

SAFETY DATA SHEET THIOUREA REVISION 5, DATE 09 MAR 22

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product Name Thiourea

Other Names 2-Thiourea; Beta-Thiopseudourea; Isothiourea; Sulfourea; Thiocarbamide

Uses Organic synthesis; vulcanising accelerators; Production of pharmaceuticals, dyes, resins, plastic powder, rubber; Metal

mineral flotation.

Chemical Family No Data Available

Chemical Formula CH4N2S
Chemical Name Thiourea

Product Description Mono-constituent substance (organic).

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2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Poisons Schedule (Aust) Schedule 6

Adelaide

Brisbane

Perth

Sydney

Melbourne



Globally Harmonised System

Hazard Classification Hazardous according to the criteria of the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of

Chemicals (GHS)

Hazard Categories Acute Toxicity (Oral) - Category 4

Carcinogenicity - Category 2

Toxic To Reproduction - Category 2

Acute Hazard To The Aquatic Environment - Category 2
Long-term Hazard To The Aquatic Environment - Category 2

Pictograms







Signal Word Warning

Hazard Statements H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H351 Suspected of causing cancer.

H361fd Suspected of damaging fertility. Suspected of damaging the unborn child.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary Statements Prevention P281 Use personal protective equipment as required.

P201 Obtain special instructions before use.
P273 Avoid release to the environment.
P264 Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

P270 Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
P308 + P313 IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice.

P391 Collect spillage.

P301 + P312 IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell.

P330 Rinse mouth.
P405 Store locked up.

Disposal **P501** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local / regional / national /

international regulations.

National Transport Commission (Australia)

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Response

Storage

Dangerous Goods Classification NOT Dangerous Goods according to the criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods

by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Safe Work Australia

National Guide for Classifying Hazardous Chemicals under the Model WHS Regulations

Hazard Classification Hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia under Model WHS Regulations

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Ingredients

Chemical Entity	Formula	CAS Number	Proportion
Thiourea	CH4N2S	62-56-6	<=100 %

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of necessary measures according to routes of exposure

Swallowed IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth, then drink plenty of water. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical

personnel. Call a Poison Centre or doctor/physician for advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Eye IF IN EYES: Immediately flush eyes with running water for several minutes, holding eyelids open and occasionally lifting

the upper and lower lids. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing for at least 15 minutes. If eye

irritation persists, get medical advice/attention.

Skin IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation

occurs, get medical advice/attention.

Inhaled IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If respiratory symptoms

persist, get medical advice/attention. Give artificial respiration if victim is not breathing. Administer oxygen if breathing is

difficult

Advice to Doctor If exposed or concerned, get medical advice/attention. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Symptoms may be

delayed. Ensure that attending medical personnel are aware of the identity and nature of the product(s) involved, and

take precautions to protect themselves.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by No information available.

Exposure

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

General Measures If safe to do so, move undamaged containers from fire area. Cool containers with water spray until well after fire is out.

Flammability Conditions Combustible solid; May burn but does not ignite readily.

Extinguishing Media Use dry chemical, Carbon dioxide (CO2), alcohol-resistant foam or water spray for extinction - Do not use water jet (may

scatter or spread fire).

Fire and Explosion Hazard Avoid generating dust; Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is

a potential dust explosion hazard.

Hazardous Products of

Combustion

Fire may produce irritating, toxic and/or corrosive fumes, including Carbon oxides, Sulfur oxides, Nitrogen oxides.

Special Fire Fighting Instructions Prevent entry into drains and waterways. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in

accordance with local regulations.

Personal Protective Equipment Wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and chemical splash suit. SCBA and structural

 $fire fighter \hbox{'s uniform may provide limited protection.} \\$

Flash Point No Data Available
Lower Explosion Limit No Data Available
Upper Explosion Limit No Data Available

Auto Ignition Temperature >400 °C

Hazchem Code No Data Available

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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Ensure adequate ventilation. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (if dust clouds can occur). Do not touch or walk through **General Response Procedure**

spilled material. Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

Clean Up Procedures Collect material (sweep or vacuum up) and place into suitable, properly labelled containers for later disposal (see

SECTION 13). Avoid dispersal of dust in the air. Non-sparking tools should be used.

Containment Stop leak if safe to do so - Prevent entry into waterways, drains or confined areas. Prevent dust cloud.

Decontamination Ventilate the area.

Environmental Precautionary

Measures

Evacuation Criteria

Spillages and decontamination runoff should be prevented from entering drains and watercourses.

Spill or leak area should be isolated immediately. Keep unauthorised personnel away. Keep upwind and to higher

ground.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling Safety showers and eyewash facilities should be provided within the immediate work area for emergency use. Ensure

> adequate ventilation. Obtain special instructions before use - Do not use until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Minimise dust generation and accumulation. Avoid breathing dust and contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Do not ingest. Use personal protective equipment as required (see SECTION 8). WARNING: May form combustible dust concentrations in air! Keep away from heat and sources of ignition - No smoking. Take precautionary measures against

static discharge.

Store in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place, out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed. Protect from moisture. Storage

Protect against physical damage. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition - No smoking. Keep away from foodstuff

containers and incompatible materials (see SECTION 10). Store locked up.

Container Keep in the original container.

*Containers of this material may be hazardous when empty since they retain product residues (dust, solids); observe all

warnings and precautions listed for the product.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

General No specific exposure standards are available for this product. For dusts from solid substances without specific

occupational exposure standards:

- Safe Work Australia Exposure Standard (Nuisance dusts): 8 hr TWA = 10 mg/m3 (measured as inhalable dust).

- New Zealand WES (Particulates not otherwise classified): TWA = 10 mg/m3; TWA = 3 mg/m3 (respirable dust).

No Data Available **Exposure Limits**

Biological Limits No information available.

Engineering Measures A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep employee exposures as low as possible. Local exhaust

ventilation is generally preferred because it can control the emissions of the contaminant at its source, preventing

dispersion of it into the general work area. Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

Personal Protection Equipment - Respiratory protection: Wear respiratory protection in case of inadequate ventilation or if an inhalation risk exists.

Recommended: Dust mask/particulate filter respirator or full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination or type

AXBEK respirator cartridges (refer to AS/NZS 1715 & 1716).

- Eye/face protection: Wear appropriate eye protection to avoid eye contact. Recommended: Safety glasses or goggles.

- Hand protection: Handle with gloves. Recommended: Impervious protective gloves, e.g. Butyl rubber. - Skin/body protection: Wear appropriate personal protective clothing to avoid skin contact. Recommended: Overalls,

safety shoes.

Special Hazards Precaustions

No information available.

Work Hygienic Practices

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash thoroughly after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately and wash before reuse. Routine housekeeping should be instituted to ensure that dusts do not

accumulate on surfaces.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical StateSolidAppearanceCrystallineOdourOdourlessColourWhite

pH No Data Available
Vapour Pressure No Data Available
Relative Vapour Density No Data Available

Boiling Point >35 °C **Melting Point** 171 - 178 °C

Freezing Point

Solubility

Soluble in water

Specific Gravity

Flash Point

No Data Available

No Data Available

Auto Ignition Temp >400 °C

Evaporation RateNo Data AvailableBulk DensityNo Data AvailableCorrosion RateNo Data Available

Decomposition Temperature >180 °C
Density 1.41 g/cm3

Specific HeatNo Data AvailableMolecular Weight76.12 g/molNet Propellant WeightNo Data Available

Octanol Water Coefficient 2.5

Particle SizeNo Data AvailablePartition CoefficientNo Data AvailableSaturated Vapour ConcentrationNo Data AvailableVapour TemperatureNo Data AvailableViscosityNo Data AvailableVolatile PercentNo Data AvailableVOC VolumeNo Data Available

Additional Characteristics No information available.

Potential for Dust Explosion Avoid generating dust; Fine dust dispersed in air in sufficient concentrations, and in the presence of an ignition source is

Fire/decomposition may produce irritating, toxic and/or corrosive fumes, including Carbon oxides, Sulfur oxides, Nitrogen

a potential dust explosion hazard.

Fast or Intensely Burning

Characteristics

No information available.

Flame Propagation or Burning Rate of Solid Materials No information available.

Non-Flammables That Could Contribute Unusual Hazards to a Fire No information available.

Properties That May Initiate or Contribute to Fire Intensity

Combustible solid; May burn but does not ignite readily.

Reactions That Release Gases or Vapours

oxides.

Release of Invisible Flammable

Vapours and Gases

When heated, vapours may form explosive mixtures with air.

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

General Information No information available.

Chemical Stability Stable under proper operation and storage conditions.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid generating dust. Keep away from heat and sources of ignition.

Materials to Avoid Incompatible/reactive with oxidising agents, strong acids, strong alkalis, Hydrogen peroxide, Acrolein, Acrylaldehyde.

Hazardous Decomposition

Hazardous Polymerisation

Fire/decomposition may produce irritating, toxic and/or corrosive fumes, including Carbon oxides, Sulfur oxides, Nitrogen

Products oxides.

May occur when in contact with acrylaldehyde.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

General Information

- Acute toxicity: Harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.
- Skin corrosion/irritation: Slightly irritating to skin. May cause skin irritation.
- Eye damage/irritation: May cause slight eye irritation.
- Respiratory/skin sensitisation: Not found to induce dermal sensitisation (Guinea pigs). In humans: Cases of contact dermatitis have been reported in individuals following exposure to the chemical during formulation processes, or to products containing the chemical. May cause an allergic reaction, which becomes evident upon re-exposure to this material; May cause skin eruptions.
- Germ cell mutagenicity: The chemical is considered unlikely to be a genotoxic carcinogen [NICNAS].
- Carcinogenicity: Suspected of causing cancer. Thiourea (CAS No. 62-56-6) is classified in Group 3 of the IARC Monographs: Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans, based on inadequate evidence for carcinogenicity in humans; However, there is (limited) evidence for carcinogenicity in animal testing. Thiourea is well absorbed and concentrates in the thyroid, where it causes decreased thyroid hormone production and a compensatory increase of proliferation of thyroid tissue. This is the probable basis of the tumourigenic activity of thiourea for the thyroid in experimental animals.
- Reproductive toxicity: Suspected of damaging the unborn child. While there are limited data available, the known effect of reduction in thyroxine (T4) is strongly associated with developmental effects [NICNAS].
- STOT (single exposure): Inhalation of dust may cause respiratory tract irritation (mucous membranes).
- STOT (repeated exposure): Reported effects include adverse effects relating to the thyroid, specifically enlargement or hyperplasia of the thyroid; reduced body weight, enlargement and increased weight of the pituitary and reduced levels of the thyroid hormone, thyroxine (T4).
- Aspiration toxicity: No information available.

Acute

Ingestion Acute toxicity (Oral):

- LD50, Rat: >2,000 - 2,500 mg/kg bw. [Supplier's SDS].

Other Acute toxicity (Dermal):

- LD50, Rabbits: >2,800 mg/kg bw.

Inhalation Acute toxicity (Inhalation):

- LC50, Rats: >195 mg/m3 (4 h) [maximum attainable concentration].

Carcinogen Category Cat. 2

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity Aquatic toxicity:

- EC50, Crustacea: 16 mg/L (48 h).

- ErC50, Algae/aquatic plants: 5.6 mg/L (96 h).

- Chronic NOEC, Crustacea: 1.8 mg/L

Persistence/Degradability

Not readily biodegradable; however, may be regarded as inherently and ultimately biodegradable.

MobilityThiourea is expected to be mobile in soil. Thiourea is considered to be non-volatile from water surfaces and is not expected to volatilise from soil.

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Environmental Fate Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects - Prevent entry into drains and waterways.

Bioaccumulation Potential Low potential for bioaccumulation (log octanol water partition coefficient less than 3).

Environmental Impact No Data Available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

General Information Dispose of contents/container through a licensed waste contractor and in accordance with local/regional/national

regulations.

Special Precautions for Land Fill Contaminated packaging: Do not reuse empty containers. Do not burn or use a cutting torch on, or near, the empty drum.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Land Transport (Australia)

ADG Code

Proper Shipping Name Thiourea

Class No Data Available
Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

EPG 47 Low To Moderate Hazard Substances

UN Number No Data Available
Hazchem No Data Available
Pack Group No Data Available

Special Provision AU01

CommentsNot regulated as DG when transported by road or rail in packagings that do not incorporate a receptacle

exceeding 500 kg(L) or IBCs.

Land Transport (Malaysia)

ADR Code

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Thiourea)

Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods and Articles

Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

EPG 47 Low To Moderate Hazard Substances

UN Number 3077
Hazchem 2Z
Pack Group III

Special Provision No Data Available

Land Transport (New Zealand)

NZS5433

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Thiourea)

Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods and Articles

Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

EPG 47 Low To Moderate Hazard Substances

UN Number 3077

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Hazchem 2Z Pack Group III

Special Provision No Data Available

Land Transport (United States of America)

US DOT

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Thiourea)

Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods and Articles

Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

ERG 171 Substances (Low to Moderate Hazard)

 UN Number
 3077

 Hazchem
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 Pack Group
 III

Special Provision No Data Available

Sea Transport

IMDG Code

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Thiourea)

Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods and Articles

Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

 UN Number
 3077

 Hazchem
 2Z

 Pack Group
 III

Special Provision No Data Available

EMS F-A, S-F
Marine Pollutant Yes

Air Transport

IATA DGR

Proper Shipping Name ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. (Thiourea)

Class 9 Miscellaneous Dangerous Goods and Articles

Subsidiary Risk(s) No Data Available

UN Number 3077
Hazchem 27
Pack Group III

Special Provision No Data Available

National Transport Commission (Australia)

Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

Dangerous Goods Classification NOT Dangerous Goods according to the Criteria of the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods

by Road & Rail (ADG Code)

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

General Information THIOUREA

Poisons Schedule (Aust)

Schedule 6

Environmental Protection Authority (New Zealand)

Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Amendment Act 2015

Approval Code Additives Process Chemicals and Raw Materials Carcinogenic Group Standard 2020 HSR002512

*HSR003323 (Revoked)

National/Regional Inventories

Australia (AIIC) Listed

Canada (DSL) Not Determined

Canada (NDSL) Not Determined

China (IECSC) Not Determined

Europe (EINECS) 200-543-5

Europe (REACh) Not Determined

Japan (ENCS/METI) Not Determined

Korea (KECI) Not Determined

Malaysia (EHS Register) Not Determined

New Zealand (NZIoC) Listed

Philippines (PICCS) Not Determined

Switzerland (Giftliste 1) Not Determined

Switzerland (Inventory of Notified

Substances)

Not Determined

THIOUR7500, THIOUR7501, THIOUR8000

Taiwan (NCSR) Not Determined

USA (TSCA) Not Determined

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Related Product CodesTHIOUR1000, THIOUR1001, THIOUR1002, THIOUR1003, THIOUR1004, THIOUR1005, THIOUR1006, THIOUR1007,

THIOUR1008, THIOUR1009, THIOUR1010, THIOUR1011, THIOUR1012, THIOUR1013, THIOUR1014, THIOUR1015, THIOUR1016, THIOUR1017, THIOUR1018, THIOUR1019, THIOUR1020, THIOUR1500, THIOUR1600, THIOUR2000, THIOUR2001, THIOUR2002, THIOUR2503, THIOUR2504, THIOUR2505, THIOUR2506, THIOUR2507, THIOUR2508, THIOUR2509, THIOUR2510, THIOUR2511, THIOUR2512, THIOUR2513, THIOUR2514, THIOUR2515, THIOUR2516, THIOUR2517, THIOUR2518, THIOUR2519, THIOUR2520, THIOUR2521, THIOUR2522, THIOUR2523, THIOUR2524, THIOUR2525, THIOUR2526, THIOUR2527, THIOUR2528, THIOUR2500, THIOUR3000, THIOUR3001, THIOUR3002, THIOUR3003, THIOUR3004, THIOUR3010, THIOUR3000, THIOUR3000, THIOUR4000, THIOUR4001, THIOUR4100, THIOUR4200, THIOUR4500, THIOUR4500, THIOUR6500, THIOUR6501, THIOUR6502, THIOUR6503, THIOUR6600, THIOUR6650, THIOUR7000, THIOUR7001, THIOUR7002, THIOUR7005, THIOUR7006, THIOUR7010, THIOUR7020, THIOUR7100, THIOUR7200,

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Key/Legend < Less Than > Greater Than

AICS Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

atm Atmosphere

CAS Chemical Abstracts Service (Registry Number)

cm² Square CentimetresCO2 Carbon Dioxide

COD Chemical Oxygen Demand **deg C (°C)** Degrees Celcius

EPA (New Zealand) Environmental Protection Authority of New Zealand

deg F (°F) Degrees Farenheit

g Grams

g/cm³ Grams per Cubic Centimetre

g/I Grams per Litre

HSNO Hazardous Substance and New Organism **IDLH** Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health **immiscible** Liquids are insoluable in each other.

inHg Inch of Mercury inH2O Inch of Water

K Kelvin **kg** Kilogram

kg/m3 Kilograms per Cubic Metre

Ib Pound

LC50 LC stands for lethal concentration. LC50 is the concentration of a material in air which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals. The material is inhaled over a set period of time, usually 1 or 4 hours.

LD50 LD stands for Lethal Dose. LD50 is the amount of a material, given all at once, which causes the death of 50% (one half) of a group of test animals.

Itr or L Litre

m³ Cubic Metre

mbar Millibar

mg Milligram

mg/24H Milligrams per 24 Hours

mg/kg Milligrams per Kilogram

mg/m³ Milligrams per Cubic Metre

Misc or Miscible Liquids form one homogeneous liquid phase regardless of the amount of either component present.

mm Millimetre

mmH20 Millimetres of Water

mPa.s Millipascals per Second

N/A Not Applicable

 $\mbox{\bf NIOSH}$ National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOHSC National Occupational Heath and Safety Commission

OECD Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

Oz Ounce

PEL Permissible Exposure Limit

Pa Pascal

ppb Parts per Billion

ppm Parts per Million

ppm/2h Parts per Million per 2 Hours

ppm/6h Parts per Million per 6 Hours

psi Pounds per Square Inch

R Rankine

RCP Reciprocal Calculation Procedure

STEL Short Term Exposure Limit

TLV Threshold Limit Value

tne Tonne

TWA Time Weighted Average

ug/24H Micrograms per 24 Hours

UN United Nations

wt Weight