SAFETY DATA SHEET
Acridine Orange

Section 1. Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of the Company/Undertaking

1.1 Product Code: 14338
Product Name: Acridine Orange
Synonyms: N3,N3,N6,N6-tetramethyl-3,6-acridinediamine; C.I. 46005B; NSC 194350;

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against:
Relevant identified uses: For research use only, not for human or veterinary use.

1.3 Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet:
Company Name: Cayman Chemical Company
1180 E. Ellsworth Rd.
Ann Arbor, MI 48108
Web site address: www.caymanchem.com
Information: Cayman Chemical Company +1 (734)971-3335

1.4 Emergency telephone number:
Emergency Contact: CHEMTREC Within USA and Canada: +1 (800)424-9300
CHEMTREC Outside USA and Canada: +1 (703)527-3887

Section 2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the Substance or Mixture:
2.1.1 Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]:
2.1.2 Classification according to Directive 1999/45/EC:
   Risk Phrases:
   For full text of R-phrases: see SECTION 15.

2.2 Label Elements:
2.2.1 Labeling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]:
   GHS Signal Word:
   GHS Hazard Phrases:
   Based on evaluation of currently available data this substance or mixture is not classifiable according to GHS.
   GHS Precaution Phrases:
   No phrases apply.
   GHS Response Phrases:
   No phrases apply.
   GHS Storage and Disposal Phrases:
   Please refer to Section 7 for Storage and Section 13 for Disposal information.

2.2.2 Labeling according to Directive 1999/45/EC:

2.3 Adverse Human Health Material may be irritating to the mucous membranes and upper respiratory tract.
   Effects and Symptoms: May be harmful by inhalation, ingestion, or skin absorption.
   May cause eye, skin, or respiratory system irritation.
   To the best of our knowledge, the toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.

Section 3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

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<th>EC No./ EC Index No.</th>
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Section 4. First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of First Aid Measures:

In Case of Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration or give oxygen by trained personnel. Get immediate medical attention.

In Case of Skin Contact: Immediately wash skin with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Wash clothing before reuse.

In Case of Eye Contact: Hold eyelids apart and flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Have eyes examined and tested by medical personnel.

In Case of Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel.

Section 5. Fire Fighting Measures

5.1 Suitable Extinguishing Media: Use alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, water, or dry chemical spray.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Use water spray to cool fire-exposed containers.

5.2 Flammable Properties and Hazards:

Flash Pt: No data.
Explosive Limits: LEL: No data. UEL: No data.
Autoignition Pt: No data.

5.3 Fire Fighting Instructions: As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand (NIOSH approved or equivalent), and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

Section 6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Protective Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Avoid raising and breathing dust, and provide adequate ventilation. As conditions warrant, wear a NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus, or respirator, and appropriate personal protection (rubber boots, safety goggles, and heavy rubber gloves).

6.2 Environmental Precautions: Take steps to avoid release into the environment, if safe to do so.

6.3 Methods and Material For Containment and Cleaning Up:

Contain spill and collect, as appropriate. Transfer to a chemical waste container for disposal in accordance with local regulations.

Section 7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions To Be Taken in Handling:

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure.

7.2 Precautions To Be Taken in Storing:

Keep container tightly closed.

Store in accordance with information listed on the product insert.

Section 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Exposure Parameters:

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#### 8.2 Exposure Controls:

**8.2.1 Engineering Controls**

Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits.

**8.2.2 Personal protection equipment:**

- **Eye Protection:** Safety glasses
- **Protective Gloves:** Compatible chemical-resistant gloves
- **Other Protective Clothing:** Lab coat

**Respiratory Equipment:** NIOSH approved respirator, as conditions warrant.

**Eye Protection:** Safety glasses

**Eye Protection:** Compatible chemical-resistant gloves

**Other Protective Clothing:** Lab coat

#### Section 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

**9.1 Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties**

**Physical States:**

- Gas [ ]
- Liquid [ ]
- Solid [ X ]

**Appearance and Odor:**

A crystalline solid

**Melting Point:**

No data.

**Boiling Point:**

No data.

**Flash Pt:**

No data.

**Evaporation Rate:**

No data.

**Explosive Limits:**

- LEL: No data.
- UEL: No data.

**Vapor Pressure (vs. Air or mm Hg):**

No data.

**Vapor Density (vs. Air = 1):**

No data.

**Specific Gravity (Water = 1):**

No data.

**Solubility in Water:**

No data.

**Solubility Notes:**

~2 mg/ml in PBS (pH 7.2); ~2.5 mg/ml in DMSO; ~3.3 mg/ml in DMF;

**Autoignition Pt:**

No data.

#### Section 10. Stability and Reactivity

**10.1 Reactivity:**

No data available.

**10.2 Stability:**

- Unstable [ ]
- Stable [ X ]

**10.3 Stability Note(s):**

Stable if stored in accordance with information listed on the product insert.

**Polymerization:**

- Will occur [ ]
- Will not occur [ X ]

**10.4 Conditions To Avoid:**

No data available.

**10.5 Incompatibility - Materials To Avoid:**

- strong oxidizing agents

**10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Or Byproducts:**

- carbon dioxide
- carbon monoxide
Section 11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on Toxicological Effects:
The toxicological effects of this product have not been thoroughly studied.

Acridine Orange - Toxicity Data: Subcutaneous LD50 (mouse): 250 mg/kg; Skin TDLO (mouse): 6630 mg/kg; Subcutaneous TDLO (mouse): 657 mg/kg/63W (intermittent);

Chronic Toxicological Effects:
Acridine Orange - Investigated as a mutagen and tumorigen.

Carcinogenicity:
NTP? No  IARC Monographs? No  OSHA Regulated? No

Section 12. Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity:
Avoid release into the environment.
Runoff from fire control or dilution water may cause pollution.

Section 13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste Disposal Method:
Dispose in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

Section 14. Transport Information

14.1 LAND TRANSPORT (US DOT):
DOT Proper Shipping Name: Not dangerous goods.
DOT Hazard Class:
UN/NA Number:

14.1 LAND TRANSPORT (European ADR/RID):
ADR/RID Shipping Name: Not dangerous goods.
UN Number:
Hazard Class:

14.3 AIR TRANSPORT (ICAO/IATA):
ICAO/IATA Shipping Name: Not dangerous goods.

Additional Transport Information:
Transport in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

Section 15. Regulatory Information

EPA SARA (Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986) Lists

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European Community Hazard Symbol codes:

European Community Risk and Safety Phrases:
S24/25  Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
S37/39  Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

Regulatory Information
Statement:  This SDS was prepared in accordance with Regulation (EC) No.1272/2008 and European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.

Section 16. Other Information

Revision Date:  01/20/2014

Additional Information About This Product:  No data available.

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