

# **SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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### 1. Identification

Product Name o-Tolidine dihydrochloride

Cat No.: T320-100

**CAS-No** 612-82-8

**Synonyms** 3,3`-Dimethylbenzidene dihydrochloride

**Recommended Use** Laboratory chemicals.

Uses advised against Not for food, drug, pesticide or biocidal product use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company

Fisher Scientific One Reagent Lane Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 Tel: (201) 796-7100

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

CHEMTREC®, Inside the USA: 800-424-9300 CHEMTREC®, Outside the USA: 001-703-527-3887

# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute oral toxicity Category 4
Carcinogenicity Category 1B

Label Elements

Signal Word

Danger

**Hazard Statements** 

Harmful if swallowed May cause cancer





Precautionary Statements Prevention

#### o-Tolidine dihydrochloride

Obtain special instructions before use

Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood

Use personal protective equipment as required

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Response

IF exposed or concerned: Get medical attention/advice

Ingestion

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth **Storage**Store locked up

Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

WARNING. Cancer - https://www.p65warnings.ca.gov/.

# 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Weight %
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine dihydrochloride	612-82-8	>95

### 4. First-aid measures

General Advice Immediate medical attention is required. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in

attendance.

**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. Get medical attention

immediately if symptoms occur.

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur. If not breathing,

give artificial respiration.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately.

Most important symptoms and

effects

No information available.

Notes to Physician Treat symptomatically

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO 2). Dry chemical. Chemical foam.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media No information available

Flash Point No information available Method - No information available

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Explosion Limits** 

Upper No data available
Lower No data available
Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact No information available
Sensitivity to Static Discharge 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**

Hydrogen chloride gas Nitrogen oxides (NOx) Carbon monoxide (CO) Carbon dioxide (CO2) Ammonia

#### **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.

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HealthFlammabilityInstabilityPhysical hazards211N/A

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal Precautions Use personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid dust formation.

Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

**Environmental Precautions** Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system.

**Methods for Containment and Clean** Avoid dust formation. Sweep up or vacuum up spillage and collect in suitable container for **Up** disposal.

## 7. Handling and storage

**Handling** Wear personal protective equipment. Use only in area provided with appropriate exhaust

ventilation. Do not breathe dust. Avoid dust formation.

Storage Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

# 8. Exposure controls / personal protection

**Exposure Guidelines** 

This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Engineering Measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure that eyewash stations

and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

#### **Personal Protective Equipment**

**Eye/face Protection** 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.

**Skin and body protection**Wear appropriate protective gloves and clothing to prevent skin exposure.

**Respiratory Protection** Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard

EN 149. Use a NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

Hygiene Measures When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide regular cleaning of equipment, work area

and clothing. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding

stuffs.

### Physical and chemical properties

Physical State
Appearance

Powder Solid Beige

#### o-Tolidine dihydrochloride

Odor Odorless

**Odor Threshold** No information available No information available 130 °C / 266 °F Melting Point/Range **Boiling Point/Range** No information available Flash Point No information available

**Evaporation Rate** Not applicable

Flammability (solid,gas) No information available

Flammability or explosive limits

No data available Upper Lower No data available **Vapor Pressure** No information available Vapor Density Not applicable

**Specific Gravity** No information available Solubility No information available No data available

Partition coefficient; n-octanol/water

**Autoignition Temperature** 

**Decomposition Temperature** No information available

Not applicable **Viscosity** C14 H16 N2 . 2 H CI Molecular Formula

**Molecular Weight** 285.2

# 10. Stability and reactivity

**Reactive Hazard** None known, based on information available

Stability Air sensitive. Light sensitive.

**Conditions to Avoid** Exposure to air. Exposure to light. Incompatible products.

Strong oxidizing agents **Incompatible Materials** 

Hazardous Decomposition Products Hydrogen chloride gas, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon monoxide (CO), Carbon dioxide

(CO<sub>2</sub>), Ammonia

**Hazardous Polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Hazardous Reactions** None under normal processing.

### 11. Toxicological information

#### **Acute Toxicity**

### **Product Information**

**Component Information** 

Component	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine	404 mg/kg (Rat)	Not listed	Not listed
dihydrochloride			

**Toxicologically Synergistic** No information available

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Irritation No information available

Sensitization No information available

May cause cancer. The table below indicates whether each agency has listed any Carcinogenicity

ingredient as a carcinogen.

Component	CAS-No	IARC	NTP	ACGIH	OSHA	Mexico
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine	612-82-8	Group 2B	Not listed	Not listed	Х	Not listed

dihvdrochloride

No information available **Mutagenic Effects** 

**Reproductive Effects** No information available.

No information available. **Developmental Effects** 

**Teratogenicity** No information available.

None known STOT - single exposure STOT - repeated exposure None known

**Aspiration hazard** No information available

Symptoms / effects,both acute and No information available

delayed

**Endocrine Disruptor Information** No information available

Other Adverse Effects The toxicological properties have not been fully investigated.

# 12. Ecological information

#### **Ecotoxicity**

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Persistence and Degradability No information available

**Bioaccumulation/ Accumulation** No information available.

No information available. **Mobility** 

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Waste Disposal Methods** 

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.

### Transport information

DOT

UN-No UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.

Proper technical name 3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine dihydrochloride

**Hazard Class** Ш **Packing Group** 

TDG

**UN-No** UN3077

**Proper Shipping Name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

IATA

UN3077 **UN-No** 

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. **Proper Shipping Name** 

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

IMDG/IMO

**UN-No** 

**Proper Shipping Name** ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.

**Hazard Class Packing Group** Ш

# 15. Regulatory information

#### International Inventories

Component	TSCA	DSL	NDSL	EINECS	ELINCS	NLP	PICCS	ENCS	AICS	IECSC	KECL
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine	Х	Χ	-	210-322-5	-		Х	-	-	Х	-
dihydrochloride											

#### Legend:

- X Listed
- E Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(e) Consent order under TSCA.
- F Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 5(f) Rule under TSCA.
- N Indicates a polymeric substance containing no free-radical initiator in its inventory name but is considered to cover the designated polymer made with any free-radical initiator regardless of the amount used.
- P Indicates a commenced PMN substance
- R Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 6 risk management rule under TSCA.
- S Indicates a substance that is identified in a proposed or final Significant New Use Rule
- T Indicates a substance that is the subject of a Section 4 test rule under TSCA.
- XU Indicates a substance exempt from reporting under the Inventory Update Rule, i.e. Partial Updating of the TSCA Inventory Data Base Production and Site Reports (40 CFR 710(B).
- Y1 Indicates an exempt polymer that has a number-average molecular weight of 1,000 or greater.
- Y2 Indicates an exempt polymer that is a polyester and is made only from reactants included in a specified list of low concern reactants that comprises one of the eligibility criteria for the exemption rule.

### U.S. Federal Regulations

TSCA 12(b) Not applicable

#### **SARA 313**

Component	CAS-No	Weight %	SARA 313 - Threshold Values %
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine dihydrochloride	612-82-8	>95	0.1

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories See section 2 for more information

CWA (Clean Water Act) Not applicable

Clean Air Act Not applicable

**OSHA** Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Not applicable

CERCLA Not applicable

California Proposition 65 This product contains the following proposition 65 chemicals

Component	CAS-No	California Prop. 65	Prop 65 NSRL	Category
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine	612-82-8	Carcinogen	0.059 μg/day	Carcinogen
dihydrochloride				

#### U.S. State Right-to-Know

Regulations

Component	Massachusetts	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Illinois	Rhode Island
3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine	-	X	-	-	-
dihydrochloride					

#### **U.S. Department of Transportation**

Reportable Quantity (RQ): Y
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

16. Other information

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Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals (GHS).

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