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Material Safety Data Sheet Thionin, certified biological stain

MSDS# 01921

Section 1 - Chemical Product and Company Identification

MSDS Name:

Thionin, certified biological stain

Catalog Numbers:

AC420880000, AC420880100, AC420880250, T409-25

Synonyms:

3,7-Diaminophenothiazin-5-ium chloride; Katalysin; Thionine; Lauth's violet; C.I. 52000; 3,7-

Diaminophenazathionium chloride.

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Section 2 - Composition, Information on Ingredients

CAS#:

581-64-6

Chemical Name:

Thionin

%:

>85

**EINECS#:** 

209-470-3

Hazard Symbols:

XN



Risk Phrases:

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Section 3 - Hazards Identification

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW** 

Danger! Causes eye irritation. The toxicological properties of this material have not been fully investigated. Eye contact may result in permanent eye damage. May cause skin and respiratory tract irritation. Target Organs: Eyes.

Potential Health Effects

This product contains a cationic dye. Similar dyes have caused permanent injury to the cornea and conjunctiva in Eye:

documented exposure cases with human or rabbit eyes.

Skin: May cause skin irritation.

Ingestion: May cause irritation of the digestive tract.

Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation.

Chronic: No information found.

Eves:

Get medical aid. Do NOT allow victim to rub eyes or keep eyes closed. Extensive irrigation with water is

required (at least 30 minutes).

Skin:

Immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and

shoes. Get medical aid if irritation develops or persists. Wash clothing before reuse.

Ingestion:

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical aid. Do NOT induce vomiting. If

conscious and alert, rinse mouth and drink 2-4 cupfuls of milk or water.

Inhalation:

Remove from exposure and move to fresh air immediately. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical aid if cough or other symptoms appear.

Notes to Physician:

## Section 5 - Fire Fighting Measures

General Information: As in any fire, wear a self-contained breathing apparatus in pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent), and full protective gear. During a fire, irritating and highly toxic gases may be generated by thermal decomposition or combustion. Dust from this material can form explosive organic dust cloud.

Extinguishing Media:

Use water spray, dry chemical, carbon dioxide, or appropriate foam.

Autoignition Not applicable.

Temperature:

Flash Point: Not applicable.

Explosion Limits: Not available Lower:

Explosion Limits: Not available Upper:

NFPA Rating: health: 2; flammability: 1; instability: 0;

### Section 6 - Accidental Release Measures

General

Use proper personal protective equipment as indicated in Section 8.

Information:

Vacuum or sweep up material and place into a suitable disposal container. Clean up spills immediately,

Spills/Leaks:

observing precautions in the Protective Equipment section. Avoid generating dusty conditions. Provide

ventilation.

### Section 7 - Handling and Storage

Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Use with adequate Handling: ventilation. Minimize dust generation and accumulation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Avoid ingestion and inhalation.

Storage:

Store in a tightly closed container. Keep from contact with oxidizing materials. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from incompatible substances.

### Section 8 - Exposure Controls, Personal Protection

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Chemical Name	ACGIH	NIOSH	OSHA - Final PELs
Thionin	none listed	none listed	none listed

OSHA Vacated PELs: Thionin: None listed

**Engineering Controls:** 

Facilities storing or utilizing this material should be equipped with an eyewash facility and a safety shower. Use adequate ventilation to keep airborne concentrations low.

**Exposure Limits** 

Personal Protective Equipment

Eyes:

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:

Wear appropriate protective gloves to prevent skin exposure.

Clothing:

Wear appropriate protective clothing to prevent skin exposure.

Follow the OSHA respirator regulations found in 29 CFR 1910.134 or European Standard EN 149. Use a Respirators: NIOSH/MSHA or European Standard EN 149 approved respirator if exposure limits are exceeded or if irritation or other symptoms are experienced.

# Section 9 - Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid

Color: black-green Odor: None reported

pH: Not available

Vapor Pressure: Negligible.
Vapor Density: Not available

Evaporation Rate: Negligible.

Viscosity: Not available

Boiling Point: Not available

Freezing/Melting Point: Not available

Decomposition Temperature: Not available

Solubility in water: Soluble in water.

Specific Gravity/Density: Not available.

Molecular Formula: C12H10N3SCl

Molecular Weight: 263.74

Section 10 - Stability and Reactivity

Chemical Stability:

Stable under normal temperatures and pressures.

Conditions to Avoid:

High temperatures, dust generation.

Incompatibilities with Other

Materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Hydrogen chloride, carbon monoxide, oxides of nitrogen, oxides of sulfur, carbon dioxide.

Hazardous Polymerization

Has not been reported.

Section 11 - Toxicological Information

RTECS#:

CAS# 581-64-6: SN5425000

LD50/LC50:

RTECS: Not available.

Carcinogenicity:

Thionin - Not listed as a carcinogen by ACGIH, IARC, NTP, or CA Prop 65.

Other:

See actual entry in RTECS for complete information.

Section 12 - Ecological Information

Not available

Section 13 - Disposal Considerations

Dispose of in a manner consistent with federal, state, and local regulations.

Section 14 - Transport Information

US DOT

Shipping Name: Not regulated as a hazardous material

Hazard Class: UN Number: Packing Group: Canada TDG

Shipping Name: Not available

Hazard Class: UN Number: Packing Group: European Labeling in Accordance with EC Directives

Hazard Symbols: XN

Risk Phrases:

R 41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Safety Phrases:

S 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice. S 36/39 Wear suitable protective clothing and eve/face protection.

WGK (Water Danger/Protection)

CAS# 581-64-6: Not available

Canada

CAS# 581-64-6 is listed on Canada's DSL List

Canadian WHMIS Classifications: D2B

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the MSDS contains all of the information required by those regulations.

CAS# 581-64-6 is not listed on Canada's Ingredient Disclosure List.

US Federal

**TSCA** 

CAS# 581-64-6 is listed on the TSCA Inventory.

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Section 16 - Other Information

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