

Safety Data Sheet

Ethidium Homodimer I



SECTION 1: Identification of the Substances and the Company/Undertaking

Identification of the Substance or Mixture **Product Name:** Ethidium Homodimer I

Company/Undertaking Identification

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SECTION 2: Hazards Identification

GHS - Classification

Signal word: Danger

Hazard Pictograms:



Health Hazards: Skin corrosion/irritation- Category 1B, Serious eye damage/irritation- Category 1, Carcinogenicity- Category 2.

Physical Hazards: GHS Physical Hazard- Substances and mixtures which in contact with water emit flammable gas- Category 3

Hazard statements: H261- In contact with water releases flammable gases.

H314- Causes severe skin burns.

H318- Causes serious eye damage.

H351- Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary Statements

Prevention: P223- Do not allow contact with water.

P280- Wear protective gloves/clothing/eye and face protection.

P201- Obtain special instructions before use.

P264- Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P231 + P232- Handle under inert gas. Protect from moisture.

Response: P303+ P361 + P353- IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower. P370 + P378- In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction

P305 + P351 + P338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P313- If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

P302 + P335 + P334- IF ON SKIN: Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water (or wrap in wet bandages).

Storage: P402 + P404- Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.

Disposal: P501- Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS

Health	4
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Name	CAS No.	EC No.	Index No.	Weight %	Classification according to regulation (EC)No1278/2008
Ethidium Homodimer I	61926-22-5	-	-	90-100	-

SECTION 4: First Aid Measures

Skin contact: Rinse with water and soap for several minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical care.

Eye contact: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical care.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical care

Inhalation: If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and seek medical care.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: H261- In contact with water releases flammable gases, H314- Causes severe skin burns and eye damage, H318- Causes serious eye damage, H351- Suspected of causing cancer.

Notes to physician: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing Media

Suitable extinguishing media: Water spray. Carbon Dioxide (CO₂) Foam. Dry chemical.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Not known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical: Not known.

Advice for firefighters: Standard procedure for chemical fires.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures: Ensure adequate ventilation. Always wear recommended Personal Protective Equipment.

Environmental precautions: No special environmental precautions required.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up: Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

Handling: Use personal protective equipment as required. No special handling advices are necessary.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Store at –20°C. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Specific end use(s): For research use only.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control Parameters/Exposure Limits

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	OSHA PEL (Ceiling)	ACGIH OEL (TWA)	ACGIH OEL (STEL)
Ethidium homodimer I	None	None	None	None

Engineering Measures: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Exposure Controls

Personal Protective Equipment: Personal Protective Equipment requirements are dependent on the user institution's risk assessment and are specific to the risk assessment for each laboratory where this material may be used.

Hand protection: Wear suitable gloves. Glove material: Compatible chemical resistant gloves.

Skin and Body protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection: In case of insufficient ventilation, wear respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

Eye protection: Tight sealing safety glasses.

Hygiene measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties.

Appearance: Solid.

Odor: No data available.

Odor threshold: No data available.

pH: No data available.

Boiling point/boiling range: No data available.

Melting point/melting range: No data available.

Flash point: No data available.

Evaporation rate: No data available.

Flammability: No data available.

Explosive Limits: No data available.

Vapor pressure: No data available.

Vapor density: No data available.

Relative density: No data available.

Solubility: Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available.

Autoignition temperature: No data available.

Decomposition temperature: No data available.

Viscosity: No data available.

Explosive properties: No data available.

Oxidizing properties: No data available.

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

Reactivity: None known.

Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: Has not been reported.

Conditions to avoid: No information available.

Hazardous decomposition products: Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions.—Carbon oxides, sulfur oxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

Information on toxicological effects

Oral LD50	No data available.
Dermal LD50	No data available.
Inhalation LD50	No data available.

Carcinogenicity: Contains a known or suspected carcinogen.

Germ cell mutagenicity: Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification.

Reproductive toxicity: Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification.

Aspiration hazard: Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification.

Principal Routes of Exposure

Acute Toxicity: Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Causes skin burns.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye damage.

Respiratory or skin sensitization: Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification.

GHS

Specific target organ toxicity— single exposure: No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity— repeated exposure: No data available.

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Chemical Name	Toxicity to algae	Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates	Toxicity to fish	Microtox Data	log Pow
Ethidium homodimer I	No data available.	No data available.	No data available.	No data available.	No data available.

Mobility in soil: No information available.

Persistence and degradability: No information available.

Bioaccumulative potential: No information available.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: This mixture does not contain substances that are assessed to be a PBT or a vPvB.

Other adverse effects: No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods: The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Empty containers or lines may retain some product residues.

Disposal of this product, its solutions or of any by-products, shall comply with the requirements of all applicable local, regional or national/federal regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport Information

IATA/ADR/DOT-US/IMDG: Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

UN number: 3096

UN proper shipping name: CORROSIVE SOLID, WATER-REACTIVE, N.O.S. (5,5'-[Ethylenebis(iminotrimethylene)]bis[3,8-diamino-6-ph enylphenanthridinium] dichloride dihydrochloride)

Transport hazard class(es): 8 (4.3)

Packing group: II

Environmental hazards: Not applicable.

Special precautions for use: Not applicable.

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

IBC Code: Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

Component	US TSCA
Ethidium homodimer I 61926-22-1	-

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313: This product is not regulated by SARA.

Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61): This product does not contains HAPs.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65: This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

WHMIS Hazard Class: E– Corrosive materials, D2A– Very toxic materials.

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the SDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

SECTION 16: Other Information

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SECTION 2: Hazards Identification

GHS - Classification

Signal word: WARNING

Hazard Pictograms:



Health Hazards: Carcinogenicity– Category 2

Physical Hazards: GHS Physical Hazard– Flammable liquids– Category 4

Hazard statements: H227– Combustible liquid.

H351– Suspected of causing cancer.

Precautionary Statements

Prevention: P210– Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, other ignition sources. No smoking.

P201– Obtain special instructions before use.

P280– Wear protective gloves/clothing/eye and face protection

P202– Do not handle until all safety precautions read and understood

Response: P370 + P378– In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction

P308 + P313– If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

Storage: P403– Store in well-ventilated place.

Disposal: P501– Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant.

HMIS

Health	4
Flammability	2
Reactivity	0

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on Ingredients

Name	CAS No.	EC No.	Index No.	Weight %	Classification according to regulation (EC)No1278/2008
Ethidium Homodimer I	61926-22-5	-	-	<0.1%	-
DMSO	67-68-5	200-664-3	-	~25%	NA

SECTION 4: First Aid Measures

Skin contact: Rinse with water and soap for several minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical care.

Eye contact: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. If irritation persists, seek medical care.

Ingestion: If swallowed, do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. Seek medical care

Inhalation: If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration and seek medical care.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: Not applicable

Notes to physician: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting Measures

Extinguishing Media

Suitable extinguishing media: Water spray. Carbon Dioxide (CO₂) Foam. Dry chemical.

Unsuitable extinguishing media: Not known.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical: Not known.

Advice for firefighters: Burning produces poisonous gases, sulfur oxides. Wear self contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or gas. Remove all sources of ignition.

Environmental precautions: Avoid discharge into drains and waterways whenever possible.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Contain spillage. Soak up spilled substance with inert absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

Handling: Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Avoid direct contact with substance.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities: Store at -20°C. Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Specific end use(s): For research use only.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Control Parameters/Exposure Limits

Substance: Dimethylsulfoxide, CAS no. 67-68-5

Country	Austria	Belgium	Denmark	European Union	France	Germany	Hungary	Italy	Poland
Limit value, 8 hours	160mg/m ³	-	160mg/m ³	-	-	160mg/m ³	-	-	-
Limit Value, short term	-	-	320mg/m ³	-	-	320mg/m ³	-	-	-

Country	Spain	Sweden	Netherlands	United Kingdom	USA	Australia	Canada	Japan	South Korea
Limit value, 8 hours	-	160mg/m ³	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Limit Value, short term	-	500mg/m ³	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Exposure Controls

Personal Protective Equipment: Personal Protective Equipment requirements are dependent on the user institution's risk assessment and are specific to the risk assessment for each laboratory where this material may be used.

Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Inspect gloves prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique to avoid skin contact with the product. Dispose of contaminated gloves

Respiratory protection: Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

Eye protection: Safety glasses with side-shields. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).

Hygiene measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at end of workday.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties.

Appearance: Liquid.

Odor: No data available.

Odor threshold: No data available.

pH: No data available.

Boiling point/boiling range: No data available.

Melting point/melting range: No data available.

Flash point: No data available.

Evaporation rate: No data available.

Flammability: No data available.

Explosive Limits: No data available.

Vapor pressure: No data available.

Vapor density: No data available.

Relative density: No data available.

Solubility: Soluble in water.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No data available.

Autoignition temperature: No data available.

Decomposition temperature: No data available.

Viscosity: No data available.

Explosive properties: No data available.

Oxidizing properties: No data available.

SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Materials to avoid: Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.

Possibility of hazardous reactions: No data available.

Hazardous decomposition products: Hazardous decomposition products formed under fire conditions.—Carbon oxides, sulfur oxides.

SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

Acute Toxicity DMSO:

Oral LD50	Rat- 14,500 mg/kg
Inhalation LC50	Rat- 4 h- 40250 ppm
Reactivity	Rabbit- > 5,000 mg/kg

Germ cell mutagenicity: Salmonella typhimurium assay (Ames test): negative (+/- activation), DMSO is used as a neutral solvent in the Ames mutagen test.

Carcinogenicity

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.

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 identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

GHS

Specific target organ toxicity— single exposure: No data available.

Specific target organ toxicity— repeated exposure: No data available.

Potential Health Effects

Eyes: May cause eye irritation.

Skin: May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Ingestion: May be harmful if swallowed.

Reproductive toxicity: Experiments have shown reproductive toxicity effects on laboratory animals (Dimethyl sulfoxide)

Sensitization: No data available.

Additional Information: RTECS: PV6210000 (DMSO)

SECTION 12: Ecological Information

Toxicity (DMSO): The LC50(96hrs) for ten species of fish range from 32500 to 43000ppm.

Persistence and degradability: No information available.

Mobility: No information available.

Biodegradation: Dimethyl sulfoxide: biodegradation: 90% (28d).

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment: No information available.

Other adverse effects: No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

Waste treatment methods: Do not dispose product directly into sewage.

Disposal of this product, its solutions or of any by-products, shall comply with the requirements of all applicable local, regional or national/federal regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport Information

IATA/ADR/DOT-US/IMDG: Not Classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

Packing group: None.

Proper shipping name: No dangerous good in sense of these transport regulations.

UN-No: None.

Hazard class: None.

Environmental hazards: None.

Subsidiary class: None.

SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

US Federal Regulations

US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA): Not listed.

SARA 302: No chemicals were found.

SARA 313: No chemicals were found.

SARA 311/312 Hazards: DMSO: fire hazard, chronic health hazard

Acute Health Hazard: Yes

Chronic Health Hazard: No

Fire Hazard: Yes

Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: No

Reactive Hazard: No

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