection Neoprene, PVC gloves may be suitable.

ble.

Eye protection : If material is handled such that it could be splashed into eyes,

protective eyewear is recommended.

If a local risk assessment deems it so then chemical splash goggles may not be required and safety glasses may provide

adequate eye protection.

Skin and body protection : Wear chemical resistant gloves/gauntlets and boots. Where

risk of splashing, also wear an apron.

Protective measures : Personal protective equipment (PPE) should meet recom-

mended national standards. Check with PPE suppliers.

### **Environmental exposure controls**

General advice : Local guidelines on emission limits for volatile substances

must be observed for the discharge of exhaust air containing

vapour.

Information on accidental release measures are to be found in

section 6.

#### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

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Appearance : liquid

Colour : colourless

Odour : Mild ammonia to rotten-egg odor

Odour Threshold : Data not available

pH : Not applicable

Melting point/freezing point : Data not available

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

Data not available

Flash point :  $<= 132.5 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \, / \, 270.5 \, ^{\circ}\text{F}$ 

Evaporation rate : Data not available

Upper explosion limit / upper

flammability limit

Data not available

Lower explosion limit / Lower

flammability limit

Data not available

Vapour pressure : Not applicable

Relative vapour density : Data not available

Relative density : Data not available

Density : Typical 1,050 - 1,070 kg/m3 (15.0 °C / 59.0 °F)

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : soluble

Solubility in other solvents : Data not available

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

Data not available

Auto-ignition temperature : Data not available

Decomposition temperature : Data not available

Viscosity

Viscosity, kinematic : 7.2 - 7.6 mm2/s (50.0 °C / 122.0 °F)

Explosive properties : Classification Code: NOT CLASS: Not classified

Conductivity : This material is not expected to be a static accumulator.

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### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

Reactivity : No, product will not become self-reactive.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions of use.

Possibility of hazardous reac-

tions

No hazardous reaction is expected when handled and stored

according to provisions

Conditions to avoid : Heat, open flames, sparks and flammable atmospheres.

In certain circumstances product can ignite due to static elec-

tricity.

Incompatible materials : Strong oxidising agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Hazardous decomposition products are not expected to form

during normal storage.

Thermal decomposition is highly dependent on conditions. A complex mixture of airborne solids, liquids and gases including carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide, sulphur oxides and unidentified organic compounds will be evolved when this material undergoes combustion or thermal or oxidative degra-

dation.

Hydrogen sulphide.

## **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

### Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation is the primary route of exposure although exposure may occur through skin or eye contact.

# **Acute toxicity**

**Product:** 

Acute oral toxicity : (Rat): Remarks: Harmful if swallowed.

 $LD50 > 300 - \le 2000 \text{ mg/kg}$ 

Acute inhalation toxicity : (Rat): Exposure time: 4 h

Remarks: Toxic if inhaled.  $LC50 > 2.0 - \le 10.0 \text{ mg/l}$ 

Highly toxic and may be fatal if inhaled. (Hydrogen Sulfide)

Acute dermal toxicity : Remarks: May be harmful in contact with skin.

Acute toxicity (other routes of

administration)

Remarks: Hydrogen sulphide (H2S) may cause rhinitis, bron-

chitis and occasionally pulmonary oedema after severe expo-

sure.

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#### Skin corrosion/irritation

## **Product:**

Remarks: Causes skin irritation.

## Serious eye damage/eye irritation

### **Product:**

Remarks: Irritating to eyes. (Hydrogen Sulfide), Causes serious eye damage.

### Respiratory or skin sensitisation

### Germ cell mutagenicity

### Carcinogenicity

IARC Group 2B: Possibly carcinogenic to humans

2,2'-iminodiethanol diethanolamine

OSHA No component of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is on OSHA's list of regulated carcinogens.

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.

#### Reproductive toxicity

### STOT - single exposure

### **Product:**

Remarks: Inhalation of vapours or mists cause irritation to the respiratory system. (Hydrogen Sulfide)

# STOT - repeated exposure

### **Product:**

Remarks: Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

#### **Further information**

### **Product:**

Remarks: H2S has a broad range of effects dependent on the airborne concentration and length of exposure: 0.02 ppm odour threshold, smell of rotten eggs; 10 ppm eye and respiratory tract irritation; 100 ppm coughing, headache, dizziness, nausea, eye irritation, loss of sense of smell in minutes; 200 ppm potential for pulmonary oedema after >20-30 minutes; 500 ppm loss of consciousness after short exposures, potential for respiratory arrest; >1000ppm immediate loss of consciousness, may lead rapidly to death, prompt cardiopulmonary resuscitation may be required. Do not depend on sense of smell for warning. H2S causes rapid olfactory fatigue (dead-

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ens sense of smell). There is no evidence that H2S will accumulate in the body tissue after repeated exposure.

#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

Basis for assessment : Information given is based on a knowledge of the components

and the ecotoxicology of similar products. Unless indicated otherwise, the data presented is representative of the product

as a whole, rather than for individual component(s).

**Ecotoxicity** 

**Product:** 

Toxicity to fish (Acute toxici-

ty)

Remarks: Very toxic. LC/EC/IC50 <= 1 mg/l

Toxicity to daphnia and other :

aquatic invertebrates (Acute

toxicity)

Remarks: Very toxic. LC/EC/IC50 < 1 mg/l

Toxicity to algae (Acute tox-

icity)

Remarks: Very toxic. LC/EC/IC50 < 1 mg/l

Toxicity to fish (Chronic tox-

icity)

Remarks: Data not available

Toxicity to daphnia and other : aquatic invertebrates (Chron-

ic toxicity)

Remarks: Data not available

Toxicity to microorganisms

(Acute toxicity)

Remarks: Very toxic. LC/EC/IC50 <= 1 mg/l

Persistence and degradability

**Product:** 

Biodegradability : Remarks: Readily biodegradable.

**Bioaccumulative potential** 

**Product:** 

Bioaccumulation : Remarks: Contains constituents with the potential to bioaccu-

mulate.

Mobility in soil

**Product:** 

Mobility : Remarks: Large volumes may penetrate soil and could con-

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taminate groundwater.

Contains volatile components.

### Other adverse effects

**Product:** 

Additional ecological infor-

mation

Films formed on water may affect oxygen transfer and dam-

age organisms.

### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

## **Disposal methods**

Waste from residues : It is the responsibility of the waste generator to determine the

toxicity and physical properties of the material generated to determine the proper waste classification and disposal meth-

ods in compliance with applicable regulations.

Waste arising from a spillage or tank cleaning should be disposed of in accordance with prevailing regulations, preferably to a recognised collector or contractor. The competence of the collector or contractor should be established beforehand. Do not dispose into the environment, in drains or in water

courses

Given the nature and uses of this product, the need for disposal seldom arises. If necessary, dispose by controlled combustion in purpose-designed equipment. If this is not possible,

contact the supplier.

Contaminated packaging : Return part-used or empty cylinders to the supplier.

For tanks seek specialist advice from suppliers.

Dispose in accordance with prevailing regulations, preferably to a recognized collector or contractor. The competence of the collector or contractor should be established beforehand. Do not pollute the soil, water or environment with the waste

container.

### Local legislation

### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

# **National Regulations**

**US Department of Transportation Classification (49 CFR Parts 171-180)** 

UN/ID/NA number : UN 3383

Proper shipping name : Toxic by inhalation liquid, flammable, n.o.s.

(Hydrogen sulphide, Diethanolamine)

Class : 6.1
Subsidiary risk : 3
Packing group : I

Labels : 6.11 (3) ERG Code : 131

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Marine pollutant : no

### **International Regulations**

**IATA-DGR** 

UN/ID No. : UN 3383 (Not permitted for transport)
Proper shipping name : Toxic by inhalation liquid, flammable, n.o.s.

(Hydrogen sulphide, Diethanolamine)

Class : 6.1 Subsidiary risk : 3

Packing group : Not Assigned

Labels : 6.1 (3)

**IMDG-Code** 

UN number : UN 3383

Proper shipping name : TOXIC BY INHALATION LIQUID, FLAMMABLE, N.O.S.

(Hydrogen sulphide, Diethanolamine)

Class : 6.1
Subsidiary risk : 3
Packing group : I
Labels : 6.1 (3)
Marine pollutant : no

## Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied. MARPOL Annex 1 rules apply for bulk shipments by sea.

## Special precautions for user

Not applicable

### **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

### **EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act**

## **CERCLA Reportable Quantity**

Components	CAS-No.	Component RQ	Calculated product RQ
		(lbs)	(lbs)
2,2'-iminodiethanol	diethanolamine	100	370

<sup>\*:</sup> Vertex HSSE classifies this material as an "oil" under the CERCLA Petroleum Exclusion, therefore re-leases to the environment are not reportable under CERCLA., The components with RQs are given for information.

### SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

## SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

Components	CAS-No.	Component TPQ (lbs)
Hydrogen sulfide	7783-06-4	500

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### SARA 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances Threshold Planning Quantity

Hydrogen sulfide 7783-06-4 >= 10 - < 20 %

SARA 311/312 Hazards : Skin corrosion or irritation

Acute toxicity (any route of exposure)

Specific target organ toxicity (single or repeated exposure)

Serious eye damage or eye irritation

SARA 313 : The following components are subject to reporting levels es-

tablished by SARA Title III, Section 313:

2,2'-iminodiethanol diethanola- >= 20 - < 30 %

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Hydrogen sulfide 7783-06-4 >= 10 - < 20 %

#### Clean Water Act

The following Hazardous Chemicals are listed under the U.S. CleanWater Act, Section 311, Table 117.3:

Hydrogen sulfide 7783-06-4 10 %

**US State Regulations** 

Pennsylvania Right To Know

2,2'-iminodiethanol diethanolamine Hydrogen sulfide 7783-06-4

California Prop. 65

WARNING: This product can expose you to chemicals including 2,2'-iminodiethanol, which is/are known to the State of California to cause cancer. For more information go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

California List of Hazardous Substances

2,2'-iminodiethanol diethanolamine Hydrogen sulfide 7783-06-4

California List of Acutely Hazardous Chemicals, Toxics and Reactives

Hydrogen sulfide 7783-06-4

### **SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Further information**

NFPA Rating (Health, Fire, Reac- 3, 4, 0

tivity)

Full text of other abbreviations

2009/161/EU : 2009/161/EU

ACGIH : USA. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values (TLV)

OSHA Z-2 : USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-2

2009/161/EU / STEL : Short term exposure limit

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2009/161/EU / TWA Limit Value - eight hours 8-hour, time-weighted average ACGIH / TWA Short-term exposure limit ACGIH / STEL

ACGIH / STEL Short-Term Exposure Limit (STEL) OSHA Z-2 / CEIL Acceptable ceiling concentration

Acceptable maximum peak above the acceptable ceiling con-OSHA Z-2 / Peak

centration for an 8-hr shift

The standard abbreviations and acronyms used in this docu-Abbreviations and Acronyms

ment can be looked up in reference literature (e.g. scientific

dictionaries) and/or websites.

ACGIH = American Conference of Governmental Industrial

**Hygienists** 

ADR = European Agreement concerning the International

Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

AICS = Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances ASTM = American Society for Testing and Materials

BEL = Biological exposure limits

BTEX = Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Xylenes

CAS = Chemical Abstracts Service

CEFIC = European Chemical Industry Council CLP = Classification Packaging and Labelling

COC = Cleveland Open-Cup

DIN = Deutsches Institut fur Normung DMEL = Derived Minimal Effect Level DNEL = Derived No Effect Level

DSL = Canada Domestic Substance List

EC = European Commission

EC50 = Effective Concentration fifty

ECETOC = European Center on Ecotoxicology and Toxicology Of Chemicals

ECHA = European Chemicals Agency

EINECS = The European Inventory of Existing Commercial

**Chemical Substances** 

EL50 = Effective Loading fifty

ENCS = Japanese Existing and New Chemical Substances

Inventory

EWC = European Waste Code

GHS = Globally Harmonised System of Classification and

Labelling of Chemicals

IARC = International Agency for Research on Cancer

IATA = International Air Transport Association

IC50 = Inhibitory Concentration fifty

IL50 = Inhibitory Level fifty

IMDG = International Maritime Dangerous Goods

INV = Chinese Chemicals Inventory

IP346 = Institute of Petroleum test method N° 346 for the determination of polycyclic aromatics DMSO-extractables

KECI = Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory

LC50 = Lethal Concentration fifty LD50 = Lethal Dose fifty per cent.

LL/EL/IL = Lethal Loading/Effective Loading/Inhibitory loading

LL50 = Lethal Loading fifty

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MARPOL = International Convention for the Prevention of

Pollution From Ships

NOEC/NOEL = No Observed Effect Concentration / No Ob-

served Effect Level

OE HPV = Occupational Exposure - High Production Volume

PBT = Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

PICCS = Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical

Substances

PNEC = Predicted No Effect Concentration

REACH = Registration Evaluation And Authorisation Of

Chemicals

RID = Regulations Relating to International Carriage of Dan-

gerous Goods by Rail

SKIN\_DES = Skin Designation STEL = Short term exposure limit TRA = Targeted Risk Assessment

TSCA = US Toxic Substances Control Act

TWA = Time-Weighted Average

vPvB = very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Due to a change in detail in Section 15, this document has been released as a significant change.

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