

# 4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane Apollo Scientific

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# Chemwatch Hazard Alert Code: 3

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# SECTION 1 Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking

# **Product Identifier**

Product name	4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane
Chemical Name	4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane
Synonyms	Not Available
Proper shipping name	ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER-REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE
Other means of identification	Not Available
CAS number	25015-63-8*

# Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses Not Available

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

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# **Emergency telephone number**

Association / Organisation	Not Available
Emergency telephone numbers	Not Available
Other emergency telephone numbers	Not Available

# **SECTION 2 Hazards identification**

# Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] and amendments [1]	H225 - Flammable Liquids Category 2, H335 - Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (Respiratory Tract Irritation) Category 3, H315 - Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, H319 - Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2, H261 - Substances and Mixtures which in Contact with Water Emit Flammable Gases Category 2
Legend:	1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI

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# Label elements

Hazard pictogram(s)





Signal word

Danger

# Hazard statement(s)

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.	
H335	May cause respiratory irritation.	
H315	Causes skin irritation.	
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.	
H261	In contact with water releases flammable gases.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Prevention

P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.		
P231+P232	Handle and store contents under inert gas. Protect from moisture.		
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.		
P240	Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.		
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/intrinsically safe equipment.		
P242	Use non-sparking tools.		
P243	Take action to prevent static discharges.		
P261	Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.		
P280	Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection and face protection.		
P223	Do not allow contact with water.		
P264	Wash all exposed external body areas thoroughly after handling.		

# Precautionary statement(s) Response

P362+P364	Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.			
P332+P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.			
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.			
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower].			
P302+P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.			
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.			
P312	Call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician/first aider/if you feel unwell.			
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.			
P370+P378	In case of fire: Use alcohol resistant foam or normal protein foam to extinguish.			
P302+P335+P334	IF ON SKIN: Brush off loose particles from skin. Immerse in cool water [or wrap in wet bandages].			

# Precautionary statement(s) Storage

P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.	
P405	Store locked up.	
P402+P404	Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.	

# Precautionary statement(s) Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents/container to authorised hazardous or special waste collection point in accordance with any local regulation.

# **SECTION 3 Composition / information on ingredients**

# Substances

CAS No %[weight] Na	Name	Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] and	SCL/
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			amendments	M-Factor
25015-63-8*	100	4.4.5.5- Tetramethyl-1,3,2- dioxaborolane	Flammable Liquids Category 2, Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (Respiratory Tract Irritation) Category 3, Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2, Substances and Mixtures which in Contact with Water Emit Flammable Gases Category 2; H225, H335, H315, H319, H261 [1]	Not Available

Legend:

1. Classified by Chemwatch; 2. Classification drawn from Regulation (EU) No 1272/2008 - Annex VI; 3. Classification drawn from C&L; \* EU IOELVs available; [e] Substance identified as having endocrine disrupting properties

#### **Mixtures**

See section above for composition of Substances

#### **SECTION 4 First aid measures**

escription of first aid m	easures
Eye Contact	If this product comes in contact with the eyes:  • Wash out immediately with fresh running water.  • Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.  • Seek medical attention without delay; if pain persists or recurs seek medical attention.  • Removal of contact lenses after an eye injury should only be undertaken by skilled personnel.
Skin Contact	If skin contact occurs:  Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear.  Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).  Seek medical attention in event of irritation.
Inhalation	<ul> <li>If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area.</li> <li>Lay patient down. Keep warm and rested.</li> <li>Prostheses such as false teeth, which may block airway, should be removed, where possible, prior to initiating first aid procedures.</li> <li>Apply artificial respiration if not breathing, preferably with a demand valve resuscitator, bag-valve mask device, or pocket mask as trained. Perform CPR if necessary.</li> <li>Transport to hospital, or doctor, without delay.</li> </ul>
Ingestion	<ul> <li>Immediately give a glass of water.</li> <li>First aid is not generally required. If in doubt, contact a Poisons Information Centre or a doctor.</li> </ul>

# Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

# **SECTION 5 Firefighting measures**

# Extinguishing media

# DO NOT USE WATER, CO2 OR FOAM ON SUBSTANCE ITSELF

For SMALL FIRES:

▶ Dry chemical, soda ash or lime.

For LARGE FIRES:

- DRY sand, dry chemical, soda ash;
- ▶ OR withdraw and allow fire to burn itself out.

# Special hazards arising from the substrate or mixture

Fire Incompatibility

Fire Fighting

- ► Segregate from alcohol, water.
- Avoid contamination with oxidising agents i.e. nitrates, oxidising acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result

# Advice for firefighters

#### ▶ Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.

#### May be violently or explosively reactive.

- ▶ Wear full protective clothing plus breathing apparatus.
- ▶ Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water course.
- Consider evacuation (or protect in place)
- ▶ **DO NOT** use water on fires.

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CAUTION: If only water available, use flooding quantities of water or withdraw personnel. ► DO NOT allow water to enter containers. ▶ DO NOT approach containers suspected to be hot. Cool fire exposed containers with flooding quantities of water from a protected location until well after fire is out. If safe to do so, remove undamaged containers from path of fire. If fire gets out of control withdraw personnel and warn against entry. • Equipment should be thoroughly decontaminated after use. Fight fire from a protected position or use unmanned hose holders or monitor nozzles. Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety devices or discolouration of tanks. ALWAYS stay away from tank ends. ▶ May ignite on contact with air, moist air or water. ▶ May react vigorously or explosively on contact with water. May decompose explosively when heated or involved in fire. May **REIGNITE** after fire is extinguished. • Gases generated after contact with water or moist air may be poisonous, corrosive or irritating. Gases generated in fire may be poisonous, corrosive or irritating. Fire/Explosion Hazard Containers may explode on heating. Runoff may create multiple fire or explosion hazard. Contains low boiling substance: Closed containers may rupture due to pressure buildup under fire conditions. BEWARE: Empty solvent, paint, lacquer and flammable liquid drums present a severe explosion hazard if cut by flame torch or welded. Even when thoroughly cleaned or reconditioned the drum seams may retain sufficient solvent to generate an explosive

#### **SECTION 6 Accidental release measures**

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

atmosphere in the drum.

See section 8

#### **Environmental precautions**

See section 12

# Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Minor Spills	<ul> <li>Material from spill may be contaminated with water resulting in generation of gas which subsequently may pressure closed containers.</li> <li>Hold spill material in vented containers only and plan for prompt disposal</li> <li>Eliminate all ignition sources.</li> <li>Cover with DRY earth, sand or other non-combustible material.</li> <li>Then cover with plastic sheet to minimise spreading and to prevent exposure to rain or other sources of water.</li> <li>Use clean, non-sparking tools to collect absorbed material and place into loosely-covered metal or plastic containers ready for disposal.</li> <li>Wear gloves and safety glasses as appropriate.</li> </ul>
Major Spills	<ul> <li>Clear area of personnel and move upwind.</li> <li>Alert Fire Brigade and tell them location and nature of hazard.</li> <li>Wear full protective clothing and breathing apparatus.</li> <li>Prevent, by any means available, spillage from entering drains or water courses.</li> <li>No smoking, naked lights or ignition sources.</li> <li>Increase ventilation.</li> <li>Stop leak if safe to do so.</li> <li>DO NOT USE WATER OR NEUTRALISING AGENTS INDISCRIMINATELY ON LARGE SPILLS.</li> <li>Absorb or cover spill with sand, earth, inert material or vermiculite and cover with white mineral oil.</li> <li>Collect recoverable product into labelled containers for recycling.</li> <li>Collect residues and seal in labelled drums for disposal.</li> <li>Wash spill area with detergent and water.</li> <li>After clean up operations, decontaminate and launder all protective clothing and equipment before storing and re-using.</li> <li>If contamination of drains or waterways occurs as a result of the above actions, advise emergency services.</li> </ul>

Personal Protective Equipment advice is contained in Section 8 of the SDS.

# **SECTION 7 Handling and storage**

# Precautions for safe handling

# Safe handling St

#### Contains low boiling substance:

Storage in sealed containers may result in pressure buildup causing violent rupture of containers not rated appropriately.

Check for bulging containers.

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▶ Vent periodically ▶ Always release caps or seals slowly to ensure slow dissipation of vapours ▶ Containers, even those that have been emptied, may contain explosive vapours. ▶ Do NOT cut, drill, grind, weld or perform similar operations on or near containers. DO NOT allow clothing wet with material to stay in contact with skin **KEEP DRY!** Packages must be protected from water ingress. FOR MINOR QUANTITIES: ▶ Store in an indoor fireproof cabinet or in a room of noncombustible construction and • provide adequate portable fire-extinguishers in or near the storage area. FOR PACKAGE STORAGE: Store in original containers in approved flame-proof area. ▶ No smoking, naked lights, heat or ignition sources. ▶ DO NOT store in pits, depressions, basements or areas where vapours may be trapped. ► Keep containers securely sealed. ▶ Store away from incompatible materials in a cool, dry well ventilated area. Other information Protect containers against physical damage and check regularly for leaks. Protect containers from exposure to weather and from direct sunlight unless: (a) the packages are of metal or plastic construction; (b) the packages are securely closed are not opened for any purpose while in the area where they are stored; (c) adequate precautions are taken to ensure that rain water, which might become contaminated by the dangerous goods, is collected and disposed of safely. ▶ Ensure proper stock-control measures are maintained to prevent prolonged storage of dangerous goods. Automatic fire-sprinklers **MUST NOT** be installed in room or space. ▶ The room or space must be located at least five metres from the boundaries of the premises and from other buildings unless

▶ Observe manufacturer's storage and handling recommendations contained within this SDS.

separated by a wall with a fire resistance of at least four hours.

#### Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

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Suitable container	For low viscosity materials and solids:  Drums and jerricans must be of the non-removable head type.  Where a can is to be used as an inner package, the can must have a screwed enclosure.  For materials with a viscosity of at least 2680 cSt. (23 deg. C):  Removable head packaging and  cans with friction closures may be used.  Where combination packages are used, there must be sufficient inert absorbent material to absorb completely any leakage that may occur, unless the outer packaging is a close fitting moulded plastic box and the substances are not incompatible with the plastic.  All combination packages for Packing group I and II must contain cushioning material.
Storage incompatibility	<ul> <li>Segregate from alcohol, water.</li> <li>Avoid reaction with oxidising agents</li> <li>Organometallics:</li> <li>are incompatible with acids and bases,</li> <li>are good reducing agents and therefore incompatible with oxidising agents,</li> <li>often react with water to generate toxic or flammable gases,</li> <li>containing halogens (fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine) bonded to the metal typically will generate gaseous hydrohalic acids (HF, HCl, HBr, HI) with water.</li> <li>Air Sensitive</li> <li>Store at 2-8°C</li> <li>Moisture sensitive</li> <li>Store under argon</li> </ul>

# **SECTION 8 Exposure controls / personal protection**

# **Control parameters**

Occupational Exposure Limits (OEL)

INGREDIENT DATA

Not Available

# Emergency Limits

Ingredient	TEEL-1	TEEL-2	TEEL-3
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Ingredient	Original IDLH	Revised IDLH
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#### **Occupational Exposure Banding**

Ingredient	Occupational Exposure Band Rating	Occupational Exposure Band Limit
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Notes:	Occupational exposure banding is a process of assigning chemicals into specific categories or bands based on a chemical's potency and the adverse health outcomes associated with exposure. The output of this process is an occupational exposure band (OEB), which corresponds to a range of exposure concentrations that are expected to protect worker health.	

# **Exposure controls**

Engineering controls are used to remove a hazard or place a barrier between the worker and the hazard. Well-designed engineering controls can be highly effective in protecting workers and will typically be independent of worker interactions to provide this high level of protection.

The basic types of engineering controls are:

Process controls which involve changing the way a job activity or process is done to reduce the risk.

Enclosure and/or isolation of emission source which keeps a selected hazard "physically" away from the worker and ventilation that strategically "adds" and "removes" air in the work environment. Ventilation can remove or dilute an air contaminant if designed properly. The design of a ventilation system must match the particular process and chemical or contaminant in use. Employers may need to use multiple types of controls to prevent employee overexposure.

Local exhaust ventilation usually required. If risk of overexposure exists, wear approved respirator. Correct fit is essential to obtain adequate protection. Supplied-air type respirator may be required in special circumstances. Correct fit is essential to ensure adequate protection.

An approved self contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) may be required in some situations.

Provide adequate ventilation in warehouse or closed storage area. Air contaminants generated in the workplace possess varying "escape" velocities which, in turn, determine the "capture velocities" of fresh circulating air required to effectively remove the contaminant.

Type of Contaminant:	Air Speed:
solvent, vapours, degreasing etc., evaporating from tank (in still air).	0.25-0.5 m/s (50-100 f/min.)
aerosols, fumes from pouring operations, intermittent container filling, low speed conveyer transfers, welding, spray drift, plating acid fumes, pickling (released at low velocity into zone of active generation)	0.5-1 m/s (100-200 f/min.)
direct spray, spray painting in shallow booths, drum filling, conveyer loading, crusher dusts, gas discharge (active generation into zone of rapid air motion)	1-2.5 m/s (200-500 f/min.)
grinding, abrasive blasting, tumbling, high speed wheel generated dusts (released at high initial velocity into zone of very high rapid air motion).	2.5-10 m/s (500-2000 f/min.)

# Appropriate engineering controls

Within each range the appropriate value depends on:

Lower end of the range	Upper end of the range
1: Room air currents minimal or favourable to capture	1: Disturbing room air currents
2: Contaminants of low toxicity or of nuisance value only.	2: Contaminants of high toxicity
3: Intermittent, low production.	3: High production, heavy use
4: Large hood or large air mass in motion	4: Small hood-local control only

Simple theory shows that air velocity falls rapidly with distance away from the opening of a simple extraction pipe. Velocity generally decreases with the square of distance from the extraction point (in simple cases). Therefore the air speed at the extraction point should be adjusted, accordingly, after reference to distance from the contaminating source. The air velocity at the extraction fan, for example, should be a minimum of 1-2 m/s (200-400 f/min) for extraction of solvents generated in a tank 2 meters distant from the extraction point. Other mechanical considerations, producing performance deficits within the extraction apparatus, make it essential that theoretical air velocities are multiplied by factors of 10 or more when extraction systems are installed or used.

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# Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment









# Eye and face protection

► Safety glasses with side shields.

- ► Chemical goggles. [AS/NZS 1337.1, EN166 or national equivalent]
- Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lenses or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59].

#### Skin protection

Hands/feet protection

#### See Hand protection below

- ▶ Wear chemical protective gloves, e.g. PVC.
- ▶ Wear safety footwear or safety gumboots, e.g. Rubber

The selection of suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality which vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Where the chemical is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

The exact break through time for substances has to be obtained from the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed when making a final choice.

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 non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include:

- · frequency and duration of contact,
- · chemical resistance of glove material,
- · glove thickness and
- dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent).

- · When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- · When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374. AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- Some glove polymer types are less affected by movement and this should be taken into account when considering gloves for long-term use.
- Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

As defined in ASTM F-739-96 in any application, gloves are rated as:

- $\cdot$  Excellent when breakthrough time > 480 min
- $\cdot$  Good when breakthrough time > 20 min
- · Fair when breakthrough time < 20 min
- $\cdot$  Poor when glove material degrades

For general applications, gloves with a thickness typically greater than 0.35 mm, are recommended.

It should be emphasised that glove thickness is not necessarily a good predictor of glove resistance to a specific chemical, as the permeation efficiency of the glove will be dependent on the exact composition of the glove material. Therefore, glove selection should also be based on consideration of the task requirements and knowledge of breakthrough times.

Glove thickness may also vary depending on the glove manufacturer, the glove type and the glove model. Therefore, the manufacturers technical data should always be taken into account to ensure selection of the most appropriate glove for the task. Note: Depending on the activity being conducted, gloves of varying thickness may be required for specific tasks. For example:

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- Thinner gloves (down to 0.1 mm or less) may be required where a high degree of manual dexterity is needed. However, these gloves are only likely to give short duration protection and would normally be just for single use applications, then disposed of.
- · Thicker gloves (up to 3 mm or more) may be required where there is a mechanical (as well as a chemical) risk i.e. where there is abrasion or puncture potential

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# **Body protection**

# See Other protection below

#### Other protection

- Overalls.Evewash unit.
- ► Barrier cream.

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- ► Skin cleansing cream.
- Some plastic personal protective equipment (PPE) (e.g. gloves, aprons, overshoes) are not recommended as they may produce static electricity.
- For large scale or continuous use wear tight-weave non-static clothing (no metallic fasteners, cuffs or pockets).
- Non sparking safety or conductive footwear should be considered. Conductive footwear describes a boot or shoe with a sole made from a conductive compound chemically bound to the bottom components, for permanent control to electrically ground the foot an shall dissipate static electricity from the body to reduce the possibility of ignition of volatile compounds. Electrical resistance must range between 0 to 500,000 ohms. Conductive shoes should be stored in lockers close to the room in which they are worn. Personnel who have been issued conductive footwear should not wear them from their place of work to their homes and return.

# **SECTION 9 Physical and chemical properties**

# Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Not Available		
Physical state	Liquid	Relative density (Water = 1)	Not Available
Odour	Not Available	Partition coefficient n-octanol / water	Not Available
Odour threshold	Not Available	Auto-ignition temperature (°C)	Not Available
pH (as supplied)	Not Available	Decomposition temperature (°C)	Not Available
Melting point / freezing point (°C)	Not Available	Viscosity (cSt)	Not Available
Initial boiling point and boiling range (°C)	42-43/50mm	Molecular weight (g/mol)	Not Available
Flash point (°C)	Not Available	Taste	Not Available
Evaporation rate	Not Available	Explosive properties	Not Available
Flammability	Not Available	Oxidising properties	Not Available
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Surface Tension (dyn/cm or mN/m)	Not Available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not Available	Volatile Component (%vol)	Not Available
Vapour pressure (kPa)	Not Available	Gas group	Not Available
Solubility in water	Not Available	pH as a solution (1%)	Not Available
Vapour density (Air = 1)	Not Available	VOC g/L	Not Available

# **SECTION 10 Stability and reactivity**

Reactivity	See section 7
Chemical stability	<ul> <li>May heat spontaneously</li> <li>Identify and remove sources of ignition and heating.</li> <li>Incompatible material, especially oxidisers, and/or other sources of oxygen may produce unstable product(s).</li> <li>Avoid sources of water contamination (e.g. rain water, moisture, high humidity).</li> <li>Avoid contact with oxygenated solvents/ reagents such as alcohols.</li> </ul>
Possibility of hazardous reactions	See section 7
Conditions to avoid	See section 7
Incompatible materials	See section 7
Hazardous decomposition products	See section 5

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# **SECTION 11 Toxicological information**

# Information on toxicological effects The material can cause respiratory irritation in some persons. The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung The material has NOT been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as "harmful by inhalation". This is because of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence Inhaled Material is highly volatile and may quickly form a concentrated atmosphere in confined or unventilated areas. The vapour may displace and replace air in breathing zone, acting as a simple asphyxiant. This may happen with little warning of overexposure. The use of a quantity of material in an unventilated or confined space may result in increased exposure and an irritating atmosphere developing. Before starting consider control of exposure by mechanical ventilation. The material has NOT been classified by EC Directives or other classification systems as "harmful by ingestion". This is because Ingestion of the lack of corroborating animal or human evidence. This material can cause inflammation of the skin on contact in some persons. The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition Skin contact is not thought to have harmful health effects (as classified under EC Directives); the material may still produce Skin Contact health damage following entry through wounds, lesions or abrasions. Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects. Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected. Eye This material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons. Long-term exposure to respiratory irritants may result in airways disease, involving difficulty breathing and related whole-body problems. Chronic Substance accumulation, in the human body, may occur and may cause some concern following repeated or long-term occupational exposure.

Legend:

1. Value obtained from Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Acute toxicity 2. Value obtained from manufacturer's SDS. Unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effect of chemical Substances

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Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ends. This may be due to a non-allergic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur after exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Main criteria for diagnosing RADS include the absence of previous airways disease in a non-atopic individual, with sudden onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. Other criteria for diagnosis of RADS include a reversible airflow pattern on lung function tests, moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing, and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia. RADS (or asthma) following an irritating inhalation is an infrequent disorder with rates related to the concentration of and duration of exposure to the irritating substance. On the other hand, industrial bronchitis is a disorder that occurs as a result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particles) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The disorder is characterized by difficulty breathing, cough and mucus production.

Acute Toxicity	×	Carcinogenicity	×
Skin Irritation/Corrosion	<b>~</b>	Reproductivity	×
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	<b>~</b>	STOT - Single Exposure	<b>~</b>
Respiratory or Skin sensitisation	×	STOT - Repeated Exposure	×
Mutagenicity	×	Aspiration Hazard	×

**Legend: X** − Data either not available or does not fill the criteria for classification

Data available to make classification

# **SECTION 12 Ecological information**

# **Toxicity**

Legend:

Extracted from 1. IUCLID Toxicity Data 2. Europe ECHA Registered Substances - Ecotoxicological Information - Aquatic Toxicity 4. US EPA, Ecotox database - Aquatic Toxicity Data 5. ECETOC Aquatic Hazard Assessment Data 6. NITE (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 7. METI (Japan) - Bioconcentration Data 8. Vendor Data

# Persistence and degradability

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air
4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane	HIGH	HIGH

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# Bioaccumulative potential

Ingredient	Bioaccumulation
4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane	LOW (LogKOW = 0.4402)

# Mobility in soil

Ingredient	Mobility	
4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane	LOW (KOC = 534.1)	

# **SECTION 13 Disposal considerations**

#### Waste treatment methods

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- ► Reduction
- ► Reuse
- ► Recycling
- ► Disposal (if all else fails)

# Product / Packaging disposal

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. If it has been contaminated, it may be possible to reclaim the product by filtration, distillation or some other means. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

Empty containers retain product residues and can be dangerous

- · Dispose of unused product
- · DO NOT expose opened/ empty containers to moisture/ water, heat, flame, sparks, static electricity, or other sources of ignition.
- They may explode and cause injury or death
- DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning or process equipment to enter drains.
- It may be necessary to collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.
- In all cases disposal to sewer may be subject to local laws and regulations and these should be considered first.
- Where in doubt contact the responsible authority.

# **SECTION 14 Transport information**

#### **Labels Required**





Marine Pollutant

NO

# Land transport (ADR-RID)

UN number or ID number	3399		
UN proper shipping name	ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER-REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE		
Transport hazard class(es)	Class Subsidiary risk	3	
Packing group	II		
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable		

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# Special precautions for

Hazard identification (Kemler)	323
Classification code	WF1
Hazard Label	4.3 +3
Special provisions	274
Limited quantity	500 ml
Tunnel Restriction Code	0 (D/E)

# Air transport (ICAO-IATA / DGR)

UN number	3399			
UN proper shipping name	Organometallic substance, liquid, water-reactive, flammable *			
Transport hazard class(es)	ICAO/IATA Class	4.3		
	ICAO / IATA Subrisk	3		
	ERG Code	4FW		
Packing group	II			
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
Special precautions for user	Special provisions		A3 A803	
	Cargo Only Packing Instructions		494	
	Cargo Only Maximum Qty / Pack		5 L	
	Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions		493	
	Passenger and Cargo Maximum Qty / Pack		1 L	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions		Forbidden	
	Passenger and Cargo Limited Maximum Qty / Pack		Forbidden	

# Sea transport (IMDG-Code / GGVSee)

UN number	3399			
UN proper shipping name	ORGANOMETALLIC	ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER-REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE		
Transport hazard class(es)	IMDG Class 4.3 IMDG Subrisk 3			
Packing group	II .			
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
Special precautions for user	EMS Number Special provisions Limited Quantities	Special provisions 274		

# Inland waterways transport (ADN)

UN number	3399			
UN proper shipping name	ORGANOMETALLIC SUBSTANCE, LIQUID, WATER REACTIVE, FLAMMABLE			
Transport hazard class(es)	4.3 3			
Packing group	II			
Environmental hazard	Not Applicable			
Special precautions for user	Classification code WF1 Special provisions 274 Limited quantity 500 ml Equipment required PP, EX, A Fire cones number 1			

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Not Applicable

# Transport in bulk in accordance with MARPOL Annex V and the IMSBC Code

Product name	Group
4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane	Not Available

4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane

# Transport in bulk in accordance with the IGC Code

Product name	Ship Type
4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane	Not Available

# **SECTION 15 Regulatory information**

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

4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane is found on the following regulatory lists

Not Applicable

# **National Inventory Status**

National Inventory	Status			
Australia - AIIC / Australia Non-Industrial Use	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Canada - DSL	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Canada - NDSL	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
China - IECSC	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Europe - EINEC / ELINCS / NLP	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Japan - ENCS	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Korea - KECI	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
New Zealand - NZIoC	Yes			
Philippines - PICCS	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
USA - TSCA	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Taiwan - TCSI	Yes			
Mexico - INSQ	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Vietnam - NCI	Yes			
Russia - FBEPH	No (4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolane)			
Legend:	Yes = All CAS declared ingredients are on the inventory No = One or more of the CAS listed ingredients are not on the inventory. These ingredients may be exempt or will require registration.			

# **SECTION 16 Other information**

Revision Date	03/07/2023
Initial Date	04/07/2023

# **SDS Version Summary**

Version	Date of Update	Sections Updated
3.5	03/07/2023	Hazards identification - Classification, Korean MSDS Number, Identification of the substance / mixture and of the company / undertaking - Supplier Information

# Other information

Classification of the preparation and its individual components has drawn on official and authoritative sources as well as independent review by the Chemwatch Classification committee using available literature references.

The SDS is a Hazard Communication tool and should be used to assist in the Risk Assessment. Many factors determine whether the reported Hazards are Risks in the workplace or other settings. Risks may be determined by reference to Exposures Scenarios. Scale of use, frequency of use and current or available engineering controls must be considered.

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For detailed advice on Personal Protective Equipment, refer to the following EU CEN Standards:

EN 166 Personal eye-protection

EN 340 Protective clothing

EN 374 Protective gloves against chemicals and micro-organisms

EN 13832 Footwear protecting against chemicals

EN 133 Respiratory protective devices

# **Definitions and abbreviations**

PC - TWA: Permissible Concentration-Time Weighted Average PC - STEL: Permissible Concentration-Short Term Exposure Limit

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit

TEEL: Temporary Emergency Exposure Limit,

IDLH: Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health Concentrations

ES: Exposure Standard OSF: Odour Safety Factor

NOAEL :No Observed Adverse Effect Level LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level

TLV: Threshold Limit Value LOD: Limit Of Detection OTV: Odour Threshold Value **BCF**: BioConcentration Factors BEI: Biological Exposure Index

AIIC: Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

**DSL: Domestic Substances List** NDSL: Non-Domestic Substances List

IECSC: Inventory of Existing Chemical Substance in China

EINECS: European INventory of Existing Commercial chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

NLP: No-Longer Polymers

**ENCS: Existing and New Chemical Substances Inventory** 

KECI: Korea Existing Chemicals Inventory NZIoC: New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

PICCS: Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

TSCA: Toxic Substances Control Act TCSI: Taiwan Chemical Substance Inventory INSQ: Inventario Nacional de Sustancias Químicas

NCI: National Chemical Inventory

FBEPH: Russian Register of Potentially Hazardous Chemical and Biological Substances

# Classification and procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]

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Classification according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP] and amendments	Classification Procedure		
Flammable Liquids Category 2, H225	On basis of test data		
Specific Target Organ Toxicity - Single Exposure (Respiratory Tract Irritation) Category 3 , H335	Calculation method		
Skin Corrosion/Irritation Category 2, H315	Calculation method		
Serious Eye Damage/Eye Irritation Category 2, H319	Calculation method		
Substances and Mixtures which in Contact with Water Emit Flammable Gases Category 2, H261	On basis of test data		

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