# SAFETY DATA SHEET



### 1. Identification

Product identifier 3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl

Other means of identification

 Item
 BZ-11

 CAS number
 2050-67-1

Recommended use For Laboratory Use Only

Recommended restrictions None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified.

Health hazards Acute toxicity, oral Category 4

Acute toxicity, dermal

Acute toxicity, inhalation

Category 4

Skin corrosion/irritation

Category 2

Carcinogenicity

Category 1A

Specific target organ toxicity, single exposure

Specific target organ toxicity, repeated

Category 2

Category 2

exposure

Environmental hazards Hazardous to the aquatic environment, acute Category 1

hazard

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, Category 1

long-term hazard

OSHA defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements



Signal word Danger

Hazard statement Harmful if swallowed. Toxic in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation. May cause cancer. May

cause damage to organs. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Very toxic to aquatic life. Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement

**Prevention** Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read

and understood. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective

gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

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If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell. Rinse mouth. If on skin: Wash with Response

> plenty of water. If exposed or concerned: Call a poison center/doctor. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Collect spillage.

Store locked up. **Storage** 

**Disposal** Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information 100% of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown acute inhalation toxicity.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Substances**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl		2050-67-1	100

## 4. First-aid measures

Inhalation Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist.

Skin contact Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical

advice/attention if you feel unwell. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention. Wash

contaminated clothing before reuse.

Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if Eye contact

present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. If vomiting occurs, keep head low so that stomach content doesn't get into the lungs. Ingestion

Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

Most important

**General information** 

symptoms/effects, acute and

delaved

Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.

Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Provide general supportive measures and treat symptomatically. Keep victim warm. Keep victim

under observation. Symptoms may be delayed.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

# 5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media

Unsuitable extinguishing media

Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Specific hazards arising from the chemical

During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.

Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Fire fighting

equipment/instructions

Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.

Specific methods

Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.

Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.

General fire hazards No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

### 6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. Wear appropriate protective equipment and clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

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# Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

This material is classified as a water pollutant under the Clean Water Act and should be prevented from contaminating soil or from entering sewage and drainage systems which lead to waterways.

Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Dike the spilled material, where this is possible. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.

Never return spills to original containers for re-use. Put material in suitable, covered, labeled containers. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

#### **Environmental precautions**

Avoid release to the environment. Inform appropriate managerial or supervisory personnel of all environmental releases. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

## 7. Handling and storage

#### Precautions for safe handling

Obtain special instructions before use. Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Do not taste or swallow. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid prolonged exposure. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Should be handled in closed systems, if possible. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Avoid release to the environment. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Observe good industrial hygiene practices

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Store locked up. Store in original tightly closed container. Store in a well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Occupational exposure limits

The following constituents are the only constituents of the product which have a PEL, TLV or other recommended exposure limit. At this time, the other constituents have no known exposure limits.

## **US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards**

Material	Туре	Value
3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl (CAS 2050-67-1)	TWA	0.001 mg/m3

## **Biological limit values**

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

# Appropriate engineering controls

Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. Eye wash fountain and emergency showers are recommended.

## Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge and full facepiece.

Skin protection

**Hand protection** Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

Other Wear appropriate chemical resistant clothing. Use of an impervious apron is recommended.

**Respiratory protection**Chemical respirator with organic vapor cartridge and full facepiece.

**Thermal hazards** Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

Observe any medical surveillance requirements. Keep away from food and drink. Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

# **Appearance**

Physical state Liquid.

Form Liquid or solid depending on storage

Color Colorless
Odor Not available.
Odor threshold Not available.

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Not available. pН

77 - 78.8 °F (25 - 26 °C) Melting point/freezing point

Initial boiling point and boiling 611.6 - 615.2 °F (322 - 324 °C)

range

Flash point > 212.0 °F (> 100.0 °C)

**Evaporation rate** Not available. Not applicable. Flammability (solid, gas)

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits

Flammability limit - lower

Not available.

(%)

Flammability limit - upper

Not available.

(%)

Not available. Explosive limit - lower (%) Explosive limit - upper (%) Not available.

Vapor pressure 0.00009 kPa (77 °F (25 °C))

Not available. Vapor density Not available. Relative density

Solubility(ies)

Insoluble Solubility (water) Partition coefficient Not available.

(n-octanol/water)

Not available. **Auto-ignition temperature Decomposition temperature** Not available. Not available. **Viscosity** 

Other information

**Explosive properties** Not explosive.

Combustible IIIB estimated Flammability class

C12H8CI2 Molecular formula Molecular weight 223.1

Oxidizing properties Not oxidizing.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

Reactivity The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

**Chemical stability** Material is stable under normal conditions. Possibility of hazardous Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

reactions

Contact with incompatible materials. Conditions to avoid

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

### 11. Toxicological information

# Information on likely routes of exposure

May cause damage to organs by inhalation. May cause damage to organs through prolonged or Inhalation

repeated exposure by inhalation.

Skin contact Toxic in contact with skin. Causes skin irritation.

Eye contact Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Ingestion Harmful if swallowed.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics Skin irritation. May cause redness and pain.

#### Information on toxicological effects

Toxic in contact with skin. Harmful if swallowed. **Acute toxicity** 

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**Skin corrosion/irritation** Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

**Respiratory sensitization** Not a respiratory sensitizer.

**Skin sensitization** This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are

mutagenic or genotoxic.

Carcinogenicity May cause cancer.

IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity

3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl (CAS 2050-67-1) 1 Carcinogenic to humans.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens

3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl (CAS 2050-67-1) Reasonably Anticipated to be a Human Carcinogen.

Reproductive toxicity

This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

May cause damage to organs.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**Aspiration hazard** Not an aspiration hazard.

Chronic effects May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure. Prolonged inhalation may

be harmful. Prolonged exposure may cause chronic effects.

12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Persistence and degradability

Bioaccumulative potential No data available.

Mobility in soil No data available.

Other adverse effects No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation

potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.

13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions**Collect and reclaim or dispose in sealed containers at licensed waste disposal site. Do not allow

this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches

with chemical or used container. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with

local/regional/national/international regulations.

Local disposal regulations

Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

Hazardous waste code

The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste

disposal company.

Waste from residues / unused

products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see:

Disposal instructions).

**Contaminated packaging** Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied. Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or

disposal.

14. Transport information

DOT

UN number UN2315

UN proper shipping name Transport hazard class(es) Polychlorinated biphenyls, liquid, MARINE POLLUTANT

 Class
 9

 Subsidiary risk

 Label(s)
 9

 Packing group
 II

**Environmental hazards** 

Marine pollutant Yes

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Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Special provisions 9, 81, 140, IB3, T4, TP1

Packaging exceptions 155 Packaging non bulk 202 241 Packaging bulk

**IATA** 

UN2315 **UN** number

**UN proper shipping name** Polychlorinated biphenyls, liquid

Transport hazard class(es)

9 Class Subsidiary risk Ш Packing group **Environmental hazards** No. **ERG Code** 9L

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Other information

Passenger and cargo

Allowed with restrictions.

aircraft Cargo aircraft only

Allowed with restrictions.

**IMDG** 

UN2315 **UN** number

**UN** proper shipping name Transport hazard class(es) POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS, LIQUID, MARINE POLLUTANT

Class 9 Subsidiary risk П Packing group

**Environmental hazards** 

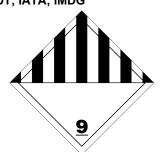
Marine pollutant Yes **EmS** F-A, S-A

Special precautions for user Read safety instructions, SDS and emergency procedures before handling.

Transport in bulk according to Not established.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

DOT; IATA; IMDG



## Marine pollutant



**General information** IMDG Regulated Marine Pollutant. DOT Regulated Marine Pollutant.

## 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

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### TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

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0.00005 % Annual Export Notification required.

### **CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)**

Not listed.

#### SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

## OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Immediate Hazard - Yes **Hazard categories** 

Delayed Hazard - Yes Fire Hazard - No Pressure Hazard - No Reactivity Hazard - No

### SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

Yes

chemical

#### SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Chemical name	CAS number	% by wt.
3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl	2050-67-1	100

#### Other federal regulations

### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

## Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

Clean Water Act (CWA) Hazardous substance

Bioaccumulative chemical of concern Section 112(r) (40 CFR

Toxic pollutant 68.130)

Safe Drinking Water Act 0 ma/l (SDWA) 0.0005 mg/l

WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer and **US** state regulations

birth defects or other reproductive harm.

#### US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl (CAS 2050-67-1) Listed: October 1, 1989

# US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

3,3'-Dichlorobiphenyl (CAS 2050-67-1) Listed: January 1, 1991

#### **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	Yes
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	Yes
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	Yes
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	Yes
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

<sup>\*</sup>A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

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SDS US

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**NFPA** ratings Health: 3

Flammability: 0 Instability: 0

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