# SAFETY DATA SHEET



### 1. Identification

**Product identifier** n-Tetracosane

Other means of identification

**Product code** N-12603

For Laboratory Use Only Recommended use

**Recommended restrictions** None known.

Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information

Manufacturer

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# 2. Hazard(s) identification

Physical hazards Not classified. **Health hazards** Not classified. **Environmental hazards** Not classified. **OSHA** defined hazards Not classified.

Label elements

None. **Hazard symbol** None. Signal word

**Hazard statement** The substance does not meet the criteria for classification.

**Precautionary statement** 

Prevention Observe good industrial hygiene practices.

Response Wash hands after handling.

Storage Store away from incompatible materials.

**Disposal** Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

Hazard(s) not otherwise

classified (HNOC)

None known.

Supplemental information Not applicable.

# 3. Composition/information on ingredients

## **Substances**

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	<u></u>
n-Tetracosane		646-31-1	100

<sup>\*</sup>Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

#### 4. First-aid measures

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

Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Skin contact

Eye contact Rinse with water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Ingestion Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Most important

symptoms/effects, acute and

delayed

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Indication of immediate medical attention and special

treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

**General information** Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to

protect themselves.

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

equipment/instructions

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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

No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted. General fire hazards

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Keep unnecessary personnel away. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.

**Environmental precautions** Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

7. Handling and storage

Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Precautions for safe handling

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in original tightly closed container. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10

of the SDS).

8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Occupational exposure limits

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

**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.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection If contact is likely, safety glasses with side shields are recommended.

Skin protection

For prolonged or repeated skin contact use suitable protective gloves. Hand protection

Other Wear suitable protective clothing.

Respiratory protection In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Thermal hazards Wear appropriate thermal protective clothing, when necessary.

General hygiene considerations

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** Solid.

**Form** Solid. Crystalline Solid

Color White

Odor Not available. **Odor threshold** Not available Not available. pН

120.2 - 125.6 °F (49 - 52 °C) Melting point/freezing point

735.8 °F (391 °C) Initial boiling point and boiling

range

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233.6 °F (112.0 °C) Flash point

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

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. 0 kPa at 25 °C Vapor pressure Vapor density Not available. Not available. Relative density

Solubility(ies)

Solubility (water) Insoluble Not available. Partition coefficient

(n-octanol/water)

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

Other information

**Density** 0.799 g/ml

Combustible IIIB estimated Flammability class

C24H50 Molecular formula Molecular weight 338.7

## 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

reactions

No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.

Conditions to avoid Contact with incompatible materials.

Incompatible materials Strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition

products

No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## 11. Toxicological information

#### Information on likely routes of exposure

Ingestion Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

Inhalation No adverse effects due to inhalation are expected. Skin contact No adverse effects due to skin contact are expected. Eye contact Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity** Not available.

Skin corrosion/irritation Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation. Serious eye damage/eye

irritation

Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Not available. Respiratory sensitization

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.

This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA. Carcinogenicity

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Not listed.

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

Specific target organ toxicity -

single exposure

Not classified.

Specific target organ toxicity -

repeated exposure

Not classified.

repeated exposure

Aspiration hazard

Not available.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** 

Mobility in soil

The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment.

Persistence and degradability

No data is available on the degradability of this product.

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available.

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.

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

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste handling site for recycling or disposal. Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is

emptied.

Not applicable.

# 14. Transport information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**IMDG** 

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

Transport in bulk according to

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and

the IBC Code

### 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** 

All components are on the U.S. EPA TSCA Inventory List.

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

Not regulated

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

Not listed.

SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Not regulated.

US. OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories Immediate Hazard - No

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

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous

No

chemical

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### SARA 313 (TRI reporting)

Not regulated.

#### 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.

Safe Drinking Water Act

Not regulated.

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(SDWA)

#### **US** state regulations

#### **US. Massachusetts RTK - Substance List**

Not regulated.

#### US. New Jersey Worker and Community Right-to-Know Act

Not regulated.

#### US. Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

Not regulated.

### **US. Rhode Island RTK**

Not regulated.

#### **US. California Proposition 65**

California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986 (Proposition 65): This material is not known to contain any chemicals currently listed as carcinogens or reproductive toxins.

#### **International Inventories**

Country(s) or region

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)	Yes
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes
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) 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: 0

Flammability: 1 Instability: 0

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On inventory (yes/no)\*

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