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## **SAFETY DATA SHEETS**

## **SECTION 1: Chemical Product**

Product/Chemical Name: Melamine

Chemical Formula:C3H6N6

CAS Number:108-78-1

Other Designations: 2,4,6-Triamino-S-Triazine; Aero; Cyanuramide; Cyanurotriamide; Cyanurotriamine; Cymel

General Use: Raw material for melamine formaldehyde MF synthrtic resins. Componet of intumescent paints.

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### **SECTION 2: Hazard identification**

#### 2.1Classification of the substance or mixture

Not classified.

#### 2.2GHS label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram(s)	No symbol.
Signal word	No signal word
Hazard statement(s)	none
Precautionary statement(s)	
Prevention	none
Response	none
Storage	none
Disposal	none

#### 2.3Other hazards which do not result in classification

no data available

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

#### **3.1Substances**

Γ	Chemical name	Common names and synonyms	CAS number	EC number	Concentration
	Melamine	Melamine	108-78-1	203-615-4	99.9%

## **SECTION 4: First-aid measures**

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#### 4.1Description of necessary first-aid measures

If inhaled

Fresh air, rest.

Following skin contact

Rinse and then wash skin with water and soap.

Following eye contact

Rinse with plenty of water for several minutes (remove contact lenses if easily possible).

Following ingestion

Rinse mouth.

#### 4.2Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

SYMPTOMS: Symptoms of exposure to this compound may include irritation of the skin, eyes and mucous membranes. It may also cause irritation of the upper respiratory tract. Other symptoms may include urinary bladder stones, diuresis and crystalluria. Dermatitis has been reported. Kidney injury may occur. ACUTE/CHRONIC HAZARDS: This compound is toxic by ingestion. It may be harmful by inhalation or skin absorption. It is an irritant of the skin, eyes, mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract. When heated to decomposition it emits toxic fumes of carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and nitrogen oxides. It also emits highly toxic fumes of cyanides. (NTP, 1992)

# **4.3Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed, if necessary**

Basic treatment: Establish a patent airway (oropharyngeal or nasopharyngeal airway, if needed). Suction if necessary. Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilations if needed. Administer oxygen by nonrebreather mask at 10 to 15 L/min. Monitor for pulmonary edema and treat if necessary . Monitor for shock and treat if necessary . Anticipate seizures and treat if necessary . For eye contamination, flush eyes immediately with water. Irrigate each eye continuously with 0.9% saline (NS) during transport . Do not use emetics. For ingestion, rinse mouth and administer 5 ml/kg up to 200 ml of water for dilution if the patient can swallow, has a strong gag reflex, and does not drool . Cover skin burns with dry sterile dressings after decontamination . Poisons A and B

## **SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures**

#### 5.1Suitable extinguishing media

Powder, water spray, foam, carbon dioxide.

#### 5.2Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Literature sources indicate that this compound is nonflammable. (NTP, 1992)

#### **5.3Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

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Use water spray, powder, foam, carbon dioxide. In case of fire: keep drums, etc., cool by spraying with water.

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

#### **6.1Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal protection: particulate filter respirator adapted to the airborne concentration of the substance. Sweep spilled substance into sealable containers. If appropriate, moisten first to prevent dusting. Carefully collect remainder. Then store and dispose of according to local regulations.

#### **6.2Environmental precautions**

Personal protection: particulate filter respirator adapted to the airborne concentration of the substance. Sweep spilled substance into sealable containers. If appropriate, moisten first to prevent dusting. Carefully collect remainder. Then store and dispose of according to local regulations.

#### 6.3Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Evacuate persons not wearing protective equipment from area of spill or leak until clean-up is complete. Remove all ignition sources. Use HEPA vacuum or wet method to reduce dist during clean-up. Do not dry sweep. Collect powdered material in the most convenient and safe manner and deposit in sealed containers. Ventilate area after clean-up is complete. It may be necessary to contain and dispose of this chemical as a hazardous waste. If material or contaminated runoff enters waterways, notify downstream users of potentially contaminated waters. Contact your Department of Environmental Protection or your regional office of the federal EPA for specific recommendations. If employees are required to clean-up spills, they must be properly trained and equipped. OSHA 1910.120(q) may be applicable.

## **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1Precautions for safe handling

NO open flames. Closed system, dust explosion-proof electrical equipment and lighting. Prevent deposition of dust. Handling in a well ventilated place. Wear suitable protective clothing. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Use non-sparking tools. Prevent fire caused by electrostatic discharge steam.

#### 7.2Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store in tightly closed containers in a cool, well vented area away form strong oxidizers and strong acids. Where possible, automatically pump liquid from drums or other storage containers to process containers. A regulated, marked area should be established where this chemical is handled, used, or stored in compliance with OSHA standard 1910.1045.

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

#### **8.1Control parameters**

#### Occupational Exposure limit values

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#### Biological limit values

no data available

#### 8.2Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Set up emergency exits and the risk-elimination area.

#### 8.3Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection

Wear safety spectacles.

Skin protection

Protective gloves.

Respiratory protection

If the exposure limits are exceeded, irritation or other symptoms are experienced, use a full-face respirator.

Thermal hazards

no data available

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties and safety characteristics**

Physical state Colour Odour Melting point/freezing poin Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling	Solid. Powder. White. no data available nt 361 ŰC. 329.8 ŰC. Atm. press.:1 atm.
range	
Flammability	Combustible under specific conditions. Gives off irritating or toxic fumes (or gases) in a fire.
Lower and upper explosion	no data available
limit/flammability limit	
Flash point	> 280 ŰC.
Auto-ignition temperature	> 400 ŰC. Remarks:At atm. press. of 1.0 atm.
Decomposition temperature	345°C
рН	7.5 - 9.5. Remarks:10 % aqueous suspension.
Kinematic viscosity	no data available
Solubility	less than 1 mg/mL at 72Ű F (NTP, 1992)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water	$\log Pow = -1.22$ . Temperature:22 ŰC.
Vapour pressure	0 Pa. Temperature:20 ŰC. Remarks:Extrapolated from the temperature range of

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144 - 341 ŰC.;0 Pa. Temperature:25 ŰC. Remarks:Extrapolated from the temperature range of 144 - 341 ŰC. 1.57. Temperature:20 ŰC.

Density and/or relative density Relative vapour density Particle characteristics

4.34 (NTP, 1992) (Relative to Air) no data available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### **10.1Reactivity**

Decomposes on heating and on burning. This produces toxic and irritating fumes including hydrogen cyanide, nitrogen oxides and ammonia.

### **10.2Chemical stability**

no data available

#### **10.3Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Dust explosion possible if in powder or granular form, mixed with air.MELAMINE is incompatible with strong oxidizing agents and strong acids (NTP, 1992). Neutralizes acids in exothermic reactions to form salts plus water. May be incompatible with isocyanates, halogenated organics, peroxides, phenols (acidic), epoxides, anhydrides, and acid halides. Flammable gaseous hydrogen may be generated in combination with strong reducing agents, such as hydrides.

#### **10.4Conditions to avoid**

no data available

#### **10.5Incompatible materials**

Strong oxidizers, strong acids.

#### **10.6Hazardous decomposition products**

Dangerous; when heated to decomp, emits highly toxic fumes of /nitrogen oxides and hydrogen cyanide/.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### Acute toxicity

- Oral: LD50 Mouse oral 4550 mg/kg
- Inhalation: LC50 rat (male/female) > 5 190 mg/mÅ<sup>3</sup> air.
- Dermal: LD50 rabbit > 1000 mg/kg bw.

#### Skin corrosion/irritation

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Serious eye damage/irritation

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Respiratory or skin sensitization

no data available

Germ cell mutagenicity

no data available

Carcinogenicity

Cancer Classification: Group D Not Classifiable as to Human Carcinogenicity

Reproductive toxicity

no data available

STOT-single exposure

no data available

STOT-repeated exposure

no data available

Aspiration hazard

A nuisance-causing concentration of airborne particles can be reached quickly when dispersed, especially if powdered.

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1Toxicity

- Toxicity to fish: LC50 Poecilia reticulata > 4.59 g/L 96 h.
- Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 Daphnia magna 200 mg/L 48 h. Remarks: And behaviour.
- Toxicity to algae: EC50 Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata (previous names: Raphidocelis subcapitata, Selenastrum capricornutum) 325 mg/L 96 h.
- Toxicity to microorganisms: EC10 Pseudomonas putida > 10 g/L 30 min. Remarks:Respiration rate.

#### 12.2Persistence and degradability

AEROBIC: A standard 5 day BOD test of melamine resulted in almost no biochemical oxygen demand(1,2). Based on the five day BOD data, the author considered melamine to be non biodegradable(2). However, pure culture studies using Pseudomonas strain A and 3 mM melamine indicate the degradation pathway of melamine involves the conversion of melamine to ammeline and eventually cyanuric acid(3).

#### 12.3Bioaccumulative potential

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An estimated BCF of 3 was calculated in fish for melamine(SRC), using a log Kow of -1.37(1) and a regression-derived equation(2). According to a classification scheme(3), this BCF suggests the potential for bioconcentration in aquatic organisms is low(SRC).

#### **12.4Mobility in soil**

The Koc of melamine is estimated as 50(SRC), using a log Kow of -1.37(1) and a regression-derived equation(2). According to a classification scheme(3), this estimated Koc value suggests that melamine is expected to have very high mobility in soil. Aromatic amines may bind strongly to humus or organic matter in soils due to the high reactivity of the aromatic amino group(4,5), suggesting that mobility may be much lower in some soils(SRC). Adsorption of melamine to suspended clay sediment was reported from pH 1 to 6.5, with a maximum absorption of 500X10-6 mols/g at pH 4.0(6).

#### 12.50ther adverse effects

no data available

### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1Disposal methods

#### Product

The material can be disposed of by removal to a licensed chemical destruction plant or by controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing. Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed or seed by storage or disposal. Do not discharge to sewer systems.

#### Contaminated packaging

Containers can be triply rinsed (or equivalent) and offered for recycling or reconditioning. Alternatively, the packaging can be punctured to make it unusable for other purposes and then be disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Controlled incineration with flue gas scrubbing is possible for combustible packaging materials.

### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

#### 14.1UN Number

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods.IMDG: Not dangerous goods.IATA: Not dangerous goods.(For reference only, please<br/>check.)(For reference only, please<br/>check.)(For reference only, please<br/>check.)

#### **14.2UN Proper Shipping Name**

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods.	IMDG: Not dangerous goods.	IATA: Not dangerous goods.
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#### 14.3Transport hazard class(es)

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#### 14.4Packing group, if applicable

ADR/RID: Not dangerous goods.	IMDG: Not dangerous goods.	IATA: Not dangerous goods.
(For reference only, please	(For reference only, please	(For reference only, please
check.)	check.)	check.)

#### 14.5Environmental hazards

ADR/RID: No

IMDG: No

IATA: No

#### 14.6Special precautions for user

no data available

#### 14.7Transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

no data available

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

#### 15.1Safety, health and environmental regulations specific for the product in question

Chemical name	Common names and synonyms CAS number		EC number
Melamine	Melamine 108-78-1		203-615-4
European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)			Listed.
EC Inventory			Listed.
United States Toxic Sub	stances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory		Listed.
China Catalog of Hazardous chemicals 2015			Not Listed.
New Zealand Inventory o	f Chemicals (NZIoC)		Listed.
Philippines Inventory o	f Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)		Listed.
Vietnam National Chemical Inventory			Listed.
Chinese Chemical Invent	ory of Existing Chemical Substances (China I	ECSC)	Listed.
Korea Existing Chemical	s List (KECL)		Listed.

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

Information on revision

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Abbreviations and acronyms

- CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
- ADR: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road

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- RID: Regulation concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
- IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods
- IATA: International Air Transportation Association
- TWA: Time Weighted Average
- STEL: Short term exposure limit
- LC50: Lethal Concentration 50%
- LD50: Lethal Dose 50%
- EC50: Effective Concentration 50%

#### References

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- IPCS The International Chemical Safety Cards (ICSC), website:http://www.ilo.org/dyn/icsc/showcard.home
  - HSDB Hazardous Substances Data Bank, website: https://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/newtoxnet/hsdb.htm
- IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer, website: http://www.iarc.fr/
- eChemPortal The Global Portal to Information on Chemical Substances by OECD, website:
- http://www.echemportal.org/echemportal/index?pageID=0&request\_locale=en
- CAMEO Chemicals, website: http://cameochemicals.noaa.gov/search/simple
- ChemIDplus, website: http://chem.sis.nlm.nih.gov/chemidplus/chemidlite.jsp
- ERG Emergency Response Guidebook by U.S. Department of Transportation, website:
- http://www.phmsa.dot.gov/hazmat/library/erg
- Germany GESTIS-database on hazard substance, website:
- http://www.dguv.de/ifa/gestis/gestis-stoffdatenbank/index-2.jsp
- ECHA European Chemicals Agency, website: https://echa.europa.eu/

#### Other Information

Ingestion in large amounts may cause effects on the kidneys and bladder. This may result in stone formation.