

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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This safety data sheet was created pursuant to the requirements of: US OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 2024 (29 CFR 1910.1200)

## 1. Identification

**Product Name** 4',6'-Diamidino-2-phenylindole dihydrochloride

**Cat No. :** AC202710000; AC202710100; AC202710500

**CAS No** 28718-90-3  
**Synonyms** No information available

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.  
**Uses advised against** Food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use.

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Company

Fisher Scientific Company  
One Reagent Lane  
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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous according to [US] OSHA (29 CFR 1910.1200, 2024)

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	Category 2
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation	Category 2
Skin Sensitization	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 3
Target Organs - Respiratory system.	

### Label Elements

**Signal Word**  
Warning

**Hazard Statements**

Causes skin irritation  
 Causes serious eye irritation  
 May cause an allergic skin reaction  
 May cause respiratory irritation

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection  
 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace  
 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

**Inhalation**

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing  
 Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

**Skin**

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water  
 Take off contaminated clothing  
 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention

**Eyes**

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

**Storage**

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed  
 Store locked up

**Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

**Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)**

None identified

**Hazards classified under paragraph (d)(1)(ii) of 1910.1200**

No information available

### 3. Composition/information on Ingredients

Component	CAS No	Weight %
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamidine dihydrohydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	>95

### 4. First-aid measures

**General Advice**

If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye Contact**

Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

**Skin Contact**

Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If skin irritation persists, call a physician.

<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Most important symptoms and effects</b>	None reasonably foreseeable. May cause allergic skin reaction. Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Water spray, carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), dry chemical, alcohol-resistant foam.
<b>Unsuitable Extinguishing Media</b>	No information available
<b>Flash Point</b>	No information available
<b>Method -</b>	No information available
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No information available
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	
<b>Upper</b>	No data available
<b>Lower</b>	No data available
<b>Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact</b>	No information available
<b>Sensitivity to Static Discharge</b>	No information available

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition.

### Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon monoxide (CO). Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Nitrogen oxides (NO<sub>x</sub>). Hydrogen chloride gas.

### Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

### NFPA

<b>Health</b> 2	<b>Flammability</b> 1	<b>Instability</b> 0	<b>Physical hazards</b> N/A
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## 6. Accidental release measures

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.
<b>Environmental Precautions</b>	Should not be released into the environment.
<b>Methods for Containment and Clean Up</b>	Sweep up and shovel into suitable containers for disposal. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

## 7. Handling and Storage

<b>Handling</b>	Wear personal protective equipment/face protection. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid ingestion and inhalation. Avoid dust formation. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.
<b>Storage.</b>	Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep refrigerated. Incompatible Materials. Strong oxidizing agents.

## 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

<b><u>Exposure Guidelines</u></b>	This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.
<b>Engineering Measures</b>	None under normal use conditions.
<b><u>Personal Protective Equipment</u></b>	
<b>Eye/face Protection</b>	Wear appropriate protective eyeglasses or chemical safety goggles as described by OSHA's eye and face protection regulations in 29 CFR 1910.133 or European Standard EN166.
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.
<b>Respiratory Protection</b>	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions.
<b>Recommended Filter type:</b>	Particle filter.
<b>Hygiene Measures</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b><u>Appearance</u></b>			
<b>Physical State</b>	Solid		
<b>Color</b>	Yellow		
<b>Odor</b>	Odorless		
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	No information available		
<b><u>Property</u></b>	<b><u>Values</u></b>	<b><u>Remarks</u></b>	<b><u>Method</u></b>
<b>Melting Point/Range</b>	No data available		
<b>Softening Point</b>	No data available		
<b>Boiling Point/Range</b>	No information available		
<b>Flash Point</b>	No information available		
<b>Flammability (liquid)</b>	Not applicable		
<b>Flammability (solid,gas)</b>	No information available		
<b>Explosion Limits</b>	No data available		
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	No data available		
<b>Decomposition Temperature</b>	> 330°C		
<b>pH</b>	4.0-5.0	(10 g/l aq.sol)	
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not applicable	Solid	
<b>Water Solubility</b>	Soluble		
<b>Solubility in other solvents</b>	No information available		
<b>Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>			
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	No data available		
<b>Density / Specific Gravity</b>	No data available		
<b>Bulk Density</b>	No data available		
<b>Vapor Density</b>	Not applicable	Solid	
<b>Particle characteristics</b>	No data available		
<b><u>Other Information</u></b>			
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C16 H15 N5 . 2 H Cl		
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	350.25		
<b>Evaporation Rate</b>	Not applicable - Solid		

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactive Hazard</b>	None known, based on information available
<b>Stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Conditions to Avoid</b>	Incompatible products. Excess heat. Avoid dust formation.
<b>Incompatible Materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), Nitrogen oxides (NO <sub>x</sub> ), Hydrogen chloride gas
<b>Hazardous Polymerization</b>	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.
<b>Hazardous Reactions</b>	None under normal processing.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on expected route of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Not an expected route of exposure.
<b>Ingestion</b>	May be harmful if swallowed.
<b>Eyes</b>	Avoid contact with eyes. May cause irritation.
<b>Skin</b>	Avoid contact with skin. May cause irritation.

### Toxicology data for the components

<b>Toxicologically Synergistic Products</b>	No information available
<b>(b) skin corrosion/irritation;</b>	Category 2
<b>(c) serious eye damage/irritation;</b>	No data available
<b>(d) respiratory or skin sensitization;</b>	
<b>Respiratory</b>	No data available
<b>Skin</b>	Category 1
	May cause sensitization by skin contact
<b>(e) germ cell mutagenicity;</b>	No data available
<b>(f) carcinogenicity;</b>	

The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any ingredient as a carcinogen

Component	CAS No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamide dihydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

<b>(g) reproductive toxicity;</b>	No data available
<b>(h) STOT-single exposure;</b>	Category 3

<b>Results / Target organs</b>	Respiratory system.
<b>(i) STOT-repeated exposure;</b>	No data available
<b>Target Organs</b>	None known.
<b>(j) aspiration hazard;</b>	Not applicable Solid
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.
<b>Symptoms / effects,both acute and delayed</b>	Symptoms of allergic reaction may include rash, itching, swelling, trouble breathing, tingling of the hands and feet, dizziness, lightheadedness, chest pain, muscle pain or flushing.
<b>Other Adverse Effects</b>	The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.
<b>Endocrine Disrupting Properties</b>	This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors.

## 12. Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

Do not empty into drains.

<b>Persistence and Degradability</b>	Soluble in water Persistence is unlikely based on information available.
<b>Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation</b>	No information available.
<b>Mobility</b>	Will likely be mobile in the environment due to its water solubility.

## 13. Disposal considerations

<b>Waste Disposal Methods</b>	Chemical waste generators must determine whether a discarded chemical is classified as a hazardous waste. Chemical waste generators must also consult local, regional, and national hazardous waste regulations to ensure complete and accurate classification.
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## 14. Transport information

<b><u>DOT</u></b>	Not regulated
<b><u>TDG</u></b>	Not regulated
<b><u>IATA</u></b>	Not regulated
<b><u>IMDG/IMO</u></b>	Not regulated

## 15. Regulatory Information

### United States of America Inventory

Component	CAS No	TSCA	TSCA Inventory notification - Active-Inactive	TSCA - EPA Regulatory Flags
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamide dihydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	-	-	-

#### **Legend:**

**TSCA** US EPA (TSCA) - Toxic Substances Control Act, (40 CFR Part 710)

X - Listed

'-' - Not Listed

**TSCA - Per 40 CFR 751, Regulation of Certain Chemical Substances & Mixtures, Under TSCA Section 6(h) (PBT)** Not applicable

**TSCA 12(b)** - Notices of Export Not applicable

**International Inventories**

China, X = listed, U.S.A. (TSCA), Canada (DSL/NDSL), Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP), Australia (AICS), Korea (KECL), China (IECSC), Japan (ENCS), Philippines (PICCS), Japan (ISHL), Japan (ISHL).

Component	CAS No	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	PICCS	ENCS	ISHL	AICS	IECSC	KECL
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamidine dihydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	-	-	249-186-7	-	-		-	X	-

KECL - NIER number or KE number (<http://ncis.nier.go.kr/en/main.do>)

**U.S. Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)** Not applicable

**Clean Air Act** Not applicable

**OSHA - Occupational Safety and Health Administration** Not applicable

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

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

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations** Not applicable

**U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): N  
DOT Marine Pollutant N  
DOT Severe Marine Pollutant N

**U.S. Department of Homeland Security** This product does not contain any DHS chemicals.

**Other International Regulations**

**Mexico - Grade** No information available

**Authorisation/Restrictions according to EU REACH** Not applicable

Component	CAS No	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XIV - Substances Subject to Authorization	REACH (1907/2006) - Annex XVII - Restrictions on Certain Dangerous	REACH Regulation (EC 1907/2006) article 59 - Candidate List of

			Substances	Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamide dihydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	-	-	-

**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

Component	CAS No	OECD HPV	Persistent Organic Pollutant	Ozone Depletion Potential	Restriction of Hazardous Substances (RoHS)
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamide dihydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

**Contains component(s) that meet a 'definition' of per & poly fluoroalkyl substance (PFAS)?**

Not applicable

**Other International Regulations**

Component	CAS No	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Major Accident Notification	Seveso III Directive (2012/18/EC) - Qualifying Quantities for Safety Report Requirements	Rotterdam Convention (PIC)	Basel Convention (Hazardous Waste)
2-Phenylindole-4',6-dicarboxamide dihydrochloride (hydrate)	28718-90-3	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable

## 16. Other Information

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